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Sunshine Club Discontinues For Summer Months

Another year of work, giving and sharing, has passed for the Sunshine Club of Carbon.

In many ways it has been a successful year. We do miss a number of our faithful members who, owing to illness, could not be with us.

On May 13 the club met in the home of Mrs. Rhoda Ramsey. The group joined in singing the songs, "Heavenly Sunlight" and "Will There Be Any Stars?"

As our president, Mrs. Oma Mae Hughes, was unable to be present, the vice president, Mrs. Ramsey, was in charge. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and treasury report given by the secretary.

As nomination and election of officers for the coming year, Mrs. Mollie Medford for president, Mrs. Rhoda Ramsey, vice president and Mrs. Dollie Clark secretary, treas. and reporter was accepted.

We remembered our retiring president with a gift as our appreciation for her faithfulness and willingness to carry on the work. Also a very dear member who is ill, Mrs. Will Lovell. We sent cards to several shut-ins and in hospitals.

Games were enjoyed by the members and refreshments were served.

We disbanded till September when we will meet in the home of Mrs. Ussery.

Rev. Lee Greer of Pueblo, Colo. spent the week end with his parent, Tom Greer and wife, enroute to the Southern Baptist Convention in Houston and filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday morning. Rev. Greer is a Missionary and is doing a very useful work in organizing new churches in the western states.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines and daughter, Mrs. Charles Adair, and family of Victoria went to Murray Lodge in Oklahoma where they met another daughter, Mrs. Lonnie McCurray, and family of Norman, Okla. where they enjoyed a week end outing together.

Commencement Exercise For Grade School Friday

Friday May 23, 1958
8 p. m. High School Auditorium
Processional Linda Hallmark
Invocation Lee Fields
Pastor Mangum Baptist Church
Salutatory Larry Morrow
Memories, sung by 8th grade class
Historian Mary Rone
Valedictory Mary Been
Presentation of Awards
Mr. Ronald Servies
Presentation of Diplomas
Mr. R. P. Brower

Benediction Roger Butler
Pastor Carbon Baptist Church
Recessional Nora Jordan
Ushers: Nancy Benton, David Wood, Jimmy Warren, Ruby Raspberry.
Class Roll:

Mary Been, Weldon Cook, Lavelle Garrett, Don Guy, Jerry Lasater, Larry Morrow, Gary Norris, Peggy Putnam, Mary Rone, Sammie Scott, Charlie Stephenson, Bert Thackerson, Wanda Tucker.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for their lovely floral offerings and words of comfort. They have meant so much to us in our time of sorrow and grief in the loss of our husband and father, Roy Pierce. We also wish to thank the ladies who brought food. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. Roy Pierce
Arless G. Pierce & Family
Mrs. Adele Nelms & Family
Lee Roy Pierce & Family

Ranchers To Hear Murray Cox Here

The West Texas Ranchers Association will hold their annual social meeting Wednesday night, May 28, at 8 o'clock at Cisco Junior College auditorium, according to an announcement by President Sam Kimmell.

Murray Cox, WFAA Farm Director, will show pictures of last summer's tour of the northwest states as the program feature. Musical entertainment has been planned, and refreshments will be served.

All members and friends of the association were extended an invitation to attend.

In Memory Of Roy Pierce

On last Wednesday, May 14, the entire community was saddened by the passing of our good friend and neighbor, Roy Pierce. And I would like to try, in a very humble way, to enumerate a few of the reasons why he will be so badly missed.

First he was very devoted to his family. His living on the "Old Place" naturally made it an easy gathering place for all the family and then everyone who came were given such a royal welcome that it made them want to come back.

His interest in the welfare of all of his friends and neighbors made him a friend to all. He always looked on the bright side of any situation for he knew how very true it is that between the dark and the bright side there are many beautiful colors. Also that every cloud has a silver lining and just a little talk with him helped one to find that silver lining.

We can't understand why he was taken when he was so needed and wanted, but that is just another of the mysterious ways our Father has of doing things. We can look around us and see those who, to us, seem to have fulfilled their mission in life and are just waiting for their call to cross the bar but they were left and one taken who could spread so much comfort and joy.

I think next to our Bible our most comforting words. Like this for instance:

When gray threads mar life's pattern
And seem so out of line,
Trust the Master weaver
Who planned the whole design.

For in life's choicest patterns
Some dark threads must appear
To make the rose threads fairer
The gold more bright and clear.

The pattern may seem intricate
And hard to understand
But trust the Master weaver
And his steady, guiding hand.

