

The Carbon Messenger

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Local News In Brief

Mrs. H. Hall underwent eye surgery in the Methodist Hospital in Houston the last of the week, and reports are that doctors there are hopeful that the surgery will be a success. Her address is: Methodist Hospital, Room 590 Houston, Texas and she will likely be a patient there for at least one more week.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wright visited her father, J. W. Guy, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCurry and son, Dean, of Austin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines, this week. Dean was accompanied by two friends, Richard Kaplan of Dallas and Hank Harnage of Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Morris have returned from a visit with their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hausard and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Jessen, and families of Cheyenne, Wyo. They accompanied another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel Johnson and family of Fort Worth.

Lester Clark of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt last week, and they spent several days on the Coast.

Miss Esther McAllister of Flagstaff, Ariz., visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stubblefield last week.

Charles Bryant and family and Larry Morrow and wife were fishing at Port Aransas last week.

Lynn Hogan and family of Midland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan, and her father, A. E. Byrd, last week.

Rev. Bascom Morton of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt and other friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Lynn Clayborn and son of Wink have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harbin and children of Portsmouth, Va. are visiting her mother, Mrs. Bernice Mangum.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Greer of Jackson, Miss., are the parents of a daughter born Monday, Aug. 2. She weighed 7½ pounds and has been named Ann Marie. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Mae Greer.

Miss Bettie Greer of Dallas spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mae Greer.

Bryan and Jack Butler and sons of Abilene visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Butler, Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Campbell visited her daughter, Mrs. Jerry Bell, and family of Fort Worth last weekend.

O. A. Johnson and family of Aztec, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park visited their son, Gaylon, last week who is attending Barber School in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abbott have returned from a trip to El Paso where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Don Jordan, and family.

Mrs. Jimmy Molewell and son of Aztec, N. M., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truett Norris and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Noriss.

Billy Jack Tucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tucker of Rankin is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abbott.

Mrs. Cliff Harter of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Wade White visited their brother, Frank Payne, and wife of Baird last week. Basil White and family of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Wade White Sunday.

Notice Prospective Football Plays

The football season is near and Coach Dale Key requests that all high school boys interested in football report to his home before August 16 to receive their physical form.

Hogg-Rodgers

La Tonne Hogg of Desdemona became the bride of John Rodgers of Gorman in a ceremony in the Desdemona Church of Christ on Friday evening, July 30. The ceremony was read by Payne Hattox, minister of the church.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers of Gorman, and she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clydell Lewis of Desdemona.

After a short honeymoon trip the couple will be at home in Carbon where he is agriculture teacher in the local school.

Grover Hallmark Completes SMU Banking Course

Grover Hallmark, an employee of the Eastland National Band for the past nine years, recently completed a three-summer study program at Southern Methodist University, Southwestern Graduate School of Banking. He is presently serving as vice president of the bank.

Past president of the Jaycees and now serving as secretary - treasurer of Rotary Club, Hallmark has served at the bank as clerk, assistant cashier and cashier.

He is one of five Eastland National Bank employees who have completed this banking program.

Tye Firm Gets Contract For FM Road 2526

A contract for 7,807 miles of construction on FM Road 2526 in Eastland County has been awarded to a Tye firm, it was announced in Austin this week by the State Highway Commission.

J. H. Strain and Sons submitted the low bid of \$169,614.23 on the project. Grading, structures, base and surfacing from Loop 389 in Carbon, east FM 2689 near Kokomo is expected to take 150 working days, according to E. M. Pritchard, District Highway Engineer at Brownwood.

R. P. Haun, Resident Engineer at Eastland, will be in active charge of the project while it is under construction.

Revival Drawing Good Crowds

The Baptist revival now in progress with Dr. P. D. O'Brien of Houston doing the preaching, is drawing good crowds to both the morning and evening services. Good messages are being brought at each service by this capable messenger.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the remaining services of the revival which extends through Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. Wade Clark Sunday afternoon were M. L. Joyce and daughter, Mrs. Maybelle Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clark of Rising Star.

