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## Local News In Brief

Mrs. Monte Montgomery and daughter of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, W. J. Greer and wife.

Elsie Powell and family of Bermit visited his parents, Nathan Powell and wife, last week end.

J. C. Williams, wife and son of Jal. N. M. are visiting her mother and brother, Mrs. Laura Foley and Fred Foley and family.

Tommie Stacks and Mrs. W. J. Stacks of Fort Worth spent the week end with W. M. Medford and wife.

H. L. Mullins and family visited her parents in Beaumont and other relatives in Houston during the week end.

Mrs. Georgia Davis returned home Saturday after a 3-weeks visit with her son, V. K. Davis, and family of Baytown and her sister, Mrs. Roy Thurman, of Houston. Her son accompanied her home returning to Baytown Sunday.

M-Sgt. C. H. Jones, who has been stationed in the Near East, has returned to the States and is spending his furlough here with his family.

Wade White and wife visited their family and Basil White and family of Odessa over the week end.

Dean Turner and family and Don Bennett and family of Levelland spent the week end with their parents, L. T. Reese and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith and Robby were in Abilene Monday morning to attend Commencement exercises for Hardin Simmons University when their son, Roland Carl Smith, received his B. A. Degree.

O. Stone and wife spent last week end with their daughter, Mrs. Tom Ireland, and family of Lubbock.

Mrs. Bill Edmondson received a message Saturday of the death of her aunt, Mrs. John Lovett, of Dinuba, Calif. Burial was at 10 a. m. May 31 in Fresno, Calif. Deceased will be remembered by the older settlers here as Miss Florence Hardy.

Sam Seastrunk and family of Odessa spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Hallie Seastrunk and other relatives.

Buck Speer and family of Haskell and Claxton Speer and family of Tom Ball are visiting their mother, Mrs. Mae Speer, and other relatives.

Emy Phillips, who has been visiting his brother, J. Z. Phillips, and wife has returned to Jal. N. M. where he will visit relatives before returning to his home in California.

Sybie McDaniel has returned home from Tarleton State College where she has completed her two years there.

Mrs. Mamie Redwine visited her son, Frank Redwine, and family of Wichita Falls recently.

Steve J. Novak and family of Port Clinton, Ohio are visiting her parents, R. Holloway and wife, this week.

C. C. Taylor and family of Odessa are visiting her mother and brother, Mrs. J. S. Jackson and Ed Jackson.

Leland Jackson and family of Hobbs, N. M., John Griffith and family of Midland and B. J. Jackson of Odessa spent the week end with their parents, A. S. Jackson and wife.

Virgil Overstreet and family of Abilene visited her parents, Nick Duggan and wife, this week.

Cooter Ramsey and family of Morenci, Ariz. are visiting his parents, Ed Ramsey and wife.

A. A. Tate and wife of Abilene visited relatives here Wednesday.

## Former Carbon Boy Wins Honor

ARLINGTON--Johnnie W. Holloway, Arlington High School senior, was awarded a four-year engineering college scholarship by Chance Vought Aircraft, Inc.

Holloway and Robert G. Hanes of Sunset High School in Dallas, were the two winners in scholarships which were competed for by sixteen sons of Chance Vought Aircraft employees.

Presentation of the annual C. V. scholarship was made by F. D. Detweiler, president, at the Dallas plant. Both winners plan to enter the University of Texas in September.

Holloway's father, Johnnie A. Holloway, is employed in unit 266-1 as an assembler. Mrs. Holloway, a housewife, said the members of the family were all at home when they received the good news by letter.

"I got it! I got the scholarship!" the Arlington High student announced when he opened the letter. "It was one of the happiest surprises we have ever had," Mr. Holloway said.

The scholarships, awarded annually, are named in honor of the late Chance Milton Vought, pioneer pilot and aeronautical engineer, who founded in 1917 the company that bears his name.

Each scholarship provides for all tuition and laboratory fees plus a subsistence allowance of \$500 a year for a standard four-year course leading to a bachelor's degree in engineering.

An additional \$500 a year is given to privately endowed educational institutions in recognition of the fact that the tuition fees of such schools represent only a portion of the cost of education of each student.

Holloway plans to become a mechanical engineer. While in high school he favored track in athletics and plans to try out for the track squad at Texas University next fall.

Selection of the winners was made by a board of educators not connected with the company. The choices were based on each candidate's school record, his performance in a College Entrance Board Examination, and reports from principals, teachers and in-

## Queen Contest To Be Held Again By Farm Bureau

The Eastland County Farm Bureau will sponsor a queen contest again this year, according to a decision of the board of directors at a meeting recently. The county event will be part of a statewide queen contest to bring recognition to deserving girls on farms and ranches of the state.

To be eligible, girls must be a daughter or sister of a Farm Bureau member, between the ages of 16 and 21 years of age and not a previous Farm Bureau beauty contest winner. The county contest will be held in connection with the annual farm bureau barbecue tentatively set for August 26.