These few words of appreciation of Roy Pierce is not just my opinion but of everyone who knew him. This was shown by the crowd that filled the church to overflowing and by the floral offering that would be hard to surpass.

To those who loved him most I would say; It is only human for us to long for his cheery smile and familiar step but since we know we have this no more but in it's place a beautiful memory. Let us think how beautiful heaven must be since he is there. He is standing as a bright and shining beacon to all of us so that we will never leave the paths of righteousness and will soon be at home with him.

In conclusion I would like to say; his life was lived around the comfort and well-being of others, and I would like you to know we not only lost a friend and neighbor but a brother. May God bless you all.

Mrs. W. E. Walker

Bake Sale May 24

The Carbon Boy Scouts will sponsor a Bake Sale Saturday in the Hamner Building. They will feature coffee, sliced and whole pies. Please come by and pay them a visit.

Baccalaureate Service

Sunday Morning May 25, 1958
11:00 o'clock Methodist Church
Processional March from "Aida" Verdi
Mittie Rone
Invocation Roger Butler
"Come, Thou Almighty King" Congregation
Announcements Bob Browder
"Spirit Of God" Mrs. Grover Hallmark
Accompanist, Mrs. Charles Atkinson
Sermon Richard Smith, III
Benediction Mitchel L. Embry
Recessional "Tannhauser March" Wagner
Maxine Stacy

Commencement Exercises

Monday Evening May 26, 1958
8:00 o'clock High School Auditorium
Processional "Tannhauser March" Wagner
Maxine Stacy
Invocation Glenn Justice
Salutatory Marvin Lee
"The Halls of C. H. S." Russell Graduates
Valedictory Ann Mangum
Presentation of Certificates and Awards Ronald Servies
Presentation of Diplomas Bob Browder
"Dear Carbon High" Audience
Benediction B. A. May
Candle-lighting Ceremony Jerry Clower
President of Junior Class
Recessional March from "Aida" Verdi
Mittie Rone

Graduates:
Donald Cook, Bob Hogan, Delbert Justice, Larry Cook, Marvin Lee, Willbur Lewis, Ann Mangum, Wanda May, Luddell Mason, Nanay Nease, Edna Ray, James Simmons, Ray Thompson, James Wyatt.



Ann Mangum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Mangum, is valedictorian of the 1958 graduating class of Carbon High School.



Marvin Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle, is salutatorian of the 1958 graduating class of Carbon High School.

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F. F. A. News

Robert and Ronnie Bostick, former club boys, played and sang at the Rally Day program. The boys are from Nimrod and go to school in Cisco. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bostick, have been prominent workers in the Neighborhood Improvement Contest in that community. The boys have been going far and wide recently playing and singing at different FFA banquets.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas — GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Eastland County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: John H. Tate and wife, Margaret Tate, Mary Tate Hendel, Iva L. Reach and husband, J. C. Reach, Henry H. Tate, Mamie Ruth Milner, Sue Spencer, a widow, William G. Spencer, Marjorie Spencer, a single woman, W. L. Nix, Maud Rumph, Polly Rumph Marek and husband, J. L. Marek, H. S. Slatton, James Hoyt Slatton, Linda Catherine Slatton, a single woman, J. P. Posey, E. P. Nix, W. W. Siddons, T. N. Grogan, Verta Mae Thurman and husband, A. D. Thurman, J. W. Smith, J. T. Singleton, L. R. Eden, S. J. Woolridge, D. McNeill, L. J. Fowler, Ernest Bennett, Nettie Bennett, T. A. Griffin, S. C. Hale, W. H. Guy, and the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, beneficiaries, personal representatives, administrators, and executors of each of the above named persons, whose residences and whereabouts is unknown and are non-residents of the State of Texas, Defendants, Greetings:

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, same being the 2nd day of June A. D. 1958, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 13th day of March A. D. 1958, in this cause, numbered 22,662 on the docket of said court and styled H. E. Murray and Carolyn H. Ross and husband, John L. Ross, L. B. (Stoker) Richards and wife, Delia L. Richards, Plaintiffs, vs. John H. Tate and wife, Margaret Tate, Mary Tate Hendel, Iva L. Reach and husband, J. C. Reach, Henry H. Tate, Mamie Ruth Milner, Sue Spencer, a widow, William G. Spencer, Marjorie Spencer, a single woman, W. L. Nix, Maud Rumph, Polly Rumph Marek and husband, J. L. Marek, H. S. Slatton, James Hoyt Slatton, Linda Catherine Slatton, a single woman, J. P. Posey, E. P. Nix, W. W. Siddons, T. N. Grogan, Verta Mae Thurman and husband, A. D. Thurman, J. W. Smith, J. T. Singleton, L. R. Eden, S. J. Woolridge, D. McNeill, L. J. Fowler, Ernest Bennett, Nettie Bennett, T. A. Griffin, S. C. Hale, W. H. Guy, Defendants.