COUNTY 4-H GIRLS WIN AT DISTRICT 8 DRESS REVIEW

Eastland County was well represented in the 1965 District Eight 4-H Dress Review held July 28 at Tarleton State College in Stephenville, according to Miss Delmelia Dunn, assistant home demonstration agent.

Sharon Harbin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Harbin, Flatwood, was a blue ribbon winner in the Senior Division. Denice Kincaid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kincaid, Cisco, was a red ribbon winner in the Junior Division. Kathy Kincaid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincaid, Morton Valley, served as Hostess at the District 4-H Dress Review.

Sharon made a party dress of white cotton lace worn over pink cotton satin. She is one

of five girls who will represent the district in the State 4-H Dress Review this October.

Denice made a shift cover up with ticking print dotted with red and blue strawberries. She plans to wear the garment over her swimming suit.

Kathy received Hostess honors by placing First alternate in the Senior Division at the County 4-H Dress Review.

Others from Eastland County attending the 4-H Dress Review were: Mrs. Zola McDonald, Mrs. Don Kincaid, Delaine Kincaid, Mrs. Jeff Harbin, Suzanne Harbin, Mrs. Beverly Nicholson, and Delmelia Dunn.

Twenty counties in the district were represented by nineteen junior and twenty senior entrants.

Young Woman Gets First O. E. O. Loan In County

Betty J. Boudreau, 33, of Route 1, Rising Star, has a new and better outlook for the future for herself, her 11-year old daughter and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Cade, with whom she is residing.

Last week she received an FHA loan in the amount of \$1,770 with which she plans to buy a few head of cattle for 30-acre farm that her father turned over to her since he is unable to give it the proper care due to ill health.

Under Title III-A of the Economic Opportunity Act, the nation's war against rural poverty got underway during January of 1965. These rural loans, which are often shied away from by needy families simply because it is a government loan, provide loan as-

sistance and management advice to low income farm and non-farm rural families who need small amounts of capital to improve their earnings and who have no other way of obtaining credit.

Mrs. Boudreau was a nurse until a year ago when she injured her back and for the past year has had no income. Next year, after obtaining an FHA Loan, she will have \$750 net income coming in.

With the \$1,770 she plans to purchase eight cows and calf pairs, a few brood sows and one bull. She will have a period of 15 years to repay the loan, payments being \$130 per year.

Donald Cooper and Homer Cole of the Eastland FHA office arranged the loan for Mrs. Boudreau.

Motel, Drive-In Are Planned At Lake Cisco

Plans have been completed to build a motel and dairy drive-in near the Fisharama in the Schlaepfer's Draw area of Lake Cisco, it was announced today by V. L. Thompson, proprietor of the fishing barge. Construction work will begin next week.

Mr. Thompson, who rebuilt the Fisharama early this year after moving from California, said the motel would include a six-unit building and six cabins. In addition, there will be a building for family reunions and a children's playground.

The buildings, which will be entirely modern, will be located on city-owned land between the paved highway and

the Fisharama. Mr. Thompson recently completed a lease arrangement with the city for the building site. A bulldozer was employed this week to prepare the site.

Bob Allen of Kaufman has been employed as the contractor for the project, Mr. Thompson said.

The drive-in will be equipped with soft ice cream machinery and offer a complete line of foods. The buildings will be air conditioned.

Mr. Thompson said the work would begin first on the motel and that he expected to be ready to begin renting units in the late fall. He hopes to have all of the work finished by spring.

