# The Carbon Messenger

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Local News In Brief

Graveside rites were held at Murray Memorial Ceme-tery Saturday at 4 p.m. for Oliver Vaughn, 65, of Scran-ton who died Friday at 5:45 a.m. in a Big Spring Hospi-tal. The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vaughn, he had lived in Carbon many years in earlier life. Survivors are his wife; one son, two daughters, nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was a cousin of Mrs. A. S. Jackson of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hicks of Ranger visited her father, S. W. Loper, Sunday.

Richard Jackson and family of Seminole spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson.

Joe Ward of Crowell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Layton Holt and children of Abilene visited Mrs. E. R. Butler Sunday.

Mrs. Larry Gage and daughters, LaNell and Dena of McCamey spent the weekend with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Gertie Wescott.

Mrs. Minnie Traylor of Giftery spent last week visiting with friends here. Her son, Ike Traylor, attended the Carbon-Moran ballgame here Thursday night and she returned home with him.

M. C. Gilbert and family of Jal, N. M. and Mrs. Benson Payne of Hamlin visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gilbert, last weekend. Mrs. Gilbert who has been a patient in the Gorman Hospital has returned home and is slightly improved.

T. H. Mahan and family of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dunn attended a birthday dinner for T. H. Mahan Sunday in the home of his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mahan of Gorman,

A large crowd attended the Coronation held in connection with the Halloween Carnival last Friday night. Terri Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wood and Mike Smith, son of Rev. and Mrs., Moody Smith, of the First grade were crowned King and Queen and Joyce Casey and Larry Bryant, high school students were prince and princess. The coronation was held in the auditorium following the carnival. A very nice program was enjoyed by the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wyatt and son of Levelland visited his brother, Ray Wyatt, and wife last weekend. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt and Lester Clark Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rodgers of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Eld ridge of Desdemona visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield of Baird visited relatives here Sunday.

Don Nicholas visited David Wood and family of Whitney last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pittman of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boatwright Sunday.

H. W. Collins visited his daughter, Mrs. James L. Bigby, in Fort Worth last week.

#### A. B. Click Co. **Begins Re-Vamp Of Appeals Court**

Repairs on the fifth floor of the Courthouse began last Monday, Oct. 18, after the job was given to an Abilene firm, A. B. Click & Co., according to County Judge Scott Bailey.

This renovating will include

## **Carbon Defeats** Moran 49-0 In Football Game

Halfbacks Tim Warren and Ronnie Hughes teamed up to collect 30 points and lead the Carbon Wolverines to a 49 to 0 victory over the Moran Bulldogs in a District 8-B game here last Thursday night.

Warren was the game's leading scorer with 18 points, while Hughes was close behind with 12. Jerry Cook and Ray Kanady added a touchdown each, and Alvie Allison collected seven points on extra-point conversions to make up the total.

The entire team played well on defense. Carbon is new 7-0 for the season and 2-0 in district

play.

They play Gordon here Thursday night Nov. 4, at 7:30.

#### Bread Workshop **Reservations** Are Being Accepted

A Breads Workshop will be conducted Nov. 16-18 in the Texas Electric Reddy Room with Eastland County Home Demonstration Agent Beverly Nicholson, Assistant Agent Wanda Watson and Frances Rooney, the home service advisor of Texas Electric Service Company, as instructors.

Lessons will include how to make quick breads, yeast rolls, fancy breads and how to freeze breads and rolls. The workshoo will be in pro-gress from 9:30 at m. until 3:30

p. m. and noon iunches will be prepared during the workshop. Pre-registration is necessary in order that preparations can be made according to the number attending.

If you plan to attend, please fill in the form below and return it by Nov, 9.

Clip and mail to:

#### Mrs. Beverly Nicholson

# **Eastland ASCS Office Is** First In Group Of 15

The office personnel and county committee of the Eastland County Agricultureal Stabilization Conservation Ser vice (ASCS) has been selected as the outstanding county unit in the CO 9-10 mategory in District Five, it has been reported here.

The local office was chosen over 15 other counties in the district. A plaque re-ceived by the office, signed by Ralph Price, chairman of the state committee, says:

"In recognition of your selection as the ASCS County office in the CO 9-10 caterory most outstanding in the farmer fieldman district in effective and efficient operation of ASCS programs."

The office staff, headed by Gilbert Meredith, includes Novella Bigby, Myrtle Aaron,

May Edna Gattis, Mildred Sherrill and Barbara Anderson and Field man Everett Martin. Guy Lyerla is chairman of the committee, Elmer Blackwell is vice chairman and Garland Garrett is county committee.

