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King And Queen Lobo LVI Coronation To Be Held

Back in 1927 when the first King Lobo Coronation was held, and up until 1965, five King Lobo nominees were picked by the student body at Cisco High School. These young men would then pick their own Queen to be escorted at the Coronation. According to reports, these nominees were very popular young men with the girls before the Coronation took place.

These young men who were nominated for King Lobo also had to be a football player. No one else was eligible.

Times have changed and now the Cisco High School Senior Class picks the nominees for both the King and Queen. The entire student body of Cisco High School elects the winning King and Queen. Also several of the winning King Loboes have excelled in Cisco High School in areas other than football.

Students in all classes also vote for their favorite person to be a representative for the King and Queen court.

This year the King and Queen Lobo LVI and their court will be presented Saturday, February 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Harrel Fine Arts Auditorium on the Cisco Junior College campus.

Nominees chosen for Queen Lobo are Debbie Endsley, daughter of Ginger and Bruce Stovall; Christy Smith, daughter of Beverly and Bobby Smith; Leigh Callarman, daughter of Judy and David Callarman; Kery Campbell, daughter of Teena and Larry Campbell; and Krista Shepard, daughter of Janice and Don Shepard.

Nominees chosen for King Lobo are Kevin Kirk, son of Evelyn and Truman Kirk; Teddy Patton, son of Anthea Patton; Chris Griffith, grandson of Serena and Bob Griffith; Mark McGinness, son of Bettye and Allen McGinness; and Brian Wagnon, son of Lisa and Jim Roberts.

The newly elected King will be crowned by Jack Martin, Cisco High School principal. The King will then crown the Queen.

Other members of the court are representatives, who are chosen by their respective classes, from kindergarten through Cisco Junior College.

The Junior Class will present a program for the entertainment of King and Queen Lobo. The program will be several comedy skits, including one of Snoopy, that are taken from the comic page of the Sunday paper.

Tickets are \$3.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the junior class and will be available at the door that night.



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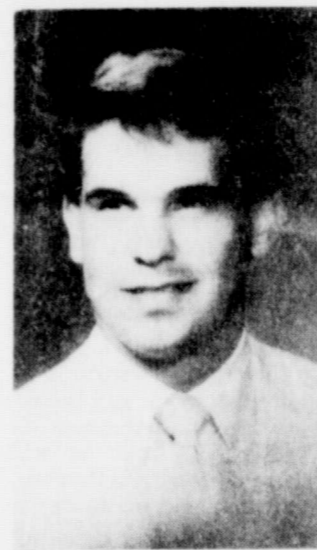
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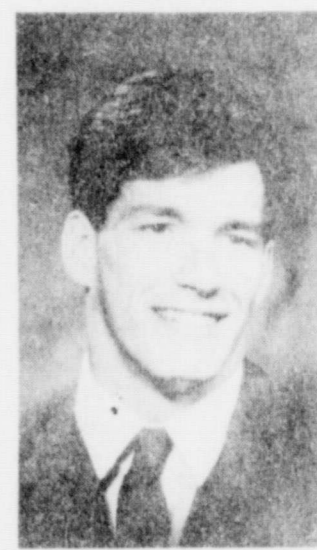
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Library To Celebrate 97th Birthday With Open House

The Cisco Public Library extends a cordial invitation to citizens of Cisco to attend an Open House on Friday, Feb. 12, 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. The Library is located at 6th and Avenue G.

Open House celebrates the Library's 97th Birthday, Valentine's Day, Lincoln's Birthday, and a special recognition of Frank Vernon, founder of Cisco's first Library and editor of the early-day newspaper, The Cisco Roundup.

Vernon chose the first book, housed the fledgling collection in his home, and with his wife as the first librarian, operated the Library until in 1900, when

his health began to fail, he asked the Twentieth Century Club to assume responsibility. This club has maintained the Library since that time, moving its collections from the Vernon home to the home of Mrs. A. B. Johnson, to a small building on West 6th, site of the present Post Office, and in 1932 to the present location on Avenue G.

Refreshments of cookies, punch and coffee will be served. Since this Friday is a regular day for the Library, books may be returned and withdrawn.

The Library, under the direction of Mrs. Mary Bob Leveridge, has had a successful year. Patronage has

increased; a great deal of assistance is available from the State Library Systems through the Abilene Library although the Cisco organization is not a full-fledged member; many new books have been purchased along with the 50 books regularly loaned by the Abilene Center plus a changing supply of paperbacks. The number of children now taking advantage of the excellent collection of children's books has increased, due in large part to the efforts of Mrs. Leveridge.

Remember the date - Friday, February 12 -- a welcome awaits you.

Wranglers Lose To TSTI: Play MCC Here Tonight

Cold shooting and a poor second half rebounding performance spelled defeat for the CJC Wrangler Men Monday night as they lost to league leading TSTI 66-62 in Waco. The game was originally scheduled for Saturday, but was postponed because of icy roads.

