

Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas and Don were in Abilene Saturday to attend the wedding of Miss Mary Cluck and Jimmy Prater which was held in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church at 8 p.m. Miss Cluck is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Cluck, Rev. Cluck having served as interim pastor of the Baptist Church here for the past several months and Mr. Prater is a relative of the Nicholas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Murray and son of Pleasanton visited her mother, Mrs. Callie Vaughn, and his mother, Mrs. E. E. Murray, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hines of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCurry of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines during the weekend.

Mrs. Billy Tucker and children of Rankin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abbott, last weekend they also visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Guy of Visalia, Calif. visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers, this week. Also his brothers, J. W. and Otis Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Petree, and Miss Jewel Petree, accompanied by Buster Ables of Priddy, were in Turkey, Texas last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Joe Reeman. She was a sister of Mrs. Hogan and Miss Petree.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Guy of Abilene visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tucker, last weekend.

Granvill Jones of Fort Worth visited his aunt, Mrs. Ella McNeese, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Harter of Cisco visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White, Sunday.

Mrs. D. S. Gothard of O'Brien visited her mother, Mrs. H. C. Wharton, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cavanaugh and children of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Lee Hays of Irving spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bell and son of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell, last weekend to be with Mrs. Campbell who was recovering from minor surgery.

Jerrel Cates and family of San Antonio visited during the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park were in Stephenville last Friday on business.

Claudette Collins of Abilene attended the Mardi Gras in New Orleans, La. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mangum and children of Nederland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tucker and his mother, Mrs. Bernice Mangum, last weekend.

Gene Butler who has been seriously ill for some time, was taken to the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring Wednesday where his condition is unchanged.

Tickets On Sale For Homecoming Barbecue July 3

Starting this week we will endeavor to print some names of those who write in for tickets to the barbecue which will be held Saturday, July 3, 1965 around 6 p.m. following the all day Homecoming at Carbon High School. This homecoming is for all ex-students or any interested persons who wish to attend.

To get your ticket, write, "Homecoming" Box 550, Carbon, Texas and you will receive your tickets and the information you desire. Tickets are \$1.00 each.

The following have already bought tickets:

P. L. Crossley, Lubbock; Mrs. W. P. Gilbert, Spu; Robert E. Speer, Haskell; C. L. Speer, Abilene; W. W. Speer, Port Neches; W. C. Jordan, Imperial, Calif.; Mrs. J. L. Owen, Eastland.

Carbon Hogs 19-B Honors With 7 Named

Leading the 19-B all-district selections made by the league coaches is Carbon, which won both the boys and girls basketball championships.

Carbon placed two boys on the first team, two on the second and three on honorable mention; and had two girls on the first team, three on the second and two on

New Pastor Moved Tuesday Into Parsonage

Members of the Carbon Baptist Church moved Rev. Moody Smith and family from San Saba into the parsonage here Tuesday and Rev. Smith has assumed his duties as pastor of the church. New tile has been laid on all the floors of the parsonage and the building is being underpinned. Again we welcome the Smith family to our town and hope their stay here will be a happy one.

Young Farmers Meeting Here March 22

Arlis W. Adickes, sales representative for International Mineral and Chemical Corporation of Fort Worth, will meet with the Carbon young farmers March 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the agriculture building.

Mr. Adickes will discuss the problems of fertilization, kinds of fertilizer, the elements and minerals and also show a film. All farmers and interested persons are invited to attend this meeting.

Fruit Trees Doing Well Says Mr. Cooper

FRUIT TREES in the county are doing well, according to County Agent J. M. Cooper, who reports that only the Bruce plum, an extremely

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honorable mention. BOYS — first team — Hook, Putnam; Fox, Olden; Stacy, Carbon; Warren, Carbon; J. Isenhower, Putnam.

Second team — Stoval, Moran; Rodgers, Gorman; Cook, Carbon; B. Isenhower, Putnam; Harle, Carbon.

Honorable Mention — Foster, Gorman; Smith, Gorman; Duncan, Carbon; Allison, Carbon; Hughes, Carbon; Martin, Moran; Walker, Olden, Johnson, Putnam.

GIRLS — first team — forwards: N. Fuller, Moran; Noris, Carbon; Rodgers, Gorman; guards: Cates, Carbon; McLemore, Moran; Jarret, Gorman.

Second team — forwards: Dennis, Moran; Jackson, Carbon; Justice, Carbon; guards: Isenhower, Putnam; Jackson, Carbon; Martin, Moran.

Honorable Mention — forwards: D. Fuller, Moran; Garner, Olden; S. Petty, Putnam; J. Petty, Putnam; Shell, Gorman; guards: Johnson, Carbon; Wagley, Putnam; Burgess, Gorman; Campbell, Carbon.

County Livestock Show Ready for March 11 Date

The 1965 version of the Eastland County stock show—picture window of an annual \$4,000,000 livestock industry—will get underway Thursday, March 11, at the show ground, a mile northwest of Eastland with some 500 animals on exhibit.

