

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Collins of Stephenville announce the arrival of a son, William Andrew, (Little Bill) in the Gorman Hospital on Sunday, June 17. He weighed 7 lb. 2 oz. and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins and Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of Carbon. Pat is employed by the Stephenville Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Stone have returned home from an 11 day vacation to Denver, Colo. where their son, Sam, and family joined them for a trip to Cheyenne, Wyo. back through the Estes Park area of the Rocky Mountains. On their return trip home they visited the Royal Gorge Bridge and visited 2 days with their daughter, Mrs. Tom Ireland, and family of Lubbock.

Recent visitors in the R. L. Wyatt home were Bob Melton and wife of Odessa, Gill Wyatt of Monday and Bell Williams of Comanche.

Mrs. L. E. Tonn and children of Waco visited her parents, Elmer Bethany and wife, this week.

Euell Allison and family of Arlington visited their parents, Ed Allison and Henry Lovell and wife, this week.

George Boles and family of Sundown were week end guests of her parents, O. C. Payne and wife.

Mrs. L. D. McCurry and children of Norman, Okla. spent the week end with her parents, Henry Hines and wife.

Rev. Cullen Hawkins and wife of Corpus Christi visited her mother, Mrs. C. M. Burnett, this week.

J. S. Craddock and family of Colorado City and Roberta Gilbert of Fort Worth were recent visitors with their parents, Hubbard Gilbert and wife. Berta and Dana Craddock remained for a visit with their grandparents.

Floyd Couch and wife of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. W. C. Couch Sunday.

Rev. Roger Butler, accompanied by Billy Sandlin, Odis Jordan, Bob Hogan and Lynn Gray, left Monday for Lueders to attend the Royal Ambassador Camp for District 17. The G. A. and Y. W. A. Camp begins next Monday in Lueders.

Mrs. M. V. Crossley of Ranger visited Mrs. Minnie Ferguson and other friends here last week.

Rayneal Baze and family were home from Denton for the week end.

Mrs. W. O. Hamilton accompanied her son-in-law, Tommy Woody, to Stamford Tuesday for a visit with her daughter and family.

B. J. Jackson of Odessa spent the week end with his parents, A. S. Jackson and wife.

Jack Brown and family of Midland and Elvis Vaughn and family of Oklahoma spent the week end with their parents, Leaster Vaughn and wife.

Blanche Yarbrough of Odessa is visiting her father, E. R. Yarbrough.

Walter Wyatt and wife accompanied their son, C. M. Wyatt, and wife of Odessa, to Kansas City this week to visit a brother of Mr. Wyatt whom he had not seen for 32 years.

Eckard Fokes and wife of Carbon Hill, Ala. visited W. S. McGaha and Mrs. W. O. Hamilton this week.

## To Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wescott will celebrate their Golden Wedding anniversary in the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. S. Perdue, 401 E. Conner, Eastland, with open house from 3 to 5 p. m. on July 1, 1956. All of their friends have a special invitation to call on them.

Gaicho is the name applied to the Argentine cowboy.

## Mrs. Graham Is Buried Sunday In Eastland

Funeral services for Mrs. Nora Graham were held Sunday at 2 p. m. in Hamner Funeral Chapel with interment in the Eastland cemetery. Rev. Richard Smith, Eastland Methodist pastor officiated with Rev. Barber assisting.

Born Nora Frances Morris in Garner, Ark. Feb. 10, 1862, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Morris of Carbon.

She was converted at the age of 12 and joined the Methodist Church, of which she remained a member throughout her life. She was married to J. E. Graham on Sept. 9, 1880 in Garner and in 1904 they moved from Arkansas to Carbon, where they lived for 26 years before moving to Eastland.

Ten children were born to this union four of whom preceded her in death. Mr. Graham also preceded her passing by 18 years.

Survivors include two sons, William Graham of Grand Prairie, Matt Graham of Colorado City; four daughters, Mrs. Raymond Noble of Searcy, Ark., Mrs. M. A. Clyatt of Eastland, Mrs. B. W. Feris of Stamford and Mrs. Ethel Smith of Freer; one brother, N. C. Morris of Eastland; four sisters, 19 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren and 10 great-great grandchildren.

Among those from Carbon attending the service were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ussery, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins.

## Political Rally Here Friday Night

Everyone is invited to come to a Political Rally Friday night, June 22, at 8 p. m. at Medford's Service Station in Carbon. This is sponsored by the Pleasant Hill Home Demonstration Club. All candidates are invited and urged to attend.

There will be music for entertainment also home made ice cream, cakes, pies, and sandwiches for sale.

Come and have a good time. Plenty of parking space.

P. M. Rhyne and family of Phillips are visiting his father, J. H. Rhyne, and other relatives here.

The pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock December 21, 1620.

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## COMMISSIONERS BUY NEW ROAD EQUIPMENT TO USE IN COUNTY

### Mrs. Grady Lanier Dies In Ft. Worth

Mrs. E. R. Butler received word last Thursday of the death of her sister, Mrs. Armand Lanier, of Fort Worth. She left immediately with her brother, Roland Lefevre, and family of Abilene to attend funeral services which were held Saturday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Lanier was found dead in bed about 4 p. m. Thursday by her son, Rex Lanier, and it was presumed she died in her sleep Wednesday night.