Mrs. Clyde Coats of Cisco was named contest arrangements chairman. Members of her committee are: Mrs. Ed Harrison, and Mrs. A. W. Hendricks, Gorman; Mrs. Bill Tucker, Ranger; Mrs. John Leveridge and Mrs. Bill Clinton, Cisco; Mrs. J. D. Harrell, Olden, and Jimmy Sparks, Desdemona, and Ray Norris, Eastland.

Other business matters were considered at the meeting.

Boston is the largest state capital city in the United States.

## Okra Postoffice Closes June 30th

The postoffice at Okra, Texas will be discontinued on June 30, 1955.

All mail for Okra, Texas will be delivered, collected, and accounted for by the Carbon office.

C. C. Gilbert, P. M.

## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petree of Carbon are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Muri Elizabeth, to Bobby Joe Johnson of Cisco.

The wedding will take place June 4th at Cisco. After a short honeymoon they plan to make their home in Cisco where he is employed by Boss Manufacturing Company.

Interviewers.

Mr. and Mrs. Holloway and family are former residents of Carbon and their friends here will be glad to hear of the honor awarded their son.

## Calves Win Praise From Show Judge

Eastland County's breeders of registered cattle maintained the high standards of their entries in the livestock exhibited last Saturday at the annual county Registered Beef Calf Show at the show barn on the Lake Cisco road. The event was sponsored by the Cisco Livestock Show Association.

Although the number of entries was smaller than anticipated, the Hereford and Angus calves drew considerable praises from the show judge and spectators. The show was limited to calves born after Sept. 1, 1954, and judged were animals of the same sex in pens of three.

T. G. Caudle of Cisco showed a pen of three WHR Proud Mixer bull calves to the championship, with second honors going to Dr. D. V. Rodgers of Gorman. Third place went to Archie Campbell of Olden. The champion Angus bulls were shown by Sutton Crofts of Cisco.

Ed Harrison of Gorman showed the championship pen-of-three Hereford heifers. Others winning honors for Hereford heifers were T. G. Caudle, second; Ed Huestis, Cisco, third, and A. V. Clark, Cisco fourth. Dr. N. A. Brown of Cisco won first honors with a pen of Angus heifers with second honors going to Crofts.

Jay Humphrey, Jr., Old Glory rancher, was the judge of the show. A number of individual animals were shown and won praise from cattlemen.

County Agent J. M. Cooper assisted the Cisco Livestock Show Association officials in staging the show. Officials included: Mr. Crofts, president; Mr. Caudle, show superintendent; and, Mr. Huestis, ground superintendent.

President Angus White of the Cisco Livestock Show Association expressed regret that the crowd was not large as had been expected.

"The Cisco Livestock Show Association and the breeders of registered cattle of Eastland County deserve a big hand for the high quality of show animals here last Saturday," Mr. White said. "We are very proud that the registered livestock program of the area is reflecting a steady growth."

"It is our sincere hope that the annual show will be held again next year. We expect to appoint a large committee from the chamber of Commerce to contribute everything possible toward a successful show in 1956."

Cattlemen who attend the show were eligible for attendance awards provided by the Thornton Feed Mill and by the Cisco Mills.

Fires are unknown in the forests of the Amazon region because the wood does not burn easily.

Eros is the God of Love.

## Farmers Hardware

Check our stock of Hardware for your needs. We sell Pittsburgh Paints, Window Glass, True Temper Tools, Garden Hoses, Hudson Sprayers Etc. Our Efforts are to have what you need, when you need it

Carbon Trading Company

## Majestic

Eastland

Box Office opens 4:45 p. m. during week and 1:45 Sat. & Sun.

Thurs. Fri. Sat.

"Blackboard Jungle"  
Glenn Ford  
Anae Francis

Sun. Mon.

CinemaScope  
"East Of Eden"  
Julie Harris  
James Dean

Tues. Wed.

CinemaScope  
"Three For The Show"  
Betty Grable

Tuesday Is Family Night

Thursday Only

"Treasure Of Ruby Hills"  
Zachary Scott  
Carole Mathews

Surprise Feature Thursday 8 p. m.