Friday and Saturday Specials

Crisco 3 lb	79c
Frozen Cream Pies	39c
Tall Can Milk 2 for	29c
Deckers All Meat Franks 1lb	49c
Tide Giant Size	69c

Carbon Trading Company

MAJESTIC IN EASTLAND

Boxoffice opens 4:45 Thurs. - Fri. 12:45 every Saturday

Thurs. Fri. Sat. "Vera Ryan's Express" Frank Sinatra"

Sun. Mon. "Family Jewels" Jerry Lewis

Tuesday Only "Wackiest Ship In The Army" Jack Lemmon Ricky Nelson

All Seats... All Ages... Only 25c

Wed. Thursday "I Saw What You Did" Joan Crawford

DALTEX Quality High Speed Tractor Sweeps

★ ★ ★

We have a complete stock of DALTEX High Carbon Steel Combination Bedder-Planter Sweeps. And all sizes in Cultivator Sweeps. Check your needs with us. Our prices are Competitive.

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Your Business Greatly Appreciated in each Department

Carbon Trading Company

Browsing With Bev

RAYON
 Characteristics: Cool, comfortable to wear. Easily manipulated. Moderately durable. Wrinkles easily. Flammability, a danger in brushed, napped fabrics. Solution dyed rayons highly resistant to fading. Low resiliency, wet strength. Polynosic - High wet strength.

Uses: Light and medium weight clothing.

Care: Dryclean. Can be laundered, but does not withstand treatment that can be given cotton or linen. Tends to shrink.

Trade-Mark Names: Avicol, Avil, Bemberg, Cardura, Coloray, Corval, Cupioni, Maynel, Navco, Veri-Dull.

RUBBER
 Characteristics: High degree of stretch and recovery.

Uses: Foundation garments and swimwear.

Care: Wash frequently with

tionally strong, but light in weight. Resists abrasion. Resistant to body acids.

Uses: Foundation garments, swimwear, men's wear, ski mild soap. Avoid constant overstretch.

Trade-Mark Name: Lastex. **SPANDEX**

Characteristics: Excep-

pants, other sports wear. Care: Machine washable in warm water. May be machine dried.

Trade - Mark Names: Glo-spun, Lycra, Vyrene.

Laundry Service

Automatic coin operated washers and dryers

open 24 hours every day

WASHERS 20c per load

DRYERS 25c for 2 washer loads

Also coin operated dry cleaning machines, 8 lbs \$2.00

LAUNDROMAT

Old Tip Top Cafe Bldg.
 Eastland, Texas

Prescription Needs

See us for All your Prescription Needs

Tom Coleman Pharmisist

Mehaffey Drug

Gorman, Texas

STEPHERVILLE SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Home Loans For

Purchase or Construction

At Reasonable Rates

Insured Savings

4 1-4 Per Cent DIVIDEND

Insured by Federal Savings & Loan Insurance Corporation
 Up to \$10,000.

VACATION



Trip Is No Better Than Your Tires Equip Your Car With

Seiberling Tires

Before You Start and Save Money and Trouble
We Buy Tires in Carload Lots and Pass the Saving to You
We meet any Competition we repair your Tractor Tire

Horton Tire Service

Eastland, Texas
 Fast Dependable Service Monthly terms

The word veto means "I forbid."
 Mahogany trees are traditionally cut by moonlight.
 Natives of Monte Carlo are not permitted to gamble at the casino.
 Antonius Stradivarius' signature is said to have been forged more than anyone else's.
 Trees are the oldest living things.

Variety Needs

Always Shop
HENDERSON'S VARIETY STORE in Gorman for all your Variety Store Needs

Motor Re-winding

I do all kinds of electric motor re-winding, water pump or any other type motor.
 Thurman Electric, (Dutch) Thurman, S. E. Corner Sq. Eastland

Barber Work

When in Eastland have your hair cut the Modern Way at the **MODERN BARBER SHOP**
 George Carter, Owner.
 204 St. Seaman Eastland


Miracle Pest Control

Inspection & Estimates without obligation. Written guarantee. Small monthly payments.
 Leo Lausman ph. WO 5-5735
 110 Park Dr. Stephenville, Tex

Cisco Speed Wash

1104 Ave D Cisco, Texas
8 lb Dry Cleaning \$2.00
Washer Load 20c
Minutes Drying 20c

What can you keep in a safe deposit box?



Rent a box now and safeguard your valuables.