The selection was based upon improvement made during the 12 month period ending July 31, 1965, as well as the continuing high quality of performance exhibited by your office, a statement accom panying the award said.

"The effective administration of farm programs depends on the continuing efforts of county offices such

as yours to utilize the most efficient and practical methods possible," the statement concluded.



Sam Kimmell, prominant Cisco rancher, was re-elected president of the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association at a monthly meeting in Ranger Thursday night.

Kimmell has served in this capacity for the past two years. Glyn Gilliam, Ranger bank-

er, was laso re-elected as.vice president. John Adair, Ranger, was named secretary. He replaces Bob Green, Gorman.

Eastland Rancher C. M. Mc-Cain, who has served as treasurer of the group for many years, will continue to serve in that capacity.

New directors named at the meeting include: Doug Fry and Ralph Berry, Cisco; L. C. Hounsel, Rising Star; and Winford Parr, Eastland.

They replace Ross Wilson and Ed Harrison, Gorman;

Holdover directors from Ranger include Don Bradford. Dr. John Foster, Norman Richardson, B. S. Dudley, Jr. and Keith McDonald.

From Eastland, Bernard Hanna, Bén McKinnis, Ed Sargent, Waverly Massengale, Pete Tindall, Bill McCutchen and J. M. Cooper.

Cisco directors to continue serving include Tom Toland, Parks Plambeck, Gaston Boyd, Robert Kincaid, Erwin Pippen, Hoot Ferguson and Jimmie Lee.

From Olden, Gilbert Copeland.

E. C. Branlett, Gorman, and Johnnie Rodgers, Carbon, will also continue as will H. L. Geye and Joe Criswell from Rising Star.

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# Eastland, Clyde

Clyde, the new teams, along with Hamilton, Granbury, Comanche and Cisco. Dublin was dropped to Class 1-A for the coming year. Eastland and

Mr. Roach said the schedule

Some 400 persons turned out lawn.



Nov. 4-Gordon-Home

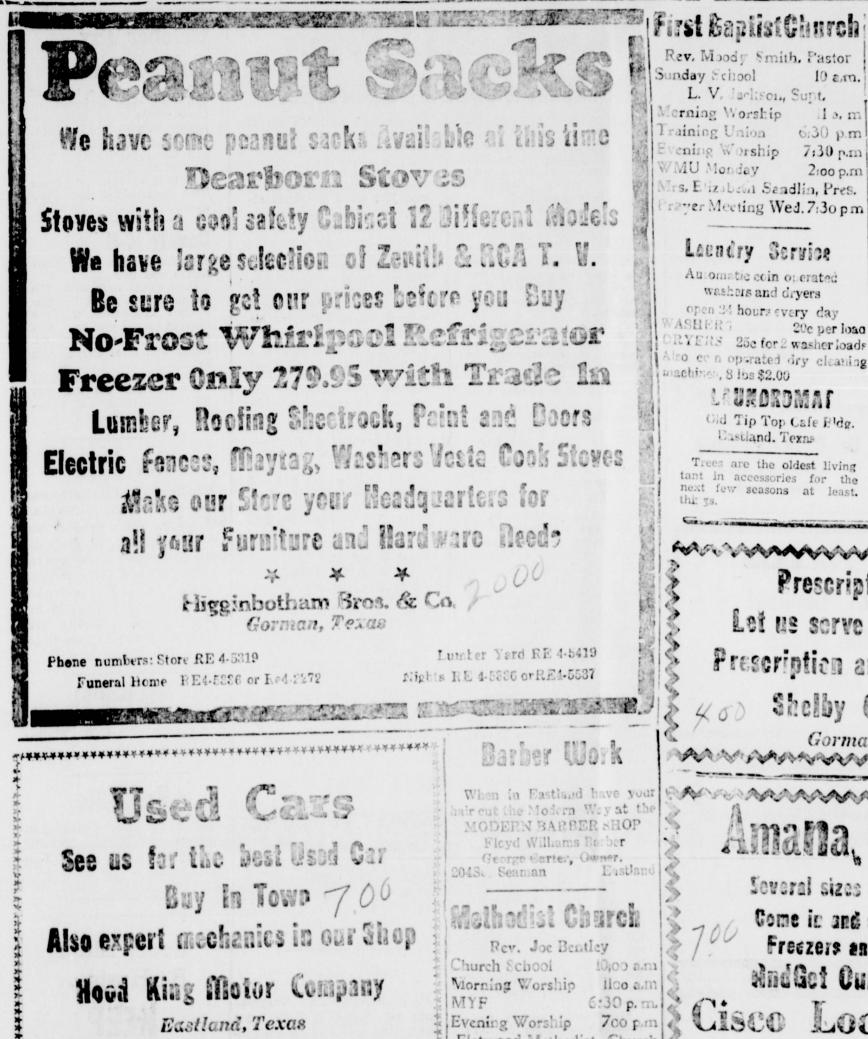
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#### Fishing Rodeo Slated Nov. 14 At Lake Cisco