The Wranglers started strong, jumping out to an early 10-2 lead over the Tornados. However, the league leaders came on strong late

in the first half, and tied the score on Reginald Degrate's jumps shot just before the buzzer. Halftime score was 35-35. TSTI jumped out to an early second half lead on the strength of their offensive rebounding. Cisco was able to regain the lead on two occasions, but TSTI's Jeff Ralston hit three three-point shots to put the Tornado in control. Two three-pointers by CJC's Todd Mannon made the score close at the

end. With the win, TSTI is now in firm control of the conference lead with a 7-1 record. Their only loss was to the Wranglers in the conference opener in Cisco. Cisco's conference record is now 3-5. They have not been able to win the close games, losing the five by a combined total of seventeen points.

Thomas Miller led Wrangler scoring with 14 points. Tyrone Williams was the rebound leader with eleven. The Wranglers entertained McLennan Community College here tonight (Wednesday). Game time is 8:00 p.m., preceded by the women's game at 6:00. They travel to Ranger on Saturday night.



JULIE DENNIS



WENDY WESTER

CHS Students Receive First Ratings In Contest

On Saturday, Feb. 6th, Julie Dennis and Wendy Wester participated in the Abilene Regional University Interscholastic League Music Vocal Solo competition.

Julie, who is a sophomore at Cisco High School, sang a Class II solo, "Who'll Buy My Lavender" and received a First Division rating.

Wendy, a junior at Cisco High School, sang a Class I solo, "Chartless," and received a First Division rating. Wendy's First Division rating on a Class I solo qualifies her to participate in the state competition in late May.

Julie, 16, is the daughter of Roy and Sandy Dennis. Wendy, also 16, is the daughter of Dan and Susan Wester.

County Commissioner Bacon Reports Trash Dumping Here

Commissioner Billy Bacon of Pct. 4 told other Commissioners and news media Monday about the continuing garbage-dumping problem near Cisco.

Bacon said that on Sunday someone dumped a big load of trash one mile south of his land on Farm Rd. 169, south of Cisco.

The trash was dumped on the right side of the Herbert Wendt gate, he reports. Bacon said he knew the trash came from Cisco, for three different names were found with it.

The Commissioner also said he called Constable Ted Parrish about the trash dumping, and the Constable

came out and investigated. Other Commissioners remarked that they also had problems with dumping in rural areas.

"The rural people are usually not the ones doing the dumping," one Commissioner said. "People bring this trash out of town."

The Commissioners said they felt that charges at the city dumps, certain restrictions, and short hours at one of them add to the problem of illegal rural dumping.

"When people don't have the money to pay those (city dump) fees they are going to unload their trash anywhere they can," a Commissioner said.

Plans For Christmas In May Are Being Made

The annual "Christmas in May" has officially begun for 1988 with applications now being accepted at the Chamber of Commerce office in Cisco. Benton Lacy, chairman of the program, said that a drive for funds will also be started immediately.

The project is sponsored by the Cisco Chamber of Commerce and works with many of the churches in the area and much volunteer labor. The program calls for housing repair for the elderly and the handicapped. Money contributed to the project by citizens, organizations and businesses in Cisco is spent only for materials to make the repairs. The labor is strictly volunteer.

The procedure for selection begins with people who would like to have their houses considered for the project to obtain an application at the Chamber of Commerce and have it filled out and returned. To be qualified for consideration, applicants must be 60 years old or older or handicapped (if not elderly); must own the home (or in the process of buying it); and have a low income (financially unable to afford repairs, receiving Social Security or Veteran Benefits).

Each application will be reviewed and each home will be visited by the selection committee. A survey will be made to determine what repairs are needed. If selected, the home will then be included for repair by the volunteer labor force in May.

Anyone interested in donating time or money to the project may call the Chamber of Commerce office in Cisco. Appeals are being mailed to the Chamber of Commerce members, churches, and civic clubs in the

area. It is hoped that at least \$3,500.00 can be raised by an April 1 deadline so plans can proceed on the project.

The "Christmas in May" has been recognized as an important program to improve the homes of those in the community who cannot

do it themselves. If you can pledge time or money please call 442-2537 or come by the Chamber office in the Hilton Community Center.

The deadline for applications has been set as March 1.



SANDRA MAXWELL

Maxwell Is Finalist In Teen Beauty Contest

Miss Sandra Maxwell, 17-year old daughter of Ruby and Jerry Alexander of Cisco has been selected as a finalist in the 17th Annual Miss Texas National Teen-Ager Pageant to be held at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, on June 3rd, 4th and 5th, 1988. Miss Maxwell, who is a junior at Cisco High School will be one of the participants who will be coming from all over the state to compete for the title. The Miss Texas National Teen-Ager Pageant is the Official State Final to the Miss National Teen-Ager Pageant to be held in August, 1988.

The winner of the State Pageant will receive a \$1,000 Cash Award plus a 2-year tuition scholarship to Oklahoma City University, other prizes and an all-expense paid trip to compete in the nationally syndicated televised Miss National

Teen-Ager Pageant, where she will be competing for \$20,000 in cash scholarships, a 1988 Mazda, and other awards. Winners of the Citizenship Award (one senior and one underclassman) on both regional and state levels will each receive a \$10,000 tuition scholarship to Eckerd College in St. Petersburg, Florida. The College will also award ten (10) \$16,000 regional tuition scholarships and two (2) \$24,000 expense scholarships to the National Winners. Scholarships will also be awarded by Millikin University in Decatur, Illinois and Johnson & Wales College in Providence, Rhode Island.