Mrs. Lanier was the widow of the late Grady Lanier who passed away in 1953. The Laniers are well remembered here and have many friends having lived in Carbon a number of years while he was a rural mail carrier. They moved from here to Eastland where he was connected with the postoffice, and later to Fort Worth where he was connected with the postoffice until his death.

Mrs. Lanier is survived by two sons, Rex, of Fort Worth and Max of California and a host of other relatives and friends.

## Record Crop Seen For County Pecan Growers In 1956

A record pecan crop is in prospect for Eastland County, according to County Agent J. M. Cooper, who reports that he has never seen a bigger crop of pecans set on the trees at this time of the year.

In spite of heavy freezes and hails which inflicted damage to the county peach crop, Mr. Cooper stated that growers over the county would make a one-third peach crop generally, and that some will make a one-half crop or better.

Other fruit, such as pears and apples, also will yield fair crops according to the present growing indications.

With adequate moisture for planting in most parts of the county, the general agriculture outlook is better than it has been in a number of years. The southern part of the county has benefited most from the recent rains, and if the rains continue through

Individual low bids were accepted on two pieces of road machinery at the Monday meeting of the Eastland County Commissioners Court. Total cost of the new road maintenance equipment which the commissioners voted to pay is \$21,007.

A low bid of \$9507 on a 1 1/2 yard front-end Caterpillar Tractor was made by the General Texas Machine Co., and a Model HD516 track machine was purchased from Shaw Equipment Co. for \$11,509 with a trade-in allowance for an old machine. The Tractor will be used in Precinct 2 and the track machine is for use in Precinct 3. Both will be paid for with monies from the road and bridge fund of the two precincts. Sealed bids on the two machines were received from both companies.

A request by County Clerk Johnson Smith for a microfilm machine was refused because of lack of funds, according to a statement made by the commissioners. Smith had asked for the machine so that permanent copies could be made of all existing birth certificates and other county records. His request stated that the cost of the machine was \$550, while the cost of making the records permanent by present means would be several thousand dollars. The commissioners agreed to consider the machine's purchase at a later time.

The recommendations of the 91st Court grand jury that an air conditioner be purchased for the jail living quarters was considered at the Monday meeting, but action was postponed pending further investigation.

Repairs and improvements to a county road for which the court has secured a new right-of-way will necessitate the moving of a Sinclair oil line which runs under the pavement. The oil company has asked that the county pay for laying of their lines under the new right-of-way, but the Commissioners Court voted not to do so.

the summer, the outlook for peanut and feed crops is excellent, Mr. Cooper said.

Pastures are in poor condition in Eastland County where the grass cover has been lost because of lack of rain and overgrazing. This exists in the tight land areas, and in the sandy land areas, the range is reported to be in fair condition.

Mr. Cooper also reported that most of the major pecan growers in the county have sprayed their orchards against the pecan nut case bearer in the past week which will insure a better quality of pecan.

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### First Baptist Church

Rev. Roger Butler, Pastor  
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
 J. E. Jackson, Superintendent  
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
 Training Union 8:00 p. m.  
 Evening worship 8:30 p. m.  
 W. M. U. Monday 2 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting Wed. 7:30 p. m.  
 Note: The Brotherhood will be glad to take the elderly people home from church for the asking morning and night.

### Methodist Church

Ross S. Grace, pastor  
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
 Youth meeting 6:00  
 Evening Services 7:00 p. m.

### Church Of Christ

We invite you to come be with us each Lord's Day.  
 Milton Underwood Minister  
 Bible Study 10:00 a. m.  
 Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
 Lord's Supper 11:40 a. m.  
 Young people's class 6:30 p.  
 Preaching 7:30 p. m.

### Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 24, 1956.  
**For Assessor-Collector**  
 J. G. Allison  
 Truly Carter  
**For Congress, 17th District**  
 Dan Kralis  
**For County Attorney**  
 J. M. Nuesle  
 Earl Conner, Jr.  
**State Senator Dist. 22**  
 Floyd Bradshaw

### Annual Callahan Pioneer Reunion To Be August 10

The annual Callahan County Pioneer Association reunion is to be held in the Cross Plains city park on Friday, August 10, according to an announcement made by Bob Norrell, president of the association. Committees to handle the arrangements for the reunion were appointed at a meeting held at the Court House in Baird Saturday.  
 Plans are to be completed at a meeting in Baird on Friday, July 27, with all committees to be present.

Officers of the association are Bob Norrell, president; Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, vice-president; S.

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## 'THE BIG BRIBE'

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It is axiomatic that in any money system there has been the practice of borrowing and lending money. Debtors who are unable or unwilling to satisfy their debtors will either dislike their creditors or do anything to avoid payment.

In this case, our government does not want our foreign friends to dislike us or go Communist. So, it just gives our money to our "foreign" friends and excuses itself by saying we are protecting ourselves when we give our money away to the "foreign" friends. Protecting us from what?