## Specials

Friday and Saturday

Sugar 10 lb	89c
Cigarettes ctn	2.07
Cheer, large size	25c
Kimbell Shortening 3 lb	69c
Stew and Ground Meat lb	29c

Carbon Trading Company

NO. 22,947  
JAMES A. BENTLEY, et al. Plaintiffs,  
vs. A. H. BODENSCHATZ, et al.; De  
fendants.  
IN THE 91st DISTRICT COURT  
of EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS)

A CITATION  
TO: A. H. Bodenschatz; Dura Lavelle  
Miller, joined by her husband, L. M.  
Miller, and E. N. Jones; Mrs. H. T. Mc-  
Cauley; W. H. Jenkins, Jr.; and Hallie  
Jenkins; Joseph R. Ferrell; Mrs. Fred  
A. Gildersleeve; W. G. Jones; Grace  
Stone; W. L. Groves; John D. Seale  
L. Fred; Pleasant Grove Royalty Syn-  
dicate; L. M. White as Trustee of Pleas-  
ant Grove Royalty Syndicate; Harry  
Bockstein; Henry Hay; C. R. Carter;  
Max Gilbert; A. S. Sanger; Asher S.  
Sanger; James A. Lawson; Abe Cohen;  
J. W. Hastings; J. A. Lankford and Mrs.  
Zora E. Robertson, a feme sole; J. A.  
Langford and Mrs. Zora E. Robertson,  
a feme sole; Dr. P. A. Clark; W. W. Bo-  
gel; L. M. White; Mrs. G. W. Fowler;  
O. K. Dickinson; A. P. Duggan; Edwin  
Hobby; A. B. Kendrick; F. C. Bennett;  
H. L. Edwards; L. B. Steel; Eugene Bul-  
lock; J. S. Ownby; J. W. Royall; C. J.  
Duggan; M. J. Lyster; W. E. Rylander;  
G. C. Heldenfels; M. O. Andrews; Ed M.  
Hart; H. B. Griffith; J. E. Brown; R.  
L. Over; Ed S. Hughes; F. Brass; David-  
son & Hickman, a partnership; J. L.  
De Grazer; Mrs. Anna DeSpain; J. C.  
Duke; G. W. Hardin; H. H. Lloyd; Geo.  
E. Moore; R. C. Newcomb; Adelle Over;  
E. F. Rice; J. H. Robinson; J. A. Sand-  
ers; D. W. Shanks; James A. Weaver; W. E.  
Martin; H. C. Ghent; Mrs. Chas. L.  
Tarver; J. D. Knox; Emmett J. DeMonte;  
Neil Harris Tarver; John Vangsem;  
Aldrich Investment Co.; Sam Litschitz;  
Levy Bros., a partnership, composed of  
B. M. Levy and E. A. Levy; Mrs. Fannie  
Jacobs; Mrs. Rose Drilling; Lou Carr;  
Mrs. Ida Cohn; Lillian Fred; Issie Fred;  
Consolidated Investment Co.; C. R.  
Starnes; J. M. Turner, and J. N. Dod-  
son, hereinafter called Defendants.

You are hereby commanded to appear  
before the Honorable 91st District Court  
of Eastland County, Texas, at the Court-  
house thereof, in Eastland, Texas, at  
ten o'clock a. m. on the fifth Monday  
following the date hereof, same being  
June 6, 1955, then and there to answer  
plaintiff's original petition filed in this  
cause No. 22,947, on May 7, 1955, and  
styled James A. Bentley, et al. vs. A.  
H. Bodenschatz, et al., defendants; said  
plaintiffs being James A. Bentley; W.  
F. Ritter, John B. Ritter as Trustee of  
the Estate of W. F. Ritter; Margaret  
Ballagh, joined by her husband, J. C.  
Ballagh; B. P. Duggan; Guy Sherrill;  
Vera Nimitz, joined by her husband,  
Henry C. Nimitz; Zeffee K. Duggan, a  
widow; Edna Carter; Hazel Tindall; Vera  
M. Sherrill; Nellie B. Coles; J. F. Coles;  
Verna Fay Johnson; Joyce Johnson;  
Doris Johnson Weber, joined by her  
husband, Alex Johnson; Virginia Jean  
Clarke, joined by her husband, Alex  
Clarke Jr.; Laura Maye Frost; Jack W.  
Frost; Billy C. Frost; Cyrus B. Frost Jr.;  
Wilda Bullock, joined by her husband,  
M. R. Bullock; Laura Mae Etheridge,  
joined by her husband, H. T. Etheridge  
Jr.; Virginia Weaver Russell; Ruth Wea-  
ver Latrobe; Louisiana Weaven Owen;  
W. J. Graham; Lois Reddell, joined by  
her husband, E. W. Reddell; and J. W.  
Turner and wife, Alice Turner, hereinafter  
called Plaintiffs; and said defend-  
ants being all to whom this notice  
is addressed, the residences and where-  
abouts of said defendants being un-  
known.