A statement of the nature of this suit is as follows:

Appointment of receiver to execute oil and gas mineral lease on the undivided interests of the above Defendants in the following land in Eastland County, Texas, to-wit:

One hundred one (101) acres in the Luke Bryant Survey, in Eastland County, Texas, fully described in a deed from W. R. Richards, et ux, to Delia L. Richards, dated December 27, 1938, recorded in Vol. 351, page 235, Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas, 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 the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this 21st day of April, A. D. 1958.

Attest: Roy L. Lane Clerk, 91st District Court, Eastland County, Texas. By Nelda Rutherford, Clerk.

Gorman club boys have a coon hunt planned the second week in May according to E. C. Bramlett, their club reporter. The club will have a meeting on Friday morning, May 9th and will likely complete their plans for their hunt.

John Love, Cheaney, president of the Eastland County Farm Bureau, attended the annual 4-H Club Rally Day at the Eastland High School auditorium on Saturday afternoon, April 26th as did lot of other parents.

Six Cisco boys have written

essays in an attempt to win one of the registered Duroc pigs to be distributed on May 17th at Eastland or Cisco. Distribution point has not been decided on yet. The boys are Joel Ray Graham, Charles Thompson, Bobby Simpson, Park Paul Plambeck, Jr. and Durwood Dunlap. Other boys trying for one include Donald Eaves, Carbon; Larry Campbell, Gorman and Willie James of Serenton.

Billy Horn, Olden boy had his pigs weighed on May 3 so he could enter the Sears District heavy lamb contest. Good luck

Billy and hope you win something.

Sharon Donham, Rising Star club girl, sold her two lambs for a total of \$52.43. One was the lamb that she showed at the county Livestock show that graded choice. It brought her a \$3.00 prize from show officials. It was sold at the club auction on the night of April 1. Sharon has been encouraged to feed two more lambs this fall starting in October. Two other girls also fed and showed lambs.

Three hundred constitutes a perfect score in bowling.

The Isle of Man is in the Irish Sea.

A ship weighs the same, or less, than the water it displaces.

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Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Evening worship 8:00 p. m.
W. M. U. Monday 2:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wed. 8:00 p. m.

Note: The Brotherhood will be glad to take the elderly people home from church morning and night.

The explorations of Sir Walter Raleigh in 1584 were responsible for the founding of Virginia.

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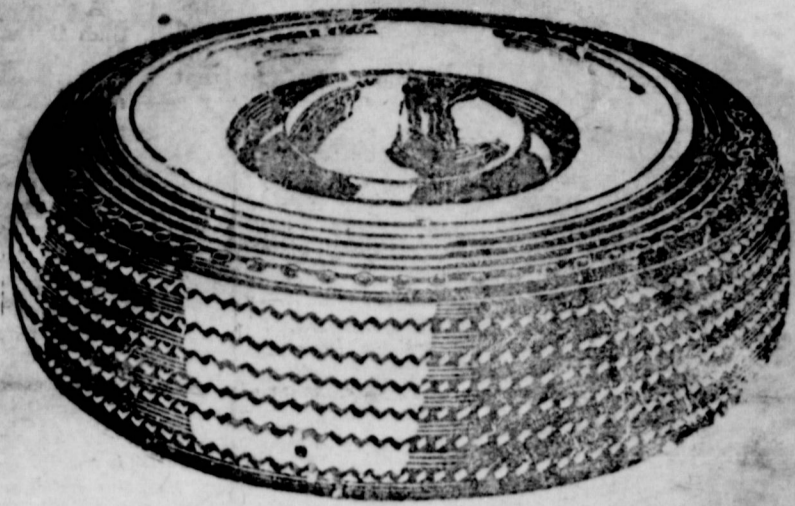
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"Noah's Ark"

And the flood that destroyed the world!

Written by Darryl F. Zanuck

Political Announcement

The Carbon Messenger has been authorized to announce candidates for public office in the Democratic First Primary election in July as follows:

State Representative

PAUL BRASHEAR

Eastland County Judge

JOHN HART (re-election)

CLYDE L. GARRETT

Commissioner Precinct 2

B. M. BENNETT (re-election)

A. M. (Judge) THURMAN

M. E. "Buck" FOSTER

County Clerk

JOHNSON SMITH re-election

District Clerk

ROY L. LANE (re-election)

RICHARD C. COX

County School Superintendent

H. R. (POP) GARRETT

re-election

F. F. A. News

Congratulations are in order for Lynn Hagan, Pleasant Hill, whose litter of eight purebred Duroc pigs weighed a total of 452 pounds at 56 days of age. This averages out about fifty-six and a half pounds per pig. Lynn's record has been entered in the District Sears Heavy Litter contest. Lynn goes to Cisco High School and is a member of the Cisco FFA Club. Lynn's ration for the pigs was strong in milk and in high protein pig pellets.