All of these incredible handouts all over the world shows up in the problem which keeps all of us worried — earning a living.

All of these billions are being raised not to defend us, but to defend something called the "free world" which is laughing at us right now.

We cannot buy friends. Do you know where Cambodia is? Well, we have been giving Cambodia fifty million dollars per year. The Prime Minister of Cambodia is really laughing at us. He isn't going to fight any Communists for us, but they are really enjoying the handout.

Our government gave Great Britain a grant of two hundred million dollars — OUR TAX DOLLARS — to finance a tax cut to the British. Our own government is bleeding us to cut our foreign friends' taxes.

We also gave Denmark one hundred million of our hard earned tax dollars to pay off a debt Denmark owed. We have literally thrown away well over one hundred billion of our tax dollars. This is part of our national debt. The government takes it away from us and then beats us over the head each year making we the people pay over a billion and a half dollars interest on our own money which it gave away to our foreign friends to cut their taxes and make them richer and to keep them liking us and from going Communist. We even pay them rent, ransom, or bribe money to build airports for our bombers and fighter planes to protect them. Yet our government says we must keep this up forever to protect ourselves.

What would these billions have done for we the people? New schools, health, slum clearance, rural rehabilitation, reclamation, power development, churches, all by our own money if we abolish the progressive income tax law.

De we have to pay our foreign friends to be our friends? In foreign lands, where our tax dollars are going, the rich are getting richer. The poor are getting poorer. Our tax dollars have not helped the little man in the foreign lands. He is getting squeezed just as you are here.

This give-away program is treason to the American tax payer. We gave France ten billion of our tax dollars to keep it from going Communist. But at the last French election, over five million Frenchmen voted the Communist ticket! 150 Communists were elected to the French Assembly and are now spending our tax dollars with glee and joy. The French industrialist is getting richer and richer with our tax dollars while the French peasant and worker is getting poorer and poorer!

If we have any respect for the Constitution, we will put a stop to this Federal Despotism in Washington which can squander our tax dollars as it sees fit without the consent of we the people. These men who are elected and then forget that they are representing we the people, these outright dangerous politicians are at the bottom of all of our troubles. They entangle us in brawls of other nations, raise our national debt, tax us to death, and are leading us into a sickening slave state whereby the Federal government is usurping the State's powers and taking away our individual freedoms.

The low income people are paying 84% of the income taxes. You, the small businessman, the worker, the employee, are paying most of the income taxes so the politicians can give it away to our foreign friends who are not contributing anything to the cause of the free world but dragging us down in the muck and mire with them. All our foreign friends have been doing is holding their hands out and talking a pretty good game.

When the little man in America finally realizes he is paying most of the taxes, people will be elected who will go to Washington and bring an end to the useless bureaus, blunders, debts, and slave taxes and make the government our servant instead of our dictator. We don't have to be afraid of the Russians. If we don't have enough hydrogen and atomic bombs, missiles, and airplanes to do the job without losing our sons on foreign soil, we better get rid of our politicians and find out just how many of our tax dollars have gone down the drain. This is supposed to be the Atomic Age, push button warfare, hydrogen and atomic weapons of devastating force. We are told by the experts that if the Russians wanted to they could attack us on our own ground anytime and our "foreign friends" would be of little help. The only real necessity for foreign friends is to have air bases closer to Russia, and we really don't need them with recent developments taking place.

Jefferson said, "The God who gave us life gave us liberty at the same time." "Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I come not to send peace but a sword" — Jesus Christ, Matthew 10:34.

If we must give up our liberties, our freedoms, our pursuit of happiness to bribe our foreign friends to keep them from going communist and joining a Godless system that would enslave us and control our very thoughts, then I can only say to you, the people of the 17th Congressional District, that we have let down our founding fathers and Ben Franklin who, when he walked out of Convention Hall, past eighty years of age, stated that he gave us a republic if we could keep it. God willing, we can keep our republic and bring our government back home to us, and still remain the most powerful nation on earth, and the Russians, and our foreign friends will be looking up to us and seeking our friendship instead of our government acting like a little sissy bribing the bullies with candy to keep them from harming him.

(PAID POLITICAL ADVERTISING)

M. Eubanks, second vice-president; and Mrs. B. L. Boydston, secretary-treasurer.

### VA Cautions Vets About Home Loans

Veterans should not misunderstand a commonly used statement that Veterans Administration "approves" houses to be financed under the GI loan program, VA cautioned today.

VA said use of the word "approves" causes some veterans to believe the home is "approved or guaranteed" by VA.

VA has only the legal authority to appraise the house to make sure the price the veteran pays is not excessive in the housing market prevailing at the time the appraisal is made.

VA makes available an inspection service in most cases on proposed new homes to determine whether they meet accepted standards of good construction and whether they conform to plans and specifications on which VA's appraisal is based.

The terms "VA or GI financing" are allowed by VA, but the agency frowns on "GI or VA approved" since it gives veterans an erroneous impression.

The name, Minnesota, is derived from the two Sioux Indian words meaning "sky colored water."

The Mascot of Yale University is a bulldog.

On Oct. 3, 1941, Hitler announced that Russia was defeated, never to rise again.

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