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Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy of Duncan, Okla. have announced the arrival of a daughter born February 24. She weighed 6 pounds and 10 ounces and has been named Al-mee Sue. She has a brother Gary, who is 9.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Murphy of Carbon and the maternal grandmother is Mrs. Bob Lane of Chilton.

Burl Nicholas and family of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas, and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert visited recently with their sons, Calvin Gilbert and family of Denton and John Kent Gilbert and family of Dallas. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hale of Weatherford where Mrs. Hale is seriously ill.

D. D. Sandlin and wife and daughter visited relatives in Springtown last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wilson of Fort Worth visited their sister, Mrs. Collin Campbell, and family last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bill and son of Fort Worth also visited her parents, the Collin Campbells, recently.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson last weekend were their children, Mrs. John Griffith and daughters of Midland, B. J. Jackson of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sims and children of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Putnam of Cisco visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair and children, Marsha, and Chuck, of Houston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines, last weekend. They were accompanied by a friend, Miss Jean Arnold, also of Houston. Rev. Charlie Cluck of Abilene visited in the home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Athol Cla-born of Trent visited her mother, Mrs. H. Hall, last week. Mrs. Will Lovell is visiting her son, Clyde Lovell, of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butler and son of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Butler, and Gene Butler, during the weekend.

Mrs. H. R. Gilbert of Gorman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner of Levelland, Mrs. Archie Turner of Abilene, Kenneth Turner of Houston, Miss Jan-jie Gray of Austin and Don Bennett and family of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Guendolyn Hogan and four daughters of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Lindley and two daughters of Desdemona visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Vadis Phelps, last weekend.

Don Nicholas and Alvie Allison attended the basketball game between the Eastland Mavericks and Millsap played at Denton last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hall-mark and John Collins of Eastland attended the regional basketball tournament in Stephenville last Friday.

Mrs. Lucille Teete of Downy, Calif. is visiting her mother, Mrs. Celia Putnam.

Sam Gorman and family of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Under-wood, recently.

KENDALL EUGENE ANDERSON

Mr. and Mrs. Al Anderson announce the birth of a son, Kendall Eugene, at 6:20 p.m. Monday, March 1, in Graham Hospital. The new arrival weighed eight pounds, 14 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Hale of Cisco.

NEW LOAN PROGRAM READY TO BENEFIT FARM FAMILIES

A new loan program, recently announced by the Farmers Home Administration, is designed to help rural families finance enterprises that will improve their incomes, according to County Agricultural Agent, J. M. Cooper.

The FHA County Supervisor, H. P. Cole, has informed Mr. Cooper that the new loans are a part of the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. They can provide up to \$2,500 for up to 15 years at a 4½ percent interest rate. Rural residents can get the loans on the basis of their ability and character.

According to Mr. Cole, the loans are for people who know a good way to increase their income, but who cannot readily get financing through regular credit channels.

MOD Drawing To An End

Mrs. Wanda Bryant local chairman of the Mothers March of Dimes, announced this week that plans are to complete the March by Friday of this week. If you have not been contacted and wish to give to the cause, please contact Mrs. Bryant or one of the following workers: Mmes. Gwen Garrett, Margie Lasater, Willo Rice, Martha Wood, Lavene Stubblefield, Bertha Dunn.

Mrs. Monie Faye Warren and Mrs. Marcell Justice, of the entertainment committee, plan to present some form of entertainment for this cause as soon as it can be worked out and it will be announced in this paper.

Correction

In last week's Messenger it was stated that Rev. Moody Smith, new pastor for Carbon Baptist Church, would move into the parsonage this week and be here to begin his work Sunday. This was in error as Rev. Smith will deliver his farewell message at San Saba Sunday and will move here next week and begin his work Sunday, March 14. We are sorry for this error and are glad to make the correction.

Rev. Cluck, interim pastor, will fill the pulpit again here Sunday morning and evening.

Truman Snell and family of Odessa spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. F. H. Snell.

Feed Grain Program Explained By Office

Countians signing up for the 1965 feed grain program were numerous at the beginning of the sign-up period, Feb. 8, Gilbert Meredith, Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Committee manager, has announced, but has slowed down to about "15 a day now." Deadline for signing up is March 26.

He explained the program briefly as follows, and announced that further information can be obtained from his office:

"The program for 1965 is basically the same as in 1964.

"It is voluntary and combines corn, grain sorghum, and barley in a single base.

"Participating farmers will qualify for diverted-acre payments and price-support payments, and they will be eligible for price-support loans. "It offers producers another opportunity to reduce the grain surplus while maintaining, or improving feed grain income.

"It will also exert a stabilizing influence on feed grain prices. Participation of more than a million farmers in each of the 1961, 1962, 1963, and 1964 programs will result in reducing the feed grain carryover stocks from 35 mil-

lion tons down to about 58 million tons.

"The 1965 program provides these improvements over the 1964 program:

"Opportunity to substitute wheat for feed grains by growers who take part in both programs.

"A special provision for certain varieties of matting barley.