- BANK BOOKS
- BILLS OF SALE
- BIRTH CERTIFICATES
- COINS
- CONTRACTS
- DEEDS
- FAMILY RECORDS
- MEMORANDUMS
- INCOME TAX RECORDS
- INSURANCE POLICIES
- LEGAL DOCUMENTS
- MARRIAGE CERTIFICATES
- PHOTOGRAPHS



Eastland National Bank
 "Opp the Square"
 EASTLAND, TEXAS

Welcome TO OUR ANNUAL PEACH & MELON FESTIVAL IN DE LEON

August 5th Thru the 8th

Men's Botany 500 Spring & Summer Suits
 Regular 65.00 value 39.50 Thru Aug. 7th

Mens Dress Straw Hats 1-2 Price

Higginbotham

De Leon Texas

Furniture

Visit Our Furniture Department For Special Buys
See us for your new Lawn Mower price 44.95 up.
See us for Air Conditioners New Pads & Motors
Sweeps all Sizes Pointed Ready To Plow Hard
Surface Point also Every thing for the Farmer
Special on Garden Tillers 129.95 Value 89.95
Garden Tools, Tillers and Lawnmowers Hot-Dem
Electric Fences, Maytag, Washers Vesta Cook Stoves
Make our Store your Headquarters for
all your Furniture and Hardware Needs
Higginbotham Bros. & Co.
Gorman, Texas

Phone numbers: Store RE 4-5319

Funeral Home RE4-5336 or RE4-2272

Lumber Yard RE 4-6419

Nights RE 4-5336 or RE4-5537

Used Cars

See us for the best Used Car
Buy In Town
Also expert mechanics in our Shop
Hood King Motor Company
Eastland, Texas

Ambulance Service

Available Day or Night
Higginbotham Funeral Home
 Day Phone Higginbotham Office RE4-5319
 Night phone RE4-5336 or 5537 Gorman, Tex

PAY BILLS BY CHECK

It's so much easier, faster, safer to pay bills by check! The mailman does your footwork. You waste no time standing in line. You avoid all arguments about whether you paid this or that bill because your cancelled check gives you proof of payment. You find it easier to budget because your check stubs show you where every dollar goes. It makes sense, every way, to open a checking account here.

First National Bank
Member F D I C Gorman

Of Texas' 254 counties, 77 are about the same size as Rhode Island.

Notice

groceries, fresh vegetables. Will appreciate your business. Swartz Grocery on Rising Star Hwy., Cisco, Texas.

First Baptist Church

Rev. Moody Smith, Pastor
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 L. V. Jackson, Supt.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Training Union 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
 WMU Monday 2:00 p.m.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Sandlin, Pres.
 Prayer Meeting Wed. 8:00 p.m.

Methodist Church

Rev. Joe Bentley
 Church School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 MYF 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Flatwood Methodist Church
 Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Church School 1:00 a.m.

Olds-Cadillac
Rambler
Sales - Service
Eastland County
Only Authorized
Dealer
Short Trades
Easy Terms
Bruce Pipkin
Olds-Cadillac
Rambler
Eastland Texas

Desdemona Gets Two Historical Marker Signs

Two Scotchlight "Historical Markers in City" signs will be placed on the city limit sign posts of Desdemona by the State of Texas.

Sponsored by the Confederate marking program of the State, these signs are being placed, two to a city, to alert tourists to the Civil War history recorded and contained therein.

RAMPS, the Texas State Historical Survey Committee program to Record, Appreciate, Mark, Preserve and Survey Texas history, has as one of its objectives, the stimulation of tourist interest in the towns, cities and regions through which travelers pass.

Desdemona is one of 193 such cities over the state awarded these highway signs. They are contracted by the State Building Commission and erected by the Texas Highway Department. The Texas State Historical Survey Committee is, by law, authorized to name the towns eligible for the signs.

Survey Committee president John Ben Sheppard of Odessa said at the time of this announcement, "Tourists, as a whole, are curious, and if they are aware they are missing something by overlooking

a town, the chances are they will take the time to see what it is.