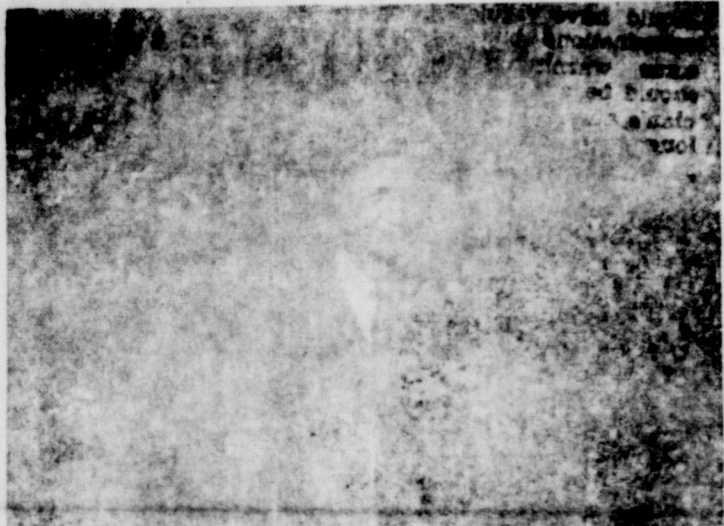
All animals must be entered and in their places by 10 p.m. on that date, according to show officials. The affair is sponsored by the county livestock raisers organization. Sam Kimmell, Cisco, is president. Robert Kincaid, Morton Valley, is general superintendent. Both are county ranchers.

Judging of the animals will begin the next day at 8 a.m. with a full schedule of activities until the auction of the fat lambs, pigs and steers at the Eastland Sales barn, a mile east on Highway 89 on Saturday night.

The annual parade to formally open the show will, as usual, be sponsored by the

County Sheriff's Posse at 2 p.m. on Friday, according to Captain Bill Cagle. Many riding clubs and high school bands in the area are expected to participate in the colorful affair. Judges for the floats in the parade will be representatives of the five banks over the county.

Another feature will be a 4-H Club and FFA judging contest on Friday night. Banners and awards to high teams and individuals will be furnished by the Commercial State Bank, Ranger, according to C. W. Gilliam, banker, who also is vice president of the livestock association. Over \$1000 in cash prizes will be awarded to the youth-ful owners of the best animals. Adults will compete for ribbons on the best goat. The Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, the Angelo, will award medals also to the grand champion billy and the grand champion fine wool ram.



COLLIE PORTRAIT — A new portrait of the late Judge Turner M. Collie hangs in the 91st District Courtroom on the third floor of the Eastland County courthouse. Unveiled in ceremonies this past week, the portrait of Judge Collie joins that of Judge George Davenport, now retired and living in Fort Worth, behind the bench in the courtroom. Judge Davenport and Judge Collie were the first and second judges to preside in the local court.

Trustee Election Is Called For April 3rd

The trustees of the Carbon Independent School District have ordered an election to be held April 3, 1965 for the purpose of electing two members to the School Board for a three-year term. J. L. McDaniel and Truett Norris whose terms are expiring, have filed for re-election.

B. W. Wyatt has filed for a

Ballew Elected President Of Hospital Board

Dr. Charles Ballew of Cisco was elected president of the County Hospital Board at a meeting Monday night, March 1, in Ranger.

Dr. Ballew has served one year of a five year term on the board. He is health officer for the City of Cisco.

place on the ballot.

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Cancer Is Major Child Killer, Reports Head Of County ACS Unit

"More school children will die of cancer this year than from any other disease," said Sam Kimmell of Cisco, chairman of the Eastland County chapter of the American Cancer Society. "That's why so many mothers will be working on the Cancer Drive early in April."

"About half of the cancer deaths in children are from leukemia, which is a cancer of the blood-forming tissue, but this type of cancer is not primarily a disease of children. There is an increasing rate among adults," Kimmell reported.

"The American Cancer Society is currently supporting more research on leukemia than on any other form of cancer and many scientists believe that cures will be found for leukemia sooner than for any other cancer. We are seeing some progress now because we have drugs which can extend the lives of children with acute leukemia for many months and in some cases for as long as seven or eight years."

"Like adults, children should have regular physical examinations but there are some warning signs that should be called to the physician's attention if they persist longer than two weeks. We

urge parents to watch for: swellings, lumps, or masses in any part of the body; pains, or the persistent crying of a baby or child, for which no reason can be found; any change in the size or appearance of outward growths, such as moles or birthmarks; nausea and vomiting for which there is no apparent cause; a marked change in bowel or bladder habits; bloody discharge of any sort; blood in the urine; heavy spontaneous nose bleeds or other type of hemorrhage; failure of bleeding to stop in the usual time after a cut or injury; unexplained stumbling in a child who has been walking well; a general "run-down" condition," Kimmell explained.

"We know," concluded Kimmell "that the people of Eastland County will be generous when their neighbors call on them in this year's education and fund raising drive."

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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. 7:00 p.m

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Rev. Lawrence Driskill
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m
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AUCTION

A total of 509 cattle, 114
hogs, 45 sheep and goats
were sold to 73 buyers at
the Eastland Auction sale last
Tuesday. There were 130
consignors.