Monica Perry of Spring, the 1987 Miss Texas National Teen-Ager will crowd the Continued On Next Page....

Candidates For SBOE Will Meet In Abilene

Candidates for District 14 for the State Board of Education will meet in public forum at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 11, in the Abilene High School Cafeteria.

It is urged that anyone who is a supporter of an elected State Board of Education rather than an appointed board attend this important meeting.

A panel has been chosen to question each candidate and there will be time for the public to meet the candidates at a reception.

The candidates are Democrats Charles Eugene McDonald of Bangs, William Luther Hudson of Wichita Falls, Ben Doyle Sudderth of Comanche, James Lewis Wilks of Sweetwater, and Republicans Peter N. Micale of San Angelo and Donald Ray Dorsett of Stephenville.

Kountry Kids 4-H Club To Have Bake Sale

Kountry Kids 4-H Club will have a bake sale at First National Bank on Friday, February 12, beginning at 9 a.m. Please come by and help support your local 4-H'ers by getting something "sweet" for your valentine.

Garrett Gerhardt Reporter



Underwood Gives Statement To Voters

Incumbent Sheriff Don Underwood has issued the following formal statement:

Don Underwood states that he wants to be your Sheriff for four more years. Don is a native of Eastland County. He was born in Carbon in 1941, where he attended school and graduated from Carbon High School in 1959. Don is the son of the late Henry Underwood and Mrs. Sibyl Underwood, now of Eastland.

Don's brother, Milton Underwood lives in Eastland and has a sister, Edna Powell of Gorman. Don is married to the former Dolores Foster, daughter of the late Dick Foster, at one time an Eastland County Commissioner, and Mrs. Velda Baze of Gorman.

Don's involvement in law enforcement and work- Continued On Next Page....



Teen Beauty Contest

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new Texas queen. The reigning Miss National Teen-Ager is Kerri Wright of Enid, Oklahoma who received \$25,000 in prizes and awards, including a \$10,000 Cash Scholarship.

Each contestant in the State Pageant participates in the Volunteer Community Service program of the National Teen-Ager Pageant. This program encourages teenagers to participate in school and civic affairs. A Mini-Modeling Charm

Course is taught during the pageant. Contestants will be judged on scholastic achievement, leadership, poise-personality and appearance. There is no swimsuit competition. Talent may be presented at the option of the participant of an oral essay on the subject "What's Right About America?"

Miss Maxwell is being sponsored by East River International of Garland. Her hobbies include horseback riding, swimming, twirling and skating.

Sheriff Don Underwood

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ing with young people has influenced his own family. Dolores is currently employed as a dispatcher for Eastland County Police Dispatch. Don's brother-in-law, Brent Foster, is a certified police officer. Don's oldest son, Lyndall, has five years experience in law enforcement and is currently Chief of Police of Eastland. Greg is employed by Texas-New Mexico and Light and resides in Clifton, Texas. Daryl, the youngest son, works for the Erath County Sheriff's Department. The Underwood's also have twin grandsons, Jady and Jody, who attend Siebert Elementary School in Eastland.

Don has all these reasons for wanting to continue the battle against drugs and for the protection of life and property. Don believes that the protection of life and property are the main issues as Sheriff of Eastland County. Don is fully convinced that drugs and drug related crimes are a definite threat to our society and to the citizens of this County.

Don has, in the past, been a member of many local organizations including 4-H, civic clubs, and has worked with little league baseball teams. At the present time he is serving on the Board of Directors for the West Central Texas Law Enforcement Association where he has also served as President and Vice-President. Don has been a member of the Texas Sheriff's Association since 1976 and has served on the Education and Training Committee, Vice-Chairman of the Legislative Committee, Vice-Chairman of the Uniform Crime Reporting Committee, and is now serving as Vice-Chairman of the Resolutions Committee. Don is also a member of the Eastland County Law Enforcement Association and National Sheriff's Association. Don is currently serving on the Board of Governors for the fourteen county West Central Texas Drug Task Force. Don works with the Eastland County young people during their stock show and sale.

Don and his family are members of Daugherty Street Church of Christ in Eastland. Don believes that during the last three years by working closely with other agencies that he and his department have reduced the number of unsolved crimes committed in Eastland County. During the last three years there has been a large increase in the number of drug arrests made by the combined effort of all Law Enforcement agencies of Eastland County.

This is a result of advanced training in all aspects of criminal investigation and civil process procedures. Training in both areas is a must in Law Enforcement today because of the liabilities which the Sheriff and his department are responsible. During the past twenty one years, Don has accumulated over 1200 certified hours of specialized training in all aspects of Law Enforcement. These accredited courses qualify Don to better serve the people of Eastland County. The following courses are all approved by Texas Commission of Law Enforcement Officers Standards and Education and include:

Jail Administration, Criminal Investigation, Civil Process, Choosing Qualified Personnel, Search and Seizure, Courtroom Testimony, Case Preparation, Riot Control, Crime Scene Protection and Gathering Evidence, Sexual Abuse of Children, Recognition and Detecting of Clandestine Laboratories, Traffic Law, Accident Investigation and Recognizing and Detecting DWI's (Driving While Intoxicated).