The nature of this suit is an action  
under Article 2320-B, Texas Revised  
Civil Statutes, for appointment of a Re-  
ceiver to execute a mineral lease cover-  
ing the respective undivided interests  
of said defendants in the oil, gas and  
minerals in the following described tract  
of land (hereinafter referred to as  
"Subject Land") located in Eastland  
County, Texas, being more particularly  
described as follows:

148 1-2 acres of land, more or less,  
being a part of the NE 1-4 of Section 3,  
Block 4, H&TC R. R. Co. Survey, Ab-  
stract No. 296, and more particularly  
described by metes and bounds accord-  
ing to field notes of a survey made  
April 2, 1955, by T. H. Landon, County  
Surveyor of Eastland County, Texas,  
filed and recorded in Volume 5, Page  
177, Surveyors' Records of Eastland  
County Texas, as follows:

Beginning 108 vrs. S. 89-40 W. from  
the NE corner of said Sec. 3, the same  
being the NW corner of M. E. Church  
lot, for the beginning corner of the sur-  
vey; thence S. 89-40 W. 846 vrs. to a  
point in public road for the NW cor-  
ner of this survey; thence S. 0-06 E. with  
old division fence line, 964.8 vrs. to a 6  
in. iron pipe post for corner; thence S.  
88-38 E. 39 vrs. to a 1 in. iron pipe and  
stone mound; thence N. 0-06 W. 92.9 vrs.  
to an iron rod in fence line; thence S.  
88-38 E. with old established fence line,  
913.8 vrs. to a stake in public road for  
SE corner of this survey; thence N. 797.8  
vrs. to the SE corner of the M. E. Church  
lot; thence S. 89-40 W. 108 vrs. to the  
SW corner of said Church lot; thence  
N. 108 vrs. to the place of beginning.  
SAVE AND EXCEPT:

The East 20 acres of the aforesaid  
148 1-2 acre tract, being more particu-  
larly described by metes and bounds ac-  
cording to field notes of a survey made  
July 29, 1919, by Wm. P. Everheart, De-  
puty Surveyor of Eastland County, Texas,  
filed and recorded in Volume 151, Page  
530, Deed Records of Eastland County  
Texas, as follows:

Beginning at a point 138 varas west  
of the NW corner of Section 3, Block  
4, H&TC R. R. Co. survey for the NW  
corner of this tract, thence South 855.5  
varas to the south line of J. W. Turner  
tract out of said NE 1-4 for the SW cor-  
ner of this tract; thence East with said  
south line 138 varas to a stake on the  
E. line of said NE 1-4 for the SE cor. of  
this tract; thence N 747.5 varas with said  
east line to the SE corner of a 2 acre  
tract for the NE corner of this tract;  
thence west with south line of said 2  
acre tract 108 varas to its SW corner  
for a corner of this tract; thence north

108 varas with the west line of said  
acre tract to its NW corner on the  
orth line of said NE 1-4; thence West  
with said north line 30 varas to place  
of beginning.

Plaintiffs allege that the defendants  
are the record owners of undivided  
mineral interests in and to the oil, gas  
and mineral rights and mineral estates  
in and to the subject land as follows:

A. That the following defendants own  
or claim the following undivided inter-  
ests, more or less, in the oil, gas and  
minerals in and to all of the subject  
land:

A. H. Bodenschatz, 25-148.5 interest;  
Dura Lavelle Miller, wife of L. M. Mil-  
ler, and E. N. Jones, 25-148.5 interest;  
Mrs. H. T. McCauley, 50-148.5 interest;  
W. H. Jenkins Jr., and Hallie Jenkin,  
25-148.5 interest; Joseph R. Ferrell,  
50-148.5 interest; Mrs. Fred A. Gilder-  
sleeve, 25-148.5 interest; W. G. Jones,  
25-148.5 interest; Grace Stone, 25-148.5  
interest; John D. Seale, 1875-148.5 in-  
terest; L. Fred, 50-148.5 interest; Pleas-  
ant Grove Royalty Syndicate—L. M.  
White, Trustee, 2,2125-148.5 interest;  
Harry Bockstein, 1,625-148.5 interest;  
Henry Hay, 4-148.5 interest; C. R. Car-  
ter, 333333-148.5 interest; Max Gilbert,  
1,666666-148.5 interest; A. S. Sanger,  
45-148.5 interest; Asher S. Sanger and  
James Lawson, 50-148.5 interest; Abe  
Cohen, 25-148.5 interest; J. W. Hastings,  
25-148.5 interest; J. A. Lankford and  
Mrs. Zora E. Robertson, a feme sole,  
75-148.5 interest; J. A. Langford and  
Mrs. Zora E. Robertson, a feme sole,  
75-148.5 interest; Dr. P. A. Clark,  
50-148.5 interest; W. W. Bogel, 2-148.5  
interest; L. M. White, 50-148.5 interest;  
Mrs. G. W. Fowler, 15-148.5 interest; O.  
K. Dickinson, 2-540 of an undivided 1-16  
interest; A. P. Duggan, 37-540 of an un-  
divided 1-16 interest; Edwin Hobby,  
110-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest;  
A. B. Kendrick, 5-540 of an undivided  
1-16 interest; F. C. Bennett, 32-540 of an  
undivided 1-16 interest; H. L. Edwards,  
40-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; L.  
B. Steel, 32-540 of an undivided 1-16 in-  
terest; Eugene Bullock, 18-540 of an un-  
divided 1-16 interest; J. S. Ownby,  
16-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest;  
J. W. Royall, 3-540 of an undiv. 1-16 int.  
C. J. Duggan, 10-540 of an undivided  
1-16 interest; M. J. Lyster, 2-540 of an  
undivided 1-16 interest; W. E. Rylander,  
2-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; G.  
C. Heldenfels, 1-540 of an undivided 1-16  
interest; M. O. Andrews, 4-540 of an un-  
divided 1-16 interest; Ed M. Hart, 4-540  
of an undivided 1-16 interest; H. B. Grif-  
fith, 1-540 of an undivided 1-16 inter-  
est; J. E. Brown, 42-540 of an undivided  
1-16 interest; R. L. Over, 37-540 of an  
undivided 1-16 interest; Ed S. Hughes,  
37-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; F. Brass,  
1-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; David-  
son & Hickman, 1-540 of an undivided 1-16  
interest; J. L. DeGrazer, 1-540 of an un-  
divided 1-16 interest; Mrs. Anna De-  
Spain, 1-540 of an undivided 1-16 in-  
terest; J. C. Duke, 4-540 of an undivided  
1-16 interest; G. W. Hardin, 1-540 of an  
undivided 1-16 interest; R. H. Lloyd,  
1-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest;  
Geo. E. Moore, 1-540 of an undiv. 1-16  
interest; R. C. Newcomb, 3-540 of an  
undivided 1-16 interest; Adelle Over,  
1-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; E.  
F. Rice, 1-540 of an undivided 1-16 in-  
terest; J. H. Robinson, 1-540 of an un-  
divided 1-16 interest; J. A. Sanders,  
2-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; D.  
W. Shanks, 2-540 of an undiv. 1-16 inter-  
est; James A. Weaver, 1-540 of an un-  
divided 1-16 interest; W. E. Martin,  
2-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; H.  
C. Ghent, 1-540 of an undivided 1-16  
interest; Mrs. Chas. L. Tarver, 1-540 of  
an undivided 1-16 interest; J. D. Knox,  
1-540 of an undivided 1-16 interest; Em-  
mett J. DeMonte, 1-540 of an undivided  
1-16 interest; Neil Harris Tarver, 39-540  
of an undivided 1-16 interest; John Van-  
gsem 1-148.5 interest; Aldrich Invest-  
ment Co., 2-148.5 interest; Sam Litschitz,  
1,375-148.5 interest; Levy Bros., a part-  
nership composed of B. M. Levy and E.  
A. Levy, 25-148.5 interest; Mrs. Fannie  
Jacobs, 15-148.5 int.; Mrs. Rose Drill-  
ing, 15-148.5 interest; Lou Carr, 50-148.5  
interest; Mrs. Ida Cohn, 15-148.5 inter-  
est; Lillian Fred, 15-148.5 interest; Issie  
Fred, 15-148.5 interest; Consolidated In-  
vestment Co. 4,19075-148.5 interest; J. N.  
Dodson, 1-148.5 interest.

B. That the following defendants own  
or claim the following undivided inter-  
ests in the oil, gas and minerals in and  
to 643 acres of land, more or less, a  
part of the captioned land, being more  
particularly described by metes and  
bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point which is 383.8  
feet west of the NE corner of said Sec-  
tion 3, same being the NE corner of a  
tract belonging to J. W. Turner; thence  
W. 111.1 feet to NW cor. of this tract;  
thence S 2497.6 feet to a stake for SW  
corner; thence East 113.1 feet to  
stake for SE corner; thence north 2499  
feet to place of beginning, and being  
the same land described in quitclaim  
deed from J. W. Turner, et ux, to C. R.  
Starnes dated November 28, 1919, re-  
corded in Volume 170, page 485, Deed  
Records of Eastland County, Texas; C.  
R. Starnes, an undivided 21,59375-142.5  
interest; J. M. Turner, an undivided 1-2  
interest.