"Making this initial contact which, day and night, attracts attention to the markers in this city as well as the 3,000 other Official Texas Historical Markers over the state."

Becky Jackson Wins S-T Contest

Becky Jackson, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Jackson of 305 S. Neblett Street won a set of encyclopedias last week as a winner in the "Tell Me Why" contest which appears in the evening Fort Worth Star Telegram.

In the Fifth grade this year, Becky enjoys such hobbies as swimming, reading and music.

Broom corn is a grass from which brooms and clothes brushes are made.

The Requisite is an Atlantic Fleet unit homeported in Philadelphia.

CARBON MESSENGER

Thursday at Carbon
 Eastland County Texas

Entered as second class matter at the Post Office at Carbon, Texas as under the act of Congress March 3, 1879

W. M. Dunn Publisher

Prescription Service

Let us serve you with your Prescription and Cosmetic Needs
Shelby Corner Drug
 GORMAN, TEXAS

Amana Freezers

Several sizes to choose from
 Come in and see these new Freezers and Refrigerators
 And Get Our Low Prices

Cisco Locker Plant
Locker Rental & Meat Processing

WELCOME! TO OUR ANNUAL FESTIVAL IN DE LEON

August 5th Thru 8th

While here visit the largest Peach Orchard in Texas

W. H. Smith Drygoods
 De Leon Texas

Welcome TO OUR ANNUAL PEACH & MELON FESTIVAL IN DE LEON

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Bring The Entire Family, Meet The Old Friends
Whom You Haven't Seen In Years
August 5th Thru 8th
Farmers and Merchant Bank
De Leon
Texas



Fort Blair Formally Marked; Central Cemetery Cleaned

A marker for Old Fort Blair, near Desdemona, was erected last Wednesday by the highway engineers, according to Mike Collins, chairman of the Eastland County Historical Survey Committee. Date for the dedication ceremonies will be announced later.

Clarence Dill of Cisco has just completed removing trees and other overgrowth from the Central Cemetery, located halfway between Eastland and Cisco; also concerning this cemetery, the State Highway Dept. has offered to remove

trees, build an additional road to the cemetery and set corners for a fence.

Dixie Drive-In

Hi-way 80—2 mi. east of Eastland
Box office opens 7:30
First showing 8:00
Box Office closes 9:30
Admission 60c
Children under 12 Free
Each Wed. & Thurs. are
Bargain Nights—Adults 25c

Fri-Sat.

Walt Disney's
"A Tiger Walks"
Brian Keitn Vera Miles

Sun, Mon, Tues.

"Where Love Has Gone"
Susan Hayward Bettie Davis

Wednesday Thursday

"Baby The Rain Must Fall"
Steve McQueen
Lee Remick Don Murray

Issue Dates For Surplus Food Given

The next issue date for the Surplus Foods for Rising Star, Okra, Carbon, Gorman and Desdemona is Tuesday, Aug. 10, according to an announcement by J. W. Elder, Sr, administrator

Dr. G. M. Cleveland
OPTOMETRIST
Cisco, Texas

Browsing With Bev

Recently, we took a look at the classification of the natural fibers. This week, let's study the man-made fibers. Remember, it's important to learn the Generic name (The name underlined), the characteristics of each family and the trade-mark names in each family.

(AND TRIACETATE)
ACETATE
Characteristics: Crisp or soft, depending on end use. Drapes well. Dries quickly. Subject to fume fading, unless solution dyed. Low durability.

Triacetate is less sensitive to heat and acetone and possesses good wet strength.

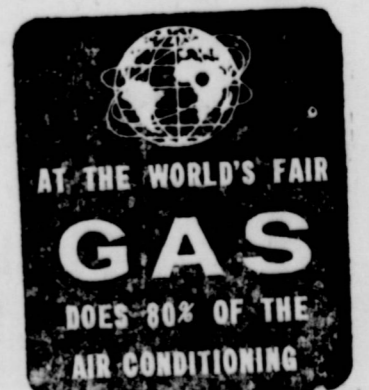
Uses: Light and medium weight clothing. Used in home furnishings.