Sheriff Underwood holds an advanced certificate in Law Enforcement. He also holds an Instructors Certificate which qualifies him to teach Firearms Training, Criminal Law Enforcement, Civil Process Procedures, and Jail Certification.

This Week's Featured Lady Wranglers



TINA GUTIERREZ
A 5'8" freshman from Grandview High School, Tina was First Team All-State, and played in the Metroplex All-Star Game and Hall of Fame All-Star Game.



RONDA SIMMONS
Rhonda is a 5'11" freshman from Staton High School. She played in Texas High School All-Star Game, and was All-State and All-South Plains.



ELAYNE CARUTHERS
Elayne is a 5'6" freshman from Plainview High School. She was First Team All-District, Outstanding Defensive Player in District, District Champ 100 meters and shot put.

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Sheriff Underwood began his Law Enforcement career with the Texas Department of Public Safety in 1967. In 1975 he was appointed Juvenile Probation Officer for Nolan County. In 1977, Don took office as Sheriff of Nolan County and served until March, 1983 when he moved his family back to his home county, Eastland, to run for Sheriff. Before Don was elected as Eastland County Sheriff, he was employed as the Criminal Investigator for the Eastland Police Department. Don Underwood was elected and took office as Sheriff of Eastland County January 1, 1985.

Don has a total of three deputies who have 29 years of combined experience, two of the deputies have college degrees. Don and his deputies are very active in presenting drug programs to all school children and citizens of all ages. The Sheriff's Department also has a certified crime prevention officer



MIKKI WEBB
Mikki is a 5'7" freshman from Abernathy High School where she was named 1987 Player of the Year Class 2A, All-State First Team, and played in Golden Spread All-Star Game.



MICHELLE WILKINSON
Michelle is a 5'8" freshman from Panhandle High School. She played in Golden Spread All-Star Game, named to All-Region Team, and ran in State Track Meet 1600 meter relay.

with programs to educate organizations and citizens to make homes and businesses safer from the criminal element.

Sheriff Underwood does not wish to see any type of tax increase to expand the present jail but he will work closely with the county commissioners to stay in compliance with the State Commission of Jail Standards.

The Sheriff of Eastland County does not have the authority to authorize personal recognizance bonds. This can only be authorized and approved by a Judge and the sheriff must stay within the law that regulates personal recognizance bonds.

Indigent inmates in custody must apply to the judge for a court appointed attorney, then the inmate must meet the legal requirements of an indigent. Inmates sentenced to Texas Department of Corrections are transferred only thru

Athletic Boosters To Have Supper

The location for the Cisco Athletic Booster Club's pancake supper has been changed to Cisco Elementary School Cafeteria. It had originally been announced that the supper would be held at Cisco High School Cafeteria. The supper will be from 5:30 until 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 25.

Proceeds raised at the "all you can eat" supper will be used by the club in support of all athletic programs of Cisco schools. Plans are now being made for a high school baseball program this spring.

The menu will consist of pancakes, sausage, tea or coffee, and tickets will be priced at \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for students. Tickets will be available from any booster club member, student council member, Dr. Allen McGinness' office, The Cisco Press, or Olney Savings.

At 7 p.m. the Cisco High School Student Council will hold a "Slave Auction" to raise money for student council projects.

public notices

COMMUNITY CLOTHING CLOSET TO OPEN FEB. 13th

The Community Clothing Closet, located at 116 Rusk St., in Ranger, will be open Saturday, February 13, from 12:30 p.m. til ?(weather permitting)

If you are in need of good, free clothing, come by the Clothing Closet.

For further information contact Wilda Cross at 647-1323.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

The following persons have authorized this newspaper to announce that they are candidates for election, subject to the action of the Primaries of March 8, 1988:

County Sheriff - Don Underwood (re-election)
Dee Hogan
United States House of Representatives - 17th Congressional District - Charles W. Stenholm (re-election)

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE MONTH

Governor Bill Clements is scheduled to sign a proclamation February 5th designating the month of February as Community College Month in Texas.

Eastland County has a double reason for observing the special month -- with two community colleges within its boundaries, serving a large area. Cisco Junior College and Ranger Junior College are among the 49 public community colleges in the state.

Community colleges prepare students for transfer to a four-year college or university; train them for new careers or update their skills for existing jobs; and enable them to master basic English, reading and math skills. Community colleges also provide a comprehensive community service and continuing education program of vocational, personal enrichment, and business and industry support courses.

More than half a million Texans attend community colleges. The state's 49 public community colleges reported a combined fall 1987 enrollment of 327,425 -- a net increase of 25,340 students from a year ago. Another 176,325 enrolled in adult vocational courses, and more than 100,000 Texans signed up for personal enrichment courses which are supported totally by local user fees. The four campuses of the Texas State Technical Institute reported a combined fall 1987 enrollment of 8,686 students.

Texas has the second largest total community college enrollment in the country, according to the most recent survey by the American Association of Community and Junior Colleges (fall 1985 data released in January 1987). Only California enrolled more community college students.