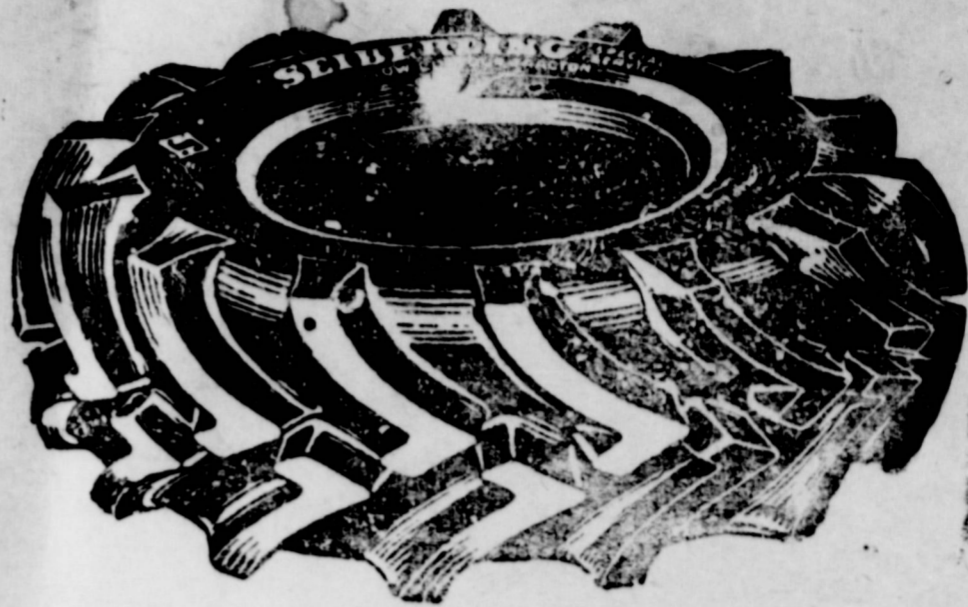
That the plaintiffs except James A.  
Bentley, who are the majority mineral  
owners have executed to James A. Bent-  
ley, plaintiff-lessee, mineral leases cov-  
ering their said respective mineral in-  
terests in said land for a primary term  
of two years, with delay rentals of \$1.00  
per year, providing for the usual 1-8  
royalties, and containing a pooling pro-  
vision; that Plaintiffs' rights are being  
prejudiced in that the lessee in said  
lease will not develop said land with-  
out a valid lease on the interests owned  
by the defendants. Plaintiffs pray for  
an order authorizing such receiver to  
execute a similar lease approved by the  
court in favor of the said James A.  
Bentley covering defendants' said res-  
pective mineral interests in said land,  
all in accordance with Article 2320b,  
Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as  
shown by plaintiffs' petition to file in

CITATION  
TO any Sheriff or any Constable with-  
in the State of Texas—GREETING:  
You are hereby commanded to cause  
to be published once each week for  
four consecutive weeks, the first publica-  
tion to be at least twenty-eight days  
before the return day thereof, in a news-  
paper printed in Eastland County, Tex-  
as, the accompanying citation, of which  
the herein below following is a true copy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
To George Vallos, if living, and if de-  
ceased, the unknown heirs of the said  
George Vallos, and the unknown heirs  
of the unknown heirs of the said George  
Vallos, and their unknown executors,  
administrators and legal representa-  
tives, defendants, Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to appear  
before the honorable 91st District Court  
of Eastland County, at the Courthouse  
thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a  
written answer at or before 10 o'clock  
a. m. on the first Monday next after  
the expiration of forty-two days from  
the date of the issuance of this citation,  
same being the 13th day of June A. D.  
1955, in this cause, numbered 22,936 on  
the docket of said court and styled C.  
V. Fox, Plaintiff, vs. George Vallos, if  
living, and if deceased, the unknown  
heirs of said George Vallos, and the un-  
known heirs of the unknown heirs of the  
said George Vallos, and their unknown  
executors, administrators and legal rep-  
resentatives, defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of  
this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
This is a suit for title and possession  
to an undivided one-half (1/2) interest in  
29 acres of land, based upon petition  
for trespass to try title, and claim for  
title under the three, five, ten and  
twenty-five year statutory limitation,  
said land being located in Eastland  
County, Texas, described as follows:  
Twenty-nine (29) acres out of the  
Northwest corner of Lot No. 24, League  
No. 2, McLennon County School Land,  
Abstract No. 369, together with prayer  
for recovery, as is more fully shown by  
Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.  
If this citation is not served within  
ninety days after the date of its issu-  
ance, it shall be returned unserved.  
The officer executing this writ shall  
promptly serve the same according to  
requirements of law, and the mandates  
hereof, and make due return as the law  
directs.  
Issued and given under my hand and  
seal of said court at Eastland, Texas,  
this the 29th day of April A. D. 1955.  
Attest: ROY L. LANE,  
Clerk, 91st District Court, Eastland  
County, Texas.  
By LAVERNE KEY,  
Deputy

# Tractor Tires



## Bring Your Tractor Tire Trouble To Us

We have a complete stock of new tractor tires in all popular sizes. We have about  
40 used tractor tires. We have a fair stock of first tractor tires in reject grade which  
sell for half price. We can repair ANY size tractor tire.