PARTICIPATION CHOICES

"Each feed grain producer who takes part may choose the eligible cropland to come out of feed production and go into conserving uses. To meet the needs of most farmers, the program provides a range in the acreage which may be diverted:

1. The smallest acreage of cropland that can be diverted for payment is 20 per cent of the feed grain base for the farm.

2. The largest acreage on which payment can be made for diversion is 50 per cent of the farm's feed grain base, or 25 acres if this is more than 50 per cent of the base. However, payment will not be made on more acres than are in the base. (No change from 1964 program except when an oat-rye base is established.)"

Cemetery Information Sought By Committee

The help of all Eastland County citizens is being asked in the recording of historical data about county cemeteries by the Eastland County Historical Association, Chairman Mike Collins of Eastland has announced.

A map of the county has been begun and 53 burial sites have been plotted, and material is being assembled now on specified historical notes about the various cemeteries, he said.

Persons knowing factual information about the various cemeteries in the county — little notes, unusual persons buried, and other historical information — are invited to make this information known to the committee.

The county has been divided into segments with chairmen named in each area to collect and forward the information for inclusion in permanent records.

Named to date are Berry Greenwood of Carbon, Gene Baker of Gorman, Joe Dennis of Ranger, Mrs. Alex Spears of Cisco, Mrs. Lee White of Rising Star, and Charles Freyschlag and Mrs. Ar-

thur Murrell, both of Eastland. Persons wishing to pass information about the cemeteries may contact these people or contact the county committee by addressing Post Office Box 356, Eastland. Chairmen will be named for Olden and Desdemona.

For instance a report has already been turned in showing that a man is buried in the Jewel Cemetery, who lived during George Washington's day — which is not unusual for New England cemeteries, but quite unique for the Southwestern area.

The record project is expected to take perhaps a year, Collins said, and others will be undertaken later to record histories of the county's mail service, newspapers, banks, churches and schools. These histories will be edited from citizens' reports and bound into permanent volumes for an assembled record of the county.

The County historical group is also still interested in locating the burial places of Confederate soldiers, for whom plaques are available.

Friday and Saturday

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Bowling Awards Presented At Annual Banquet

Trophies for City Tournament winners were awarded at the annual Eastland County Bowling Association banquet last Friday night at the Victor Hotel in Cisco.

Winners were announced and trophies presented as follows:

Teams — first place, Cohen Salvage; Helga Tiner, Winette Maynard, Coleta Heard, and Modelle Gann; second Scott's Bait House; Hattie Weathers, Ehel Scott, Joyce Hoover, and Lavelle Johnson; third, Altman's; Sarah Peel, Lanelle Temple, Jane Carter, and Eula Smallwood.

Doubles — first place, Lee Spradling and Stella Gann; second, Ima Ruth Taylor and Gladys Mangum; third, Louise White and Betty Maynard.

Singles — first place, Helga Tiner; second, Louise Jordan; third, Betty Thurman.

All events — first place

Coleta Heard; second, Helga Tiner.

President of the association is Helga Tiner. Wanda Strother and Betty Maynard were in charge of banquet arrangements.

July average temperature in Eastland County is 63 degrees.

We see only half of the moon's surface because it always turns the same face toward the earth.

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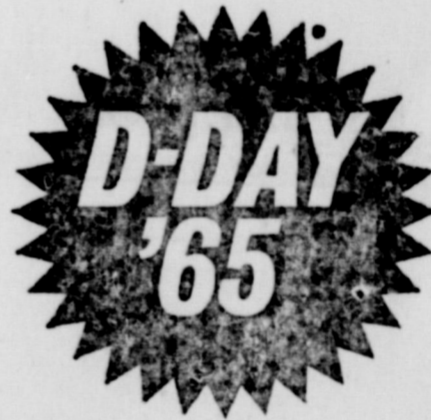
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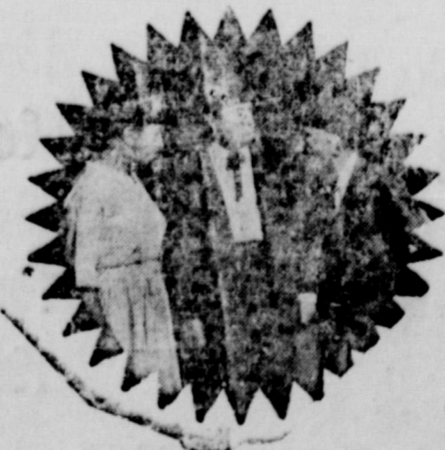
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Charlie Cluck, Interim Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
L. V. Jackson, Supt.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
WMU Monday 2:00 p.m.
Mrs. Elizabeth Sendlin, Pres.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:00 p.m.

Methodist Church

Rev. Lawrence Driskill
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 11:00 a.m.

Notice

We have installed a glass vault for our vegetables and fruits which is refrigerated so you can be assured of fresh crisp produce. Also a large selection of fresh vegetables and fruits.