More college freshman and sophomores get their start at community colleges around the state. In degree programs, community colleges enroll 64 percent of all freshman and sophomores and 45 percent of all students in Texas public higher education.

Data show that an almost equal percentage of graduates from Texas' four-year institutions begin their education at community colleges (35 percent) as entered four-year institutions as freshman (36 percent).

Texas community colleges offer occupational training in more than 1,900 technical and vocational programs.

According to the U.S. Census Bureau (1987), persons leaving community colleges with an associate degree can expect to earn an average starting salary of \$16,152 a year -- or \$3,612 more than the average starting salary of high school graduates and almost double the starting salary of high school dropouts.

Thirty-three of the state's 49 public community colleges, responding to a fall 1987 Coordinating Board survey, reported

providing a wide variety of training and other support services to 1,542 different companies in the fiscal year ending August 1987.

Texas' public community colleges and technical institutes are accessible. Strategically located throughout Texas, the 49 community college districts (with their 66 campuses) and the four campuses of the Texas State Technical Institute are within easy driving distance of 90 percent of the population.

Texas' public community colleges ranked 37th in the nation in the average amount of tuition fees charged resident students (\$561) for 30 semester credit hours in 1986-87, according to **Tuition and Fee Rates - A National Comparison** published in March 1987 by the Higher Education Coordinating Board, State of Washington. Texas ranked 35th in the nation in the average amount of tuition and fees (\$1,496) charged non-residents at public community colleges in the same period.

Forty-three percent of the operating income for public community colleges comes from local sources (taxes, tuition, fees, other) and 57 percent from state appropriations.

For fall 1986, the average age of junior college students in Texas was 27 -- slightly older than the average age (25) of students at public state senior institutions. Fifty-five percent are women.

Minority students account for almost a third of

the state's public community college student enrollment -- and more minority students attend public community colleges than other kinds of higher education institutions in Texas.

In fall 1987, Texas' public community colleges enrolled 104,115 minority students compared to 73,319 enrolled in public senior colleges and universities. Black students make up 9.5 percent of the state's community college enrollment; Hispanics, 18.8 percent; and other minority groups, 3.4 percent. Nationwide, community colleges enroll 54 percent of Hispanic undergraduates and 43 percent of Black and Asian college students, according to the **Digest of Education Statistics, 1987**, Washington, D.C.: Center for Education Statistics, U.S. Department of Education.

Dallas Community College District is the largest undergraduate institution in Texas, enrolling 48,600 students in fall 1987. Community colleges range in size from Clarendon College, Frank Phillips College, and Ranger Junior College, each serving fewer than 1,000 students, to the larger districts like Dallas County, Alamo Community College District (30,858) and Tarrant County Junior College District (24,953).

Two of the oldest community colleges in Texas are Weatherford College and Blinn College, both founded in the mid-1800's. The newest is Collin County Community College District (1985).

More than 7,600 people serve on citizen advisory committees to one of 33 of the state's 49 public community colleges responding to a fall 1987 Coordinating Board survey.

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Marilyn Monroe Returns To The Majestic

This week the Majestic Theatre in Eastland is initiating a new classic film series. One weekend of each month the Majestic will feature a classic film in conjunction with an art exhibit in the mezzanine by an area artist. Make this an occasion to dress-up and go out-on-the-town for a classic evening of entertainment and elegance. The balcony will be open for the classic films at the Friday and Saturday night shows.

To begin our classic series Marilyn Monroe will star in a double feature, "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" from 1953, and "The Seven Year Itch" from 1955. These films contain some of the best Marilyn Monroe footage ever put on film. In "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" Monroe and Jane Russell are two showgirls who embark for France seeking rich husbands. The pursuit of millionaires and diamonds lands them in a

French court, but Monroe and Russell are equal to any trial. This is a musical featuring "Diamonds Are a Girl's Best Friend". "The Seven Year Itch" starts itching when a New York publisher's wife goes away for the long, hot summer, and he (Tom Ewell) finds himself succumbing to forbidden liquor and cigarettes and dreams of girls - especially the well stacked blonde (Monroe) upstairs - who almost promises but

never delivers. "The Seven Year Itch" has the famous shot of Marilyn standing over a subway grating with her skirt blowing up to her face. By 1954 Marilyn Monroe was one of Hollywood's largest box-office attractions and America's newest sex goddess. Her wiggle, her pout, her husky voice, were becoming the object of women's imitation and men's dreams. She exuded breathless sensuality that

Photography Exhibit At Majestic

A photography exhibit by Nancy Hammes of Cisco will be featured during the classic movie at the Majestic Theatre at Eastland Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 12, 13 and 14. Mrs. Hammes will have about 20 pictures in the mezzanine display, with several by her husband, Dr. Ken Hammes. The showing will include portraits, landscapes and still life in color and black-and-white.

The scenics were photographed in Arizona and Utah, but some local people are featured in the portraits. Dr. Hammes, head of the English Department at Cisco Junior College, grew up in Arizona. Mrs. Hammes, a Reading instructor at the College, first became interested in photography about 1978. She took photography classes at the College with Anna Brazzell as instructor.