The Fort Worth Angler's Club will hold an all-day fishing rodeo at Lake Cisco on Sunday, Nov. 14, according to an announcement by Manager Jim Smothers of the Chamber of Commerce.

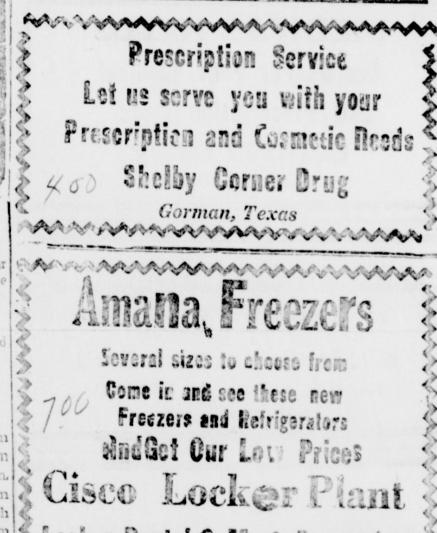
Between 80 and 100 fishermen are expected to take part in the rodeo, and most of them will arrive on Saturday, Nov. 13, to be on hand  $fo_{\Gamma}$  an early start.

Details are expected to be completed and announced soon Mr. Smothers said.

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Flatwood Methodist Church \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Looker Rental & Meat Processing Morning Worship 1000 a.m Church School 1:00 a.m Ambulance The State Of Texas County Of Eastland NOTICE OF EXECUTION Safe Service Ranch And Farm Service By virtue of an execution its ed out of the Justice Court, Precinct No. 1. Harris County, Texas, on a fc Buy or Sell Farms and Other Available Gay or Night judgment rendered in said Could on the 15th day of July, 1963, in Higginbothem Funeral Home Real Estate favor of the Southside State Bank 400 and against Mrs, G. Roberts, in For Prompt Courteous Service Buck Wheat the case of the Southside State Phone MA 9-2131 Corman, Teras Phone RE 4-2272 Bank vs Mrs. G. Roberts. No. 149182 in such Court, I did on N. Seaman Eastland, Texas the 14th day of Octoper, 1965, at 9:30 a.m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Eastland, State of Texas, as the property of the said Mrs. G. Roberts, to-wit: It's so much easier, faster, safer to pay bills by check! Tho Being all of lots 9 and 10, Block mailman does your footwork Youwaste no time standing 21, City of Ranger, Eastland Cos unity. Texas, in line. You avoid all arguments about whether you paid And on the 7th day of Decemthis or thatbill because your cancelled check gives you To Peakut Farmers We Can Dry ber, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of prect of payment, You find it easier to suge t because 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p m. on said your peanuts in the Bag your check stubs show you where every dollar goes. It makes day, at the Court House door of sense, every way, to open a checking account here. said county, I will offer for sale We Suy peanuts & gecans and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and inter. First National Bank est of the said Mrs. G. Roberts in Farm & Ranch Store and to said property. Member 5 Gorman Dated at Eastland, Texas, this the 15th day of October, 1965. **Cisco** Texas L E. Sublett Sheriff, Eastland County, Texas

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#### Railroads Pay \$28,549, in Taxes In This County

Current annual taxes paid to the various government agencies in Eastland County totaled \$28,549, it is announced by the Texas Railroad Association.

That amount was the county's share of the n e a r l y \$10,000,000 the railroads paid in Texas on their own right of way and other property.

The biggest railroad contribution was to the school systems throughout the state. Large sums were also distributed to city, village and county governments and for road and bridge funds.

In addition, of course, was the large total in taxes the railroads' nearly 35,000 Texas employees contributed on their own property. The vast majority of rail workers, many of whom live in Eastland County, own their own homes.