Prices were reported as fol-
lows: butcher bulls, 15 to 18;
stocker bulls 15 to 20; butch-
er cows, 13 to 15.50; stocker
cows, 12 to 16; canners and
cutters, 9 to 13.50; butcher
calves, 16 to 20; stocker
calves (lt. choice) 18 to 26;
stocker calves (hvy. choice);
16 to 20; pairs of cows and
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hogs, 16.50 to 17.60; and sows,
12 to 16.

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been traced near Phoenix, Ari-
zona.

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

Hospital Bill Is Passed By House

The Texas House of Repre-
sentatives passed a bill to
permit the Cisco area to es-
tablish a hospital district on
second reading Wednesday
morning according to word
from Rep. Wayne Gibbens of
this district.

The bill will be up next
Wednesday for the third and
final reading, he reported, and
then it will be ready for the
governor's signature.

The measure, which origi-
nated in the Senate and pass-
ed there under the sponsor-
ship of Senator Tom Creigh-
ton, permits Precinct Four
(the Cisco area) of Eastland
County to hold an election on
the question of establishing a
hospital district.

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Fruit Trees

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early bloomer, and few in number in this county, has had it. Despite the changing weather from sunny, bright to freezing drizzle we've been having, the buds are holding back since there hasn't been prolonged warm spells. Wasn't last year's killing freeze about mid-March? Roaring wind has been constant companion this week, and if you look at the almanac hard enough, you'll find Spring is due Saturday, March 20.

Comanche Electric Co-Op Announces Capital Contest

All expense paid trips to the nation's capital city will be awarded to winners of an oratorical contest was announced this week by Bill Parks, manager of Comanche County Electric Cooperative.

The contest is open to any boy or girl at least 16 years of age but not 18 years of age prior to September 1, 1965. Mr. Parks said. Winners will join winners of similar contest sponsored by other electric cooperatives across Texas on the first annual Texas Electric Government in Action Youth Tour to Washington, D. C. All expenses of the 11 day trip beginning June 4, will be paid by Comanche County Electric Cooperative, Parks said.

Each entrant will be required to give a 3 to 5 minute talk on the subject "Rural Electrification — Good for all Americans" and answer one or more of the 50 questions asked by the judges. The oratorical contest will be judged on the basis of (1) knowledge of subject — 40%; (2) speaking ability — 30%; (3) poise — 10%; (4) personality — 10%;

Ivy Ferguson Top Exhibitor In Cisco Livestock Show

Ivy Ferguson, Cisco 4-H Clubber, showed the grand champion and reserve champion female hogs and the grand champion barrow during swine judging of the Cisco FFA and 4-H Livestock Show here last Friday.

The reserve champion barrow was shown by Darwin Pharr, and Allen Senterfitt,

FFA, won the showmanship award in swine judging.

Two 4-H'ers, Mike Farnsworth and Lynn Pippen, vied for the award for championship of the steer division Saturday, with Judge W. L. (Dub) Sims, vocational agriculture teacher of Eastland High School, finally giving the nod to Mike's "Jim," an 825 pound Angus. Sims picked Lynn's 900 pound Hereford, named "Ronnie," as reserve champion.

Mike's Angus was bred by Jim Sauls of Cisco, and Lynne's Hereford was from the herd owned by her father, Irvin Pippen. Both will be entered in the Eastland County Livestock Show to be held next Friday and Saturday in Eastland, along with nearly all other animals entered in the Cisco show.

The Ferguson girl was the top exhibitor in the show, winning the fat lamb competition and showing the grand champion ram. Bill Farnsworth showed the grand champion ewe and reserve mutton lamb.

Ten-year old Brit Ferguson, who showed his sister's cross-bred Hamp to the title, won the lamb showmanship award. Ross Honca, FFA, won the showmanship award in steer competition. Awards were provided by County Commissioner C. B. Dill of Precinct 4.

The show secretary, Judy Graham, who is sweetheart of the Cisco FFA Chapter, was assisted by Jeannie Bryant, runnerup in the sweetheart contest.

entertainment and refreshments.

Also included on the 11 day agenda will be visits to the following: George Washington's Mount Vernon home, Arlington National Cemetery, the U. S. House, the Department of Agriculture, the Smithsonian Institute, the U. S. Printing and Engraving Bureau, the Lincoln Memorial and other places of interest.

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Arthur Bishop Is Buried In Wednesday Rites

Funeral services for Arthur Bishop, 58, a resident of Eastland County all of his life, were conducted at 10 a. m. Wednesday at the Rust Funeral Home chapel in Cisco. He died shortly after suffering a heart attack Sunday night at a Wichita Falls hospital.

The Rev. Mart Agnew, Baptist minister, were in charge of the services, assisted by the Rev. Luther Pryor, Nazarene minister. Burial was in the Oakwood Cemetery beside his late parents.

Mr. Bishop, who was born Nov. 18, 1907 in Gorman, came to Cisco at age six. He was the last surviving member of his family and no near relatives were listed as survivors. He was well known here.

Named as pallbearers were W. V. Gardenhire, J. L. Thornton, W. W. Sawyers, S. A. Huestis, J. D. Lauderdale and Douglas Fry.

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