# The Carbon Messenger 

## Personals

Elrey Betiany, who has bee in the Navy the past four years serving in the Pasifie, has eeived his diseharge and is ing his parents, $\mathrm{Mr}_{\mathrm{L}}$, and Clyde Bothany.
M. and Mrs. Neil Wood of Colton, Calif, are visiting his sister, Mre, W. W. Martin, and Mr Martin.

## Pfe. Elbert Richardion

 visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. Elbert Richardson, while on furlough from overseas duty. Richardsen reenlisted some time sgo for two more years is the Army.eary Kitchen, whe reeently returned from the ZTO, opened his shoe shop last week in the same building ha oceupied before entering the servise.

Mrs. B. R. Barrow visited har sor, Barber Burrow, and wife in A bilene last week.

Mre. Bill Fite of $\mathbf{S a n ~ A n g e ~}^{\text {An }}$ vi ited har parents, Nr. an Mrs W. S. Maxwell, last week.

Mrs. Joha Armstrong of Eastland viaited har paretit, Rev and Mrs.

Mrs. M. M. Carier visited her
children and their families in Fort Worth last week.
Bob Gampb II, who served in the EYO the past two years, has rceived his dircharge and is viaiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N, P. Campbell.
itir. and Mrs. R. W. Ray and family of Houston and Jarper Earl Ray of Moashans visited Eari Ray of Moashans
Roy Skinner and family and Chas dordan and family this

## Lon Mediord ดnnounces for

 Re-electionP. L. (Lon) Medf rd his week authoriz al che Carbon Messonger to announce his caadidaey for reelection to the cffice of $\mathbf{~}-\mathrm{mm}$ mis sioner of Precinct 2 subject to July primarias. July primaries.
Mr. Medford expressed his ap. preciation for past favors of the paople throughout his preeinct and solicits the con'inued sup. part of his friends and vetare. His personal statement wili be carried in the Messenger at a later date.

John Nickolas and family, who have bern in Odessa, returned Gerbon last week.

Harry 6. Hall, who recently returned from the ETO, receiv ed his discharge January 4 fro the rank of Flight Officer.

John Seay, who is working at Dumas, visited his parents, Mr and Mre, Seay, near Carbon this
week.

Isnac Traylor of Jersey City N. $\mathcal{L}$ is vis ting his mother, Mr Minnie Trayler, and aunt, Mre. Fannie Dingler.

Calvin Gilbert is viaiting his parents, Mr-and Mra. C. C. Gilmert, sfier. Rerving

Mr. and airs, Dave Putnem nd $s=n$, Earl, and Mr. and irs. Earl Dyer of Hamlin visited his mother and brother here last week end.

Mr, and Mrs. Herbert Phillips and daughters of Fort Worth fisited Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Philps and Mrs. Mamie Townsend over the week end.

## Groceries

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## Garage, Top And Body Shop To Open Here

R. D. Rodd find Edgar White have leased the Carbon Mlotor Cowpany buifting and plan te perate a garage and Top and Sory shup eombinsd.
Mr. Rodd, who racently receiv. od his diseharke from the Army, s the son-fn-tave of Mr, and Mrs. han Medford of the Okra com nunity. He is an experionced mechanic and will handio gas and oils as welf as avio parts when they are available.
Edgar is Miso a diseharged Army veteran is the son of $M_{r}$; and Mirs. Wade White of Corbon and his lived here the most of his life. He is an ex perieneed toz abd body man having followed this line of work for several yeurs and was emploved at Seagraves at the time he entered the service.
They plan to be open for bus uess as scon as they ean get the building in readiness and get their supplies, .

Army Enistivenis
Are Exceeding Expectations
 exceedina
west has stexped far shesd of anth i's origival schefinie in the cur rent recruiting campaign for the U S. regular Army, Le. Jay M. Recruiting Station, hes announe


Our previous goal was 70,000 enlistments by next Juse. 30 for the Eighth Service Command area, of which. TeXas is a portion," Lt. Meliaffey "As a result of extraordinary sponse in this area we have a ready realized slightly more tha 71 per cent of our original quota.' While the curnent recruiting than five months, a) all-time record of 400,000 is expseted for the entire affion when final reperts are entipleied, ascording to a War Department ennounce ment in Washfigaton this week. "The Army"s manpower re quirements, however, still exeeed the number we have recruited,' Lt. MeHaffey pointed out. "g furniahing only a fraction of the needs of the service both abroad and at home."