"With the future of our country and state depending to a great extent upon the education of our youth, I am delighted that nearly half of the taxes paid by the railroads go to support the schools," said Walter Caven, general counsel of the Texas Railroad Association. "Recognizing this need for education, many of the railroads operating in Texas also make scholarships available to a large number of students every year."

#### Notice

I have the Bam White place under deer lease for the season. All hunters please stay out. Bill Wyatt

#### For Sale

Seed Oats. \$1.00 per brahel. C. L. Henderson, ph. RE 4-5715 Gorman, Texas.

Dr. C. M.Cleveland

OPTOMETRIST Cisco, Texas





# Conservationist S.S. Powers Re-Elected Zone 2 Supervisor

S. S. Powers was unanimously re-elected district supervisor of Zone 2 of the Palo Pinto Soil Conservation District last Saturday night Oct. 9, in an election held at the Desdemona School.

The Desdemona community was well represented by a large crowd of farm families residing in Zone 2. Visiting district booosters as well as the other supervisor from Strawn, Palo Pinto, and Mineral Wells were also in attendance.

J. M. Cooper, Eastland County Agent, served as moderator as is customary in supervisor elections. E. E. McAlister and W. L. Garner of the Soil Conservation Service at Eastland brought a conservation program to the group prior to the election. After the election Mr. Keith McDonald's Future Farmers Chapter served refreshments to the crowd.

Mr. Powers has a 1,285-acre farm two miles north of Desdemona on Highway 16. Mr. "Sam," as he is best known, has done a tremendous job in conservation within the past few years. He is best known as being the first farmer in this vicinity to plant Coastal Bermudy on a commercial scale. In 1952 he sprigged 12 acres to Coas-tal Bermudy. He now has 340 acres. From the original planting west of his new home has come thousands and thousands of pounds of sprigs which were used by farmers in this vicinity to propogate many acres of Coas-

Mr. Sam has truly learned the art of managing Coastal Bermudy pasture. His management includes fertiliza tion according to the production level he desires, control of weedy competition, leaving a good stubble height, and rotation of livestock periodically between pastures. Some 50 acres of his Coastal is under irrigation. He uses irrigation primarily as insur-ance to have an abundant high quality forage available for his livestock during our normal July and August dry weather.

season and available forage in his pastures. He has done an outstanding job of improving his native rangeland through defered grazing, brush control, range seeding, and just plain proper stocking. He depends entirely upon Coastal Bermuda for forage during the summer growing season and rests his native grass. This permits the native grass to gain size and vigor and produce seed. His native pastures then provide a good winter home for his livestock.

Mr. Sam's operations also include about 150 acres of cropland which is planted to peanuts. For many years it has been his practice to strip his peanuts with two rows sudan and eight rows peanuts. Immediately after peanut harvest he drills a winter cover crop to further control wind erosion and add organic matter to the soil. This cropping system has proven very effective in that cver a period of years his peanut yields have averaged about 40 bushels.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers are truly real conservationists. That they love their land is evident by the fine conservation program they have faithfully applied and maintained over a period of many years. The election of Mr. Sam to serve another five years as the supervisor of this zone is an expression of faith and confidence by their many friends and neighbors.

### Issue Dates For Surplus Food Given

The next issue date for the Surplus Foods for Rising Star, Okre, Carbon, Gorman and Desdemona is Tuesday, Nov. 9, according to an announcement by J. W Elder, Sr, administrator

For SALE 30 book Americana Encycle-

#### October Tax Collection Good

During Oct. a total of \$69,400 was collected in taxes within the county, according to Tax Collector Edgar 'Altom, who stated that poll tax collections are lagging at the present.

A total of 140 poll taxes have been sold during this month.

#### County 4-H

(Continued from Page One) Banda was fifth.

Both steers were sold in the premium sale at the fair Friday. The heifers were brought back home and will make several more of the major and local shows this year.

Mr. McCutchen commended the 4-Hers for the fine job they did in fitting and showing their animals.

## For Sale

Two bedroom home in Gorman. 1% blocks from town, sub floers, wall heating unit, pecan & fruit trees, redecorated, 12 years old. Cash or terms. This is a real bargain. Let 50 x 145, cash \$4000 or \$1500 down and terms for balance. \$4500 at 6 percent in. monthly payment. Notify Gulf station or Fannye Burkett, call RE 4-5577, Gorman, Tex.

#### Hay Bailing

Peanut Hay bailed 25c per bail 75 lbs. and up, I. B. Walker, O.den, Texas. Pho. 2501 collect.

## For Sale

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