Delegates already named to attend the District Encampment at the Baptist Camp Grounds at Lake Brownwood July 17, 18 and 19th include: Larry Wilhelm of the Hodges Oak Park Club, Ranger; Johnny Bob King, Ranger Jr. High Club; Floyd Ainsworth of the Young Club, Ranger; Raymond Rankin, Rising Star; Jimmy Warren, Carbon, and Wesley Warren, Gorman.

Methodist Church

While our church is without a pastor, we will have a local speaker each Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Tyrone will be the speaker at 11 o'clock Sunday and Everyone is invited to hear her.

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.

Youth meeting 6:30

Evening Services 7:30 p. m.

W.S.C.F. 2:30 p. m. Mon

Church Of Christ

Bible Study 10:00 a. m.

Preaching 11:00 a. m.

Lord's Supper 11:40 a. m.

Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Wed. Bible Class 7:00 p. m.

You are invited to be with us at any time

Mitchell L. Embry, Minister.

Laundry To Close

The Carbon Laundry will be closed for one day only, Monday, May 26. Your business is always appreciated.

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Lewis

Plants For Sale: Red Cloud and Porter tomato plants, and cabbage are ready now. Sweet potato slips, pepper plants will be ready April 20th. Dick Pennington, Hwy. 8, north side of Gorman.

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St. George is the patron saint of England.

Queen Victoria of England reigned from 1837 to 1901.

The first settlers in Maryland landed at St. Marys in 1634.

Value Of Strip Crop Program Is Emphasized By SCS Leaders

(Editor's Note: The following article was prepared for this newspaper by the local Soil Conservation Service.)

The conservation farmer continues to be a highly skilled worker in his field of endeavor. For example, he is now starting his row crop operations for the current season. Cover crops seeded last fall have given excellent soil protection against both wind and water erosion. To destroy these cover crops and still leave maximum crop residue on or near the surface of the soil is his goal, realizing that good ground cover, to include dead litter, is essential.

The peanut farmers are also planning a strip crop program to further supplement the highly important vegetative program. Last fall during the "blow season" strips prevented peanuts in the wind rows from being covered with sand, thus preventing partial or in some instances, a complete loss of the crop.

Strip crops are very effective in holding sands in place. They also fit well into a system of crop rotation. The crop residue from strips such as sudan and grain sorghum are coarse and prove effective in wind and water erosion control for a longer period of time. These coarser stalks do not decompose as rapidly as small grain residue.

Strip crops, such as sudan, pearl millet, red top sorghum and grain sorghum should be fertilized with a balanced fertilizer to insure an adequate growth and in turn increase the yield of grain in case the land owner chooses to make a head harvest.

Former experiences indicate the importance of strip width, not less than two rows of closely drilled and well fertilized sudan or millet and eight rows of peanuts are required and not less than four rows of well fertilized and thickly seeded grain sor-

ghums and eight rows of peanuts will give the needed protection.

Nature will control both wind and water erosion if given a chance, by preserving a mulch on the land. Landowners who understand these needs of the land furnish this protection through cover crops, crop residue management and strip cropping. This type of treatment results in increased yields plus the personal satisfaction of doing a satisfactory job of conservation.

Virgil Massingill recently completed a farm pond for livestock water and a diversion terrace to divert outside water from his cropland field.

A farm pond was staked for Ernest Sneed and ponds have been requested by M. R. Fry, H. E. Wagley, Carl Simpson and J. F. Reynolds. Terrace lines have been run and are in process of construction on the J. F. Harlow farm. Harlow had completed a farm pond this week.

Rising Star Will Hold Rodeo Soon

A parade at 5 p. m. Saturday, May 24, will begin the annual Rising Star rodeo, according to a recent report here. Immediately following the parade a series of opening performances will begin. Subsequent performances, however, will be held on Friday nights at 8 o'clock. Admission charges of 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students are to be made.

The Rising Star shows continue throughout the summer, and feature such events as bull riding, bronc riding, calf and goat roping, and others. The weekly events are to be held at the Rising Star Roping Club's arena on highway 36 east of town.

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