Just received a new Shipment of Seiberling Tires

## Jim Horton Tire Service

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Eastland Texas

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To: W. G. Kelly, A. Zintgraff, O. G. Frantz, W. E. Templeton, and J. E. Butler, if living, and if dead, the heirs of the said W. G. Kelly and A. Zintgraff, O. G. Frantz, W. E. Templeton, and J. E. Butler, and the unknown heirs of said parties and their heirs and unknown heirs of said heirs and all persons claiming any title or interest in the land hereinbelow described under an oil and gas lease heretofore given to W. G. Kelly and A. Zintgraff, as grantees, Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Court-house thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, the same being the 20th day of June A. D. 1955, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 6th day of May A. D. 1955, in this cause, numbered 22,045 on the docket of said court and styled Sallie Hill, a widow, S. Cecil Hill, Foscoe Hill, and Russell Hill, Plaintiffs, vs. W. G. Kelly, A. Zintgraff, O. G. Frantz, W. E. Templeton, and J. E. Butler, if living, and if dead, the heirs of the said W. G. Kelly, A. Zintgraff,

O. G. Frantz, W. E. Templeton, and J. E. Butler, and the unknown heirs of said parties and the heirs and unknown heirs of said heirs and all persons claiming any title or interest in the land hereinbelow described under an oil and gas lease heretofore given to W. G. Kelly and A. Zintgraff, as grantees, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

This is a suit for cancellation of oil and gas lease, and to remove cloud from title of the following described lands, to-wit:

60 acres of land out of the George Haig Survey, Abstract No. 160, and 84 acres out of the James W. Tinsley Survey, Abstract No. 194; said two tracts of land lying adjacent to each other and constituting one body of land described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the S.W. corner of said James W. Tinsley Survey; Thence E. 452 vrs.; Thence N. 896 vrs.; Thence W. 254 vrs.; Thence N. 4 deg. 26' W. 50 vrs.; Thence W. 772 vrs.; Thence S. 768 vrs.; Thence E. 473 vrs.; Thence S. 178 vrs. to the place of beginning, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of the said court at Eastland, Texas, this 6th day of May, A. D. 1955.

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NO. 22060  
 JAMES A. BENTLEY, et al, Plaintiff's vs. P. S. HALE, et al, Defendants in the 91st District Court, Eastland County, Texas.

**CITATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
 To: P. S. Hale; Ruby N. Cutbirth, widow; W. M. Wells; W. T. McNeill; M. Logan; Abe Cohen; Mrs. Fannie Jacobs; Mrs. Rose Drilling; Mrs. Ida Cohn; Lillian Fred, Issee (Isadore) Fred; Rochester Haddaway; Lillian Lord, a widow, individually and as independent executrix of the estate of C. G. Lord, deceased; Herman Miller; Chas. E. Nash and David B. Nash, individually and as independent executors of the estate of J. M. Nash, deceased; G. W. Parker Jr. and James N. Parker, individually and as independent executors of the estate of Minnie Parker, deceased; George Stillman; A. L. Wright, individually and in his capacity as trustee; Craig Logan; J. W. Henry; A. Curtis Odie; James Bassall Gardner; J. S. Bridgefarmer; U. S. Bridgefarmer; Eleanor Apple, a widow, and Lucella Fest joined by her husband Simon G. Fest; Dan Brown; Ida E. Lumpkin, a widow, individually and as independent executrix of the estate of J. J. Lumpkin, deceased; Lonnie Baker; T. P. Boyd; Mary J. Brown, a widow; Mrs. L. G. Dobson, a widow; A. A. Goerte; C. C. Johnson; R. H. Kirkpatrick; S. J. Lawrence; W. J. Meggs; Elizabeth Rickels, a widow; I. J. Samuels; J. W. Sanger; W. F. Snebold; M. L. Strother; S. J. Taylor; F. J. (Frost) Thorn; Mrs. Lizzie Whitsel, a widow; Fred Wohlenberg also known as Fred Vohlenberg; R. Zimmerman; Harry Gutzman Jr.; and Inez Day, a widow; hereinafter called Defendants.

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas, at the Court-house thereof, in Eastland, Texas, at ten o'clock a. m. on the fifth Monday following the date hereof, same being June 27, 1955, then and there to answer plaintiffs' original petition filed in this cause No. 22060, on May 24, 1955, and styled James A. Bentley, et al, vs. P. S. Hale, et al, defendants; said plaintiffs being James A. Bentley, Ida M. Wright, a widow; Frances Burnett joined by her husband Frederick Burnett; Willie Mae Crouch joined by her husband Robert C. Crouch; Leta Mabel Robbins joined by her husband Ted Robbins; Maurine Carlisle joined by her husband E. L. Carlisle; Walter B. Scott; Morris Rector; and Sidney L. Samuels; hereinafter called Plaintiffs; and said defendants being all to whom this notice is addressed; the residences and whereabouts of said defendants being unknown.