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WASHERS 20c per load
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Eastland, Texas

CARBON MESSENGER
Dated Thursday at Carbon Eastland County Texas
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W. M. Darn, publisher

Issue Dates For Surplus Food Given

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

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

The last Tasmanian native died in 1876.

Over 250 miles of ancient Indian irrigation canals have been traced near Phoenix, Arizona.

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Frances Cleveland was the first presidential wife to campaign openly for her husband's reelection.

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MR. BURLESON

El Paso Man Is Named District Farm Agent

John E. Burleson, El Paso County Agricultural Agent since 1960, on March 1 will become district agricultural

agent for Extension District 8 with headquarters at Stephenville. Burleson replaces R. G. Burwell who retired on January 31, 1965. The Central Texas district is composed of 20 counties, including Eastland County.

In making the announcement, Director John E. Hutchison, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said Burleson has made an outstanding record in each of the positions he has held since joining the Extension Service in 1951. He is a native of Eastland County but did most of his growing up on a Comanche County farm.

The new district agent is a graduate of De Leon High School, Tarleton State College and Texas Technological College with a B. S. degree in horticulture. He has also done graduate work during summer sessions at Texas A&M and Colorado State Universities and regular sessions at Texas Western College. He served in the U. S. Navy during 1945 and 1946.

Burleson was first employed by the Texas Extension Serv-

Miss Allen Weds Mr. Mangum In Albany Rites

Miss Ginger Gail Allen of Albany and Robert Lee Mangum of Cisco were married in ceremonies performed Friday, Feb. 19, in the Albany Trinity Lutheran Church. Rev. Marion Von Rentzell officiated for the double ring rites.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer W. Allen of Albany, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Evelyn Mangum of Cisco and Maurice Mangum of Abilene.

Mrs. Bobby Parrott of Woodson was matron of honor for her sister. Miss Nell Coffman and Miss Myra Haggood lighted candles.

Stacey Parrott was ring bearer, and Miss Tamra Parrott was flower girl.

Bobby Maynard of Cisco was best man. Ushers were Leroy and Louis Mangum, brothers of the bridegroom, and Bobby and Johnny Isenhower, all of Cisco.

Music was presented by

Basketball News

The Carbon High School girls played their bi-district game with Brock Monday night at Stephenville, our girls losing by the score of 34 to 43. The Carbon girls played a good game, but was overpowered by a fast Brock team.

This ends basketball for this season which has been a good year for Carbon with both boys and girls winning the district.

The grade school boys and girls won second place in the Gorman tournament finals played Tuesday night. The boys lost to Eastland by the score of 29 to 23. Weldon Kanady and Ricky Pack were high scorers for Carbon, making 8 points each. The girls lost to Gorman 27 to 17. Joyce Casey won high score honors by making 13 points.

Mrs. Clayton Severson, organist, Miss Janet Dodgen and Miss Ginger Dennis, vocalists.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin gown fashioned with bell skirt and modified train. Sleeves and bodice overlay were of alencon lace. Narrow cummerbund and streamers were satin with reembroidered lace with seed pearl trim. A white satin cabbage rose held her butterfly veil of tulle.

Red carnations centered the bouquet of candytuft and white carnations she carried on a long-stem rose.

A reception honoring the couple was held in the Fellowship Hall.

Following a wedding trip to Fort Worth, the couple is at home at 203 N. Dixie, Eastland. Mrs. Mangum is a senior at Eastland High School, and Mr. Mangum, a graduate of Cisco High School, is employed as a mechanic by Fullen Motor Company, Eastland.

The bridegroom hosted the rehearsal dinner at Carter's Restaurant, Albany.

Public School Week March 1 to 5

All patrons invited to visit schools Thursday - Friday

MARCH 1 to 5 is Public Schools Week in Texas and it has been so proclaimed by Governor John Connally. This is an annual event to give emphasis to the growing importance of education in our community and the nation.

Parents and patrons have been invited and encouraged to visit the public schools during the special week. Public School Week is a good time to offer a word of appreciation to the teachers, administrators and trustees who make it possible for our town to have a school system that is a real credit to us all.

It is especially fitting, in our opinion, to say thanks at least once a year to the school trustees. These men are volunteers in civic harness — men who do a lot of work each month in the interest of public progress. And their only reward is the making a valuable contribution to the entire community.

We know that you'll want to join us in an expression of well done to these men as well as to the teachers and the officials.

AUCTION

A total of 604 cattle, 112 hogs, and 59 sheep and goats were sold to 68 buyers at the Eastland Auction sale last Tuesday. There were 153 consignors.

Prices were reported as follows: butcher bulls 16 to 18.2 cents; stocker bulls 15 to 21; butcher cows 13 to 14.6; stocker cows 12 to 18.5; canners and cutters 8 to 13.5; butcher calves 17 to 21; stocker calves (Lt. choice) 18 to 22.5; stocker calves (Hvy. choice) 17 to 21; pairs of cows and calves \$140 to \$178; butcher hogs 16.5 to 17.6; sows 12 to 16.

For Sale

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