## Lyrio Thatre Eastland

Friday and Saturday 'She Wouldn't Say Yea' Rosalind Ruszell Lee Bowman

## Sunday and Monday

 "Dakota" John WayneTuesday and Wednesday And Then There Were No
Barry Fitzgerald

## Homes smith is Asking For A Second Term

Upon authorization from Homar Smith, County School Superin cendent, we are placing his name bsfore the velers as a candidace for re-election to that offiee for a seeand term,
Afr. 8 mith, in announeing he would sgaia seek, the office, sta ed that ho would rest his eazdid. acy on the service the has reader td the past four years, as wel as the experience he has acquired during that time. He is to issue later date,

Our Boys Ulinners of Conference Game

One of the hardest fought conference games ever oljued if the loeal gym tuok plser
night with Deademons
bays led the score most
time, but by only a small margin This is the first conference game Desdemona has lost and var boy Went into the game with a deter-
mination to win. The final score mination to win. The final
was 17 to 19 in eur favor.
The girls loat to Desdemons
a small score. They played Olden in the Olden aym Tuesday night and both our girle and boys wos. This puts our boys as one

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c. confergnce.
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They play Morton Valley her riday sight and this should be anther hard fought game for oth the boys and giris.

## The schedule for the remaining

 games is as fellows
## First Reund

Jab. I8 Morton Valley at Carbon
Second Round
Jan. 25, Carbon at Desdemona Jan, 29, Olden at Carbon Feb. 1, Carbon at Morton Valley Feb. 8, Duster at Garbon

## P. L. Crossley Seeks Re-election for County Judge

P. L. (Lawis) Crossley has anthovized the Measengor to place ais name in our politieal columa ais name in our political columa as a candidate for re-oleation to
the offlee of County Judge. Lewis, 38 he is generally linewn hore, has servad as Distriet Clerk and also in the Itate Legialature befere boing elected County Judge and states he will run atriatly on his ewa merits.
He has served only one torn in his preseat offiee. Ho is well known in Garben leyiag lived hore most of hie lifo Dofore on. tering World War 1. Bis parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Gresaley, atill reside here. His formal announeement will follow later.

Sugar Rationing Will Probably End In June

Fort Worth, Jas. 18.-M. P. Hanas, distriet OPA rationime executive here, weat out of office Baturday with the prefietion that the end of sugar rationing soon follow.
He foreast liboratiation of sugar allotments in the nogt three months and ontire lisap. pearance of cozsumar sugar ratatrictions the ond of Jane. Rec industrial purrouse of augar for will continue threugh 1946.
Hanna prophesiel that anothes sugar stamp, geed. for three months instead of four, vill be validated before the preseat
stamp ine to expirc on Apyll 30. Usless a sumething happans meantime to sfiest the sugar apd to adversely, he foresaman an ond 1946 stamp has ran ite sredicted three month ceurse.

## Drygoods

## We still have a nice stook of Dry-

 goods and hardware to select from And hope to have a largor Selection of mierchandise for the comming Year.
## Carbon Trading Comipany


Weddings Held at Home Till Invalidated by Clergy
Until the Tenth century, the
Christian peoples of Europe con-
tinued to marry themselves in
the home, despite the efforts of
the clergy for hundreds of years
to have weddings held in the
church, says Collier's. At that time.,
however, the laity began to yield,
but only to the extent of perform-
ing the ceremony outside of the
door of the church in the presence
of the priest.
This custom lasted until the
middle of the Sixteenth century
when an ecclesiastical council
passed and enforced a law mak-
ing invalid all marriages held
outside the church.
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UNIFOR IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY
SHOOL CHOOL Lesson

Lesson for January 20

the laws of a people
LESSON TEXT
GOLDEN
TEXT
Exodus,
20:-1.1

Law is necessary to order. Basic
laws have ben laid down by God laws have been laid dorder. by God
for the orderly administration of His for the orderly administration of his
universe.
Physical laws are of great imporPhysical laws are of great impor-
tance, but of even deeper signif-
cance are cance, are of even moral and and spirnitial-
laws which control the human life. laws which control the human lifa.
There is in the world a moral law

- a distinction between right and -a distinction between right and
wrons- which man may ignore only
to his own sorrow, and which he canto his ownich man man may ind ingore only
not abrogate or destroy. not abrogate or destroy.
Theses fund ammental laws were giv-
en to srael en to Israel at Mount Sinai, but they
speak to us with remarkable freshness and directrems. TTey merrit
nere extensive study thar we can
more give them in this limited space, but
we can note their broad outlines and certain practical a ppplications. The first and most important ques.
tion to be asked regarding any law
is, "By whom was it established?
in
 son or organization has no poerer
over others. Who gave the Ten
Col over others. Who gave the Ten
Commandments? Verse 1 tells us "God spake all these words." Men may sneer at theology as be
ing outmoded but the fact is that
Christian docren Christian doctrine is the only safe
foundation for Christin foundation for Christian character.
Th. Whom to Worship (vv. 2.5 .
There can be but one true God and There can be but one true God, and
He alone is to be worshiped. He is a personal being, readdy to eenter into
communion with each one of us image or likeness can take His
place. Bowing down before idols, no matter what they may be called,
is expressly forbidden is expressly forbidden by God.

2. How to Worship (vv. . . We
are to love Him and
 about this, for no matter now sweet
and pious may be the praise and and pious may be the praise and
prayer of man he has take the
Lord's name in vain unletss he keeps the Lord's commandments by holy
living. 3. When to Worship (vv. 8-11). God
has ordained that man should not incessantly bear the burden of toil.
He is to have a day of rest and a time for worship, undisturbed by the
duties and responsibilities of daily America needs a mighty stirring
up about the desecration of the Lord's day.
II. A Right View of Man (vv. 12-
To be right with God means that
we will also be right with our fellow
we will also be right twith our tellow-
man. Conversely, the man who is
manifestly wrong in his rela-
tion to his fellowman is either not
tidh

3. Family Life (V. 12). The fifth
corrmandment has to do with the collation betweer child and parent.
There is a plain and direct com.
Thend thet mand that father and mother should
be honored. Only in respect and
obedience to parents can the child be honience to parents can the chald
oossibly find true and proper devel-
Parent.
Prents who have permitted chil-
do go astray during the war dren to go astray during the war
years will ned to strss anew the
God-required obedience to their authority. 2 . Physical Life (vv. 13, 14). God 2. Physical Life (vv, 13, 14). God
is interested Lin our bodies. Aiready
we have noted His provision for a day of rest each week, Now we
are reminded of the sanctity of human life. "Thou shalt not kill," and
remember there are many other ways to kill a man other than shoot-
ing him. Let us be sure that we are not
a party to the destruction of any-
one's life either by reason of carea party to the destruction of any-
onés iff either by reason of care-
lessness or greed.
Note the emphasis on adultery.
. Note the emphasis on adultery.
Moral uncleanness, which is Moral uncleanness, which is aw-
fuly common in our day, is one of
the most effective meth y , of destroying the body even while de-
grading and defiling the soul with grading and defliung the soul with
sin
4. Social Life (vv. 15-17). "Thou
. shalt not steal" and remember any
dishonest appropriation of what dishonest appropriation of whe
does not belong to you is.
call , what you will . And "false wit. does not beelongill. And "false wit:
callit what you will
ness"- how it has honeycoubed our ness" - how it has honeyconben our
very civilization
Not a
vitle of it is found within the church, more
shame upon us. LLasty, we come to
"covetousness" - which has been called one of the "respectable sins
of nice people." It is subtie and
and often hidden. Let us root it out
our own lives by God's grace.

| Cems of Thought <br> $\mathbf{B}^{\mathrm{E}} \mathrm{y}$ HUMBLE conversation and gentle in words, I charge you, but always pertinent when youspeak: hearing out betore you attemp to answer, and then speaking to answer, and as if you would persuade, not impose.-William Penn. <br> What so groat misery as to be hated and to know that we deserve smith. <br> Do not tell evorthhins, but never lie. ... You may ancays observe that <br>  <br> Age and sorrow have the gitt of reading the future by the sad past. |
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Windows will gleam if washed
with water containing a little witch
hazel.
Mattresses should
Mattresses should be turned
from top to bottom one week and rom top to bottom one week and
side to side the next to prevent sagging.
Lamb chops taste better if they are dipped
broiling.
Squeaky floors noiseless by sifting tal
between the boards.

SEWINE CIRCLE NEEDLEWORK
Strawberry Motifs to Embroider


Popular Breeds of Horses Originated in 13 Countries
While domesticated horses and
ponies of mixed and minor strains
ponies of mixed and minor strains
tries for centuries, the 38 distinct
and best-known breeds in existence today originated in 13 counTries.
Three of these countries de-
veloped 26 of these breeds: Great veloped 26 of these breeds: Great
Britain 16, France 6, and the United States 4-the Standardbred,
the Morgan, the Mustang and the the Morgan, the Mustang
American Saddle Horse.

Take your outmoded gauntlet or your elaborately trimmed glove
and cut it down to a wrist-length shorty-this season's favorite.
Never starch linens that are be stored, since starch tends to
make the fabric crack. Wrap in blue paper to prevent yellowing. For boring small holes in plate For boring small holes in ordinary window pane, a
triangular saw file makes a good drill. Apply the file with light pressure and dip in water from


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No more being "caug
ing day without yeast in the house . . . no
mann's Fast Rising, you can start baking
any time- finish baking in "jig time."
Just dissolve according to directions on Just dissolve according to directions on
the package-in a few minutes it's ready for action. Koep New Fast Rising FleischGet it from your grocer today.