The nature of this suit is an action under Article 2320-B, Texas Revised Civil Statutes, for appointment of a Receiver to execute a mineral lease covering the respective undivided interests of said defendants in the oil, gas and minerals in the following described tract of land (hereinafter referred to as "Subject Land") located in Eastland County, Texas, being more particularly described as follows:

108 1-2 acres of land, more or less, in two contiguous tracts, lying and being situated in Eastland County, Texas, 4 miles north, 36 degrees east from the town of Eastland, Texas, being a part of the Seaborn J. Robinson Survey patented to the heirs of the said Seaborn J. Robinson on the 28th day of January, 1887, Patent No. 487, Volume 24 more fully described as follows, to-wit:  
**First Tract:** 65 acres of land, described by metes and bounds, as follows:  
 Beginning 594 varas south of the Northwest corner of the John York Survey in the east line of said Robinson Survey and the west line of said York Survey for the northeast corner of this tract; Thence south 887 varas to the southeast corner of this tract;  
 Thence west 410 varas to the east line of the John White survey;  
 Thence north 887 varas to a stake set in the ground;  
 Thence east 410 varas to the place of beginning; and being the same land conveyed by Mrs. M. J. Crow of Stephenville, Texas, to J. C. Littleton by deed dated January 28, 1899, and recorded in Volume 34, Page 361, Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas.

**Second Tract:** 43 1-2 acres of land described by metes and bounds as follows:  
 Beginning at a stone set in the ground on the east line of the John White survey;  
 Thence east 413 varas, a stone for corner;  
 Thence south 596 varas to a stone for southeast corner;  
 Thence west 413 varas, a stone in the east line of the John White survey for the southwest corner;  
 Thence north with the east line of the John White survey 596 varas to the place of beginning; and being the same land conveyed by Ed S. Hughes and Henry James to J. E. Littleton by deed of date April 21, 1900, recorded in Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas, Volume 38, Page 242, to which reference is here made for fuller description.

Plaintiffs allege that the defendants are the record owners of undivided mineral interests in and to the oil, gas and mineral rights and mineral estates in and to the subject land, as follows:  
 P. S. Hale, undivided 6-217 interest.  
 Ruby N. Cutbirth, a widow, undivided 1-868 interest.  
 W. M. Wells, undivided 23-868 interest.  
 W. T. McNeill, undivided 2-217 interest.  
 M. Logan, undivided 1-217 interest.  
 Abe Cohen, undivided 5-1302 interest.  
 Mrs. Fannie Jacobs, undivided 1-1302 interest.  
 Mrs. Rose Drilling, undivided 1-1302 interest.  
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 Lillian Fred, undivided 1-1302 interest.  
 Issee (Isadore) Fred, undivided 1-1302 interest.  
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**RECENT BIG RAIN SHOWED HOW COVER CROPS SAVED MOISTURE**

By W. L. GARNER  
 Soil Conservationist

What happens when it really rains?

Rain fell in Eastland County Wednesday May 18, as intense as can probably be expected every 50 to 75 years. While rainfall varied from three inches to the official 10.42 inches recorded at Eastland, most farms received around five inches. As often happens when rain falls so fast, only a small portion was retained to benefit the land. The real story can only be told in terms of moisture in the ground.

Moisture penetration test by soil conservation Service workers following the big rain showed that on mixed range land (sandy loam soil) with very little grass cover moisture only penetrated nine inches. In the same pasture where there was a fairly good grass turf, moisture was found 30 inches deep. In a corner of a county cemetery with an excellent tall grass cover the soil was well wet 33 inches.

Soil of this type will hold about one and one half inches of water

per foot of depth. Thus the relative bare range held about an inch of rainfall and probably lost over four inches, while the land with a good grass cover held about four inches of rain and lost about an inch.

On tight range land (fine textured soil) findings were about the same. With fair cover this land wet down two feet, but with poor cover only six inches. This type of clay loam soil will hold around two inches of water per foot of depth. It can thus be assumed that this range site held four inches of water under a fair cover, but only an inch where cover was lacking.

Sandy range land south of Eastland wet two feet deep under a light annual needle grass cover, and over four feet with a good grass cover. Assuming this soil to hold an inch of water per foot this land held two inches with poor cover and four inches with good cover. A very deep sandy soil (forty eight inches to clay) was wet 68 inches with free water till present from 24 to 48 inches. It is estimated this soil held over six inches of water and there was almost no runoff, although run off and severe erosion was noted nearby where there was less depth of sand.

Since it takes water to grow grass, or crops, ranchers in this area were benefited according to the amount of cover on their land. Over grazed ranges with little grass cover actually retained little of the moisture that fell, and in many suffered severe sheet erosion.

Damage to conservation structures were relatively light. All water ways, diversion terraces,

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and pond spillways examined functioned properly with only minor scouring where sod was lacking. Water topped some field terraces but severe damage was noted only on a few older terrace systems with inadequate outlets. Some unterraced land suffered severe erosion. Sheet erosion was evident on almost all cropland, and the runoff into Lake Leon carried a heavy load of silt.

In general the big rain was a blessing, although it is a pity our range and cropland had not been in a better condition to receive it.

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