"I credit Mrs. Brazzell with my interest in photography," Nancy Hammes says. "She whetted my desire to learn all I could about it." Mrs. Hammes says that she "likes people photography best, especially children." The Hammesses have a seven-month-old daughter, Whitney, who provides some practice along this line. Besides the photography,

Mrs. Hammes also does the darkroom work on her black-and-white pictures. She reports that she enjoys this aspect of photography also.

"Photography has made me more aware of my surroundings - more interested in light, shadows and shapes I had missed before," she says. A number of people enjoyed her artistic exhibit about three years ago in the CJC Library. Now theatre goers are invited to this display of Hammes pictures in the Majestic next weekend.

Fishing Outdoors

By Terry Wilson

3-D SONAR BRINGS NEW DIMENSION TO SPORT FISHING by Robert Troutman

Imagine a fish finder that "sees" three times as much of the underwater world as most sonar units, and six times more than some. Think how nice it would be if a fish finder could actually tell you where fish are located relative to the boat - right or left side, or below. Or how about a sonar unit featuring a computerized fish I.D. system that tells you which signals are fish instead of logs, weeds and other objects?

and dropoffs, under piers and bridges, and past buoy lines into areas restricted to boat traffic. The applications of this technology are going to be limited only by fishermen's imaginations!"

The vast majority of open-water anglers depend solely on sonar to locate schools of fish. Often, anglers agonize through slow days wondering if they missed fish by a scant few feet. They understand all too well that while they are moving, so too are the fish. Considering the huge expanse of water that both cover in a day's time, the odds are against their meeting.

The "field of vision" common to most sonar units is especially restrictive for shallow water anglers. A one-inch crystal transducer has approximately a twenty-degree cone angle (the widest commonly used in the industry when measured by standard methods). It

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This capability helps fishermen find schools of fish that were previously out of range, and even tells them which direction to turn the boat to reach them!

There's no telling where ongoing research will lead. For the time being, however, anglers are enjoying a new dimension in the sport fishing sonar undreamed of just a year ago.

The E.C.B.C. will be fishing Lake Palo Pinto. Fishing hours were reported to be 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. This will be open to E.C.B.C. members only.

By Terry L. Wilson

was at once erotic and wholesome, invitingly real and appealingly funny. Marilyn Monroe was a legend. In her own lifetime she created a myth of what a poor girl from a deprived background could attain, and for the entire world she became a symbol of the eternal feminine. Despite how often you may have seen these films on television, they cannot be seen the way they were filmed except when projected upon the "BIG SCREEN". They just don't fit on television. See these classic films the way they were meant to be seen at the Majestic Theatre this weekend.

This weekend the mezzanine will host a photography exhibit by Nancy Hammes from Cisco. Feature times: Friday, Saturday, and Sunday 7:30 p.m. The BALCONY will be open for the Friday and Saturday night shows. All Seats are \$2.50.

Entering The Year Of The Dragon

February 17 is the Chinese New Year - this year, The ancient Chinese calendar, called the yin-yang li, does not match our Gregorian calendar, so the holiday can fall anywhere between January 20 and February 20.

The Gregorian calendar, which is used today in most countries, is based on the solar year - 365 days, the time it takes the earth to circle the sun. The old Chinese calendar, still used in most of the Orient to set the dates of holidays and festivals, is based upon lunar time. Each month begins at a new moon, every 29½ days. The New Year falls at the second moon after the onset of winter.

The Oriental calendar also groups years into cycles of 60, naming each year within the cycle with a rotating two-word combination. One of the words always is the name of an animal, one of twelve: rat, ox, tiger, hare, dragon, snake, horse, sheep, monkey, fowl, dog and pig.

Further, the Chinese zodiac corresponds to these animals. We are about to enter the year of the dragon - a passage to celebrate, for the dragon is considered a particularly strong and auspicious symbol.

WORD OF GOD

For Those Who Grieve

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.

My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth.

Psalm 121:1,2

Customer Relations Key To Retail Business

COLLEGE STATION--"Word of mouth" often can "make" or "break" a retail business. "Research indicates that a dissatisfied customer typically tells about 10 other people, and most retailers, especially in smaller towns, can not afford to lose that much business.

"The key to a successful retail business is customer satisfaction," said Dr. Don Stebbins.

"Recent survey show that it's not unusual for consumers in small towns to spend more than half of their income in larger cities," notes Stebbins, a community development specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. "To a large extent, higher prices are not the problem. If necessary, most consumers are willing to pay slightly higher prices and support local merchants if they are satisfied in other ways."

That means excellent customer relations—a low cost, effective way for merchants to keep present customers and gain new ones.

"Good 'word of mouth' advertising is the cheapest and best advertising that a merchant can get," emphasizes the specialist. "More merchants need to do a better job and make sure that satisfied customers are spreading the word."

Good customer relations include asking questions to understand customer needs. "Many times customers need assistance in selecting the correct model, size or quality of some product," points out Stebbins. "It's important to know enough about the product to help the customer make the best choice."

A sincere smile on the face of a courteous, well

groomed salesperson who is giving a customer full attention can make a favorable impression. On the other hand, an indifferent attitude by the sales person can easily send a customer to a competitor.