Care: May be laundered, wetcleaned or drycleaned. Will glaze and melt at low temperature in ironing or pressing.

Trade-Mark Names: Avicol-or, Avisco Acetate, Celanese Acetate, Celepeon*, Celaspun, Dupont Acetate, Acele, Colored Acetate Estron, Cromspun*, Arnel 60, Celaloff.

*Solution-dyed.

Five-Minute Self Service Car Wash, 25c. Across street northwest from postoffice, Eastland.



Pioneer Natural Gas Company

COUNTY TREASURER REPORT Quarter Ending June 30, 1965

FUNDS	Balances 3-31-1965	Quarterly Receipts	Quarterly Disburse- ments	Balances 6-30-1965
Jury Fund	\$ 6,372.90	\$ 300.04	\$ 3,081.81	\$ 3,591.13
Road & Bridge Fund	54,032.23	100,832.34	75,861.30	79,003.27
Lateral Road & Bridge, Co. Wide	0	0	0	0
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 1	9,083.02	17,500.00	12,279.12	14,303.90
Lateral Road & Bridge, Prect. No. 1	4,896.54	0	0	4,896.54
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 2	2,089.25	17,507.50	22,386.62	2,789.87
Lateral Road & Bridge, Prect. No. 2	267.88	0	0	267.88
Road & Bridge, Prect. No. 3	6,754.21	17,500.00	10,682.00	13,572.21
Lateral Road & Bridge, Prect. No. 3	2,530.23	0	0	2,530.23
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 4	4,109.32	17,596.00	11,463.12	10,242.20
Lateral Road & Bridge, Prect. No. 4	12,736.93	0	0	12,736.93
General Fund	65,886.80	5,915.98	25,452.18	46,350.60
Permanent Improvement Fund	2,748.54	4.75	0	2,753.29
Officers Salary Fund	* 11,980.78	21,099.46	27,522.73	* 18,404.05
Road & Bridge Sinking Fund	28,333.92	400.93	15,446.25	13,288.60
County Farm Fund	4,067.36	245.03	9.40	4,302.99
Withholding Tax Fund	1,602.00	4,871.60	4,875.00	1,598.60
Social Security Tax Fund	8,093.96	4,280.04	4,246.31	8,127.69
Western Republic Life Ins. Fund	0	266.00	266.00	0
Blue Cross - Blue Shield Ins. Fund	0	2,046.55	2,046.55	0
Grand Total All Funds:	\$201,624.31	\$210,366.22	\$215,618.39	\$196,372.14

* Denotes Deficits

BONDED & WARRANT INDEBTEDNESS:

R & B Refunding Bonds - 1953 (1)	\$ 7,000.00
R & B Refunding Bonds - 1953 (2)	4,000.00
Warrants - Precinct No. 1, 1961	2,000.00
Warrants - Precinct No. 1, 1962	9,000.00
Warrants - Precinct No. 1, 1964	8,000.00
Warrants - Precinct No. 2, 1963	8,100.00
Warrants - Precinct No. 2, 1963	8,211.60
Warrants - Precinct No. 3, 1963	3,750.00
Warrants - Precinct No. 4, 1963	3,785.00
Warrants - Precinct No. 4, 1963	5,000.00

Grand Total Indebtedness June 30, 1965 \$58,846.60

On this the 26th day of July, 1965, the Commissioners Court of Eastland County, Texas, examined this quarterly report of Ellen Justice, Treasurer of said County and found same to be correct.
(Signed)

SCOTT BAILEY
County Judge

DANNY WOODS
Commissioner Precinct No. 1

GLENN JUSTICE
Commissioner Precinct No. 2

L. J. COLLINS
Commissioner Precinct No. 3

CLARENCE B. DILL
Commissioner Precinct No. 4