Even the best managed store will occasionally have a dissatisfied customer, notes the specialist.

"Experts in customer relations tell us that there are effective ways to deal with the irate person," says Stebbins. "The important thing is to allow the unhappy customer to express his feelings and then find an agreeable solution."

Stebbins advises community business leaders to take the initiative in en-

couraging and assisting merchants to adopt improved customer relations procedures.

"Everyone in the community benefits if the retail trade and service sector is pleasing customers," says the specialist. "Businesses are more likely to be profitable, customers happier and jobs in retailing more secure. And more dollars stay in town to possibly create more job opportunities."

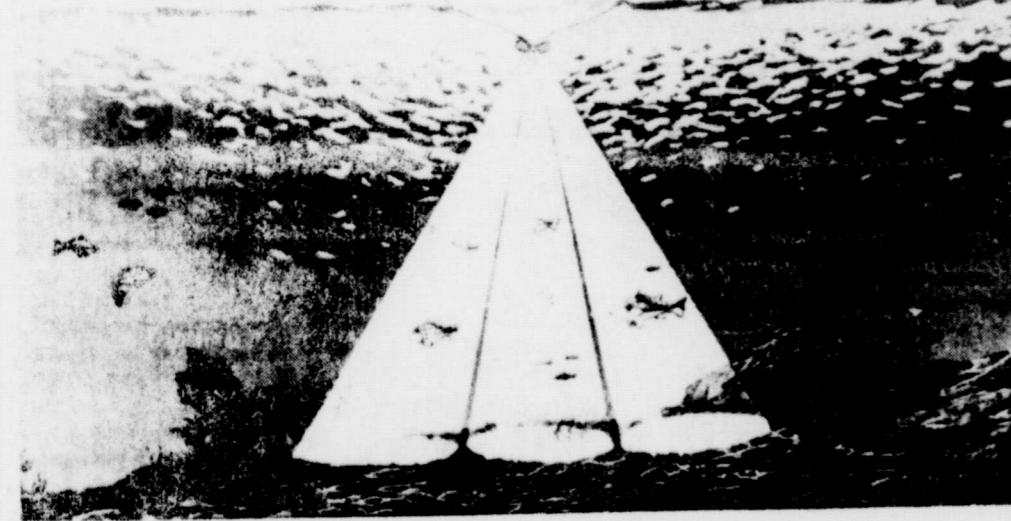
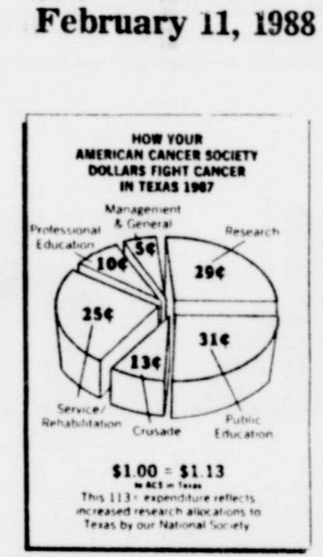
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County Commissioner Discuss Many Items

Eastland County Commissioners learned during their meeting Monday that the County Jail would not be inspected by the Texas Jails Standards Commission until March 30 this year.

In last year's inspection on March 12 six deficiencies were noted by Bob Dearing, who will make the inspection again this year.

"I see no reason why we won't be certified this year," Sheriff Don Underwood told the Commissioners. He did say that the Inter-com at the first door and back door of the facility were not fixed, but stated that this "was not

necessary for certification."

Commissioner Billy Bacon of Pct. 4 was asked about the San Angelo Company which was supposed to take care of the Inter-com work. Bacon indicated that this final job was not on the original bid.

The Commissioners said that if it wasn't on the bid it was the architect's fault. They suggested that County Judge Scott Bailey write Abilene architect James Wheeler a letter about the matter.

Bacon reported that 18 inmates were currently in the Jail, and the facility "looked clean."

Any mention of possible jail expansion was tabled.

"Don't mention 'building' - that's a dirty word down my way," said L.T. Owen, Pct. 3 Commissioner.

Another agenda item concerned the determination of a County policy on the operation of County vehicles for private purposes, and transportation and expense allowances for conducting County business.

One Commissioner said he "thought this was pretty well settled - but someone keeps always bringing it up."

Richard Robinson, Comm. of Pct. 1, told the Court that

if a vehicle is used to go back and forth to work it is private use.

L.T. Owen said: "I leave mine in the shop and walk back and forth to work."

County Clerk JoAnn Johnson told the Court that new laws on the use of County vehicles had come into effect in 1987, and if you use such a vehicle for private purposes you have to report mileage or pay a tax on \$3 per day.

Sheriff Don Underwood reminded the Court that all law enforcement officers were exempt from this law, since they were on call 24

hrs. per day.

The Commissioners indicated that they also felt like they were also on call 24 hours per day. They talked about the confusing aspects of the current laws - and how in large Precincts the homes of employees needed to be set up as sub-stations for road work.

They decided to discuss this matter further before outlining a definite policy.

As the Court session ended District Attorney Emory Walton told the Commissioners that George Gray, Georgetown Attorney, was asking for a re-hearing at the Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin on a lawsuit against Eastland County.

The State Court recently ruled against Gray in his suit to collect \$17,010 from the County for the work he did for a Garcia Crime Trial defendant before he was appointed as an Attorney by the District Court.

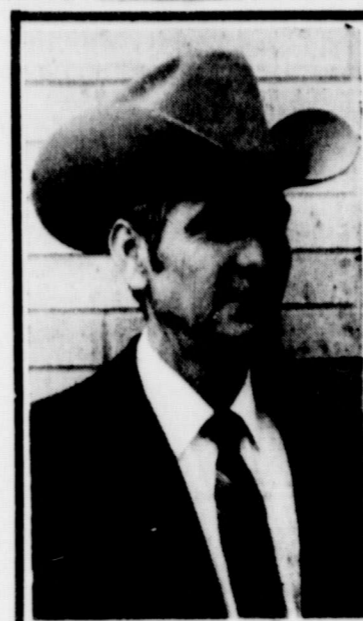
"I'm optimistic that the Austin Court will stay with their precious decision on the matter," Walton said.

He told the Commissioners that he would file an answer to Gray's request "in a day or two."

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EASTLAND COUNTY IS A GROWING AND CHANGING AREA. Don Underwood is concerned about the direction of that growth and change. He is still concerned about the drug traffic and criminal activity in the area. Don is still concerned about the safety of life and property. Don believes that with a combined cooperative effort of all local, state and federal agencies, we will be able to continue to provide a professional and effective deterrent to criminal activity. Don believes that his experience qualifies him to serve as Sheriff of your county.

Exercise Your Privilege --- Vote

Primary elections are only one month away. March 8th is the day to exercise your right to vote. According to regulations there must be two different polling places, one designated for Democrats and one for Republicans. Those wishing to vote for a Republican presidential candidate or for any other Republican can-

didate for office must cast their ballot at the Republican polling place. The same policy holds true to Democrats.

You might want to clip this chart out as a reminder of the places to go to cast your ballot:

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Rising Star-- School Tax Office.
Gorman-- New Fire Station.

DEMOCRATS
Cisco-- Corral Room, Conrad Hilton Avenue.
Eastland-- Courthouse.
Rising Star-- Mr. Barnes.
Gorman-- Old Fire Station.
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bon, Olden and other Eastland residents who wish to vote for a Republican candidate must vote at one of the four designated polling places in Cisco, Eastland, Rising Star or Gorman. Those voting for a Democratic candidate may vote at their usual polling place.

Regulations for casting your ballot will change during the fall general elections. In this election one can split their vote between candidates and there will be only one designated polling place. Remember this is not so in the March 8th Primaries. As an American you have the right and privilege to vote. Your vote could make a difference. Don't forget to vote on March the 8th.

ducts will be in the Studios by February 15.

Book Display At Hilton Center

Cisco Writer's Club members will hold "Open House" at the Hilton Community Center next Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 13 and 14.

The hours will be 10 a.m. - 12 noon and 1 - 5 p.m. on Saturday, and 2 - 5 p.m. on Sunday.

A number of books by local authors will be on display in the Hotel lobby. The public is invited to tour the Hotel, look over the books, and meet the writers.

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Vote For Don Underwood For Sheriff March 8

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4-H NEWS

By Crystal Wilbanks, County Agent—

Many things are happening around the county with the 4-H program. Members and parents are beginning to put the final touch on their projects for the Eastland County Livestock Show. All market animals need to be weighed so that you will have some idea of how your animal is coming along. I have helped weigh some of the animals this past week; however, there are still a lot of you who need to have this done. We have a set of lamb and hog scales, for your use. To

make a reservation for the scales, call 629-1093. Again, let me stress that it's extremely important for you to keep a record of your animals weight!

Other important dates include:

- Jr. Leader's Association Meeting - 3:00 p.m. - Feb. 7th, Sunday County Showbarn
- 4-H & Youth Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Mon., Feb. 8th TU Reddy Room
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LAKE LEON - Near Country Club! Beautiful wooded waterfront lot with furnished cabin, 1 blk. off pavement. O14

CARBON - 2 LOTS **SOLD** sites, ready for mobile home. Lawn, fruit & pecan **SOLD** util. bldg. & shop, fenced 025

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks to our friends at the passing of our loved one. We appreciate the prayers, calls, visits, flowers, food and other acts of kindness shown to us at the time of our sorrow.

Thanks to the ladies of Faith Baptist Church for serving lunch.

Special thanks to Dr. DeLuca and Dr. Hazelip. Also thanks to the nursing staffs of Eastland Memorial Hospital and Canterbury Villa Nursing Home.

May God bless each of you. **The Esther McKeen Family**

NOTICES

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Did You Know?

Nine states were needed to approve the Constitution before it would take effect and a new government could be established. On December 7, 1787, Delaware became the first state to ratify it. Pennsylvania followed soon afterward on December 12th, New Jersey on December 18th, Georgia on January 2nd, Connecticut on January 9th, Massachusetts on February 6th, Maryland on April 28th, and South Carolina on May 23rd. On June 21, 1788, New Hampshire became the ninth state to ratify this document, which then put the Constitution into effect. The Charles Crawford Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution urges you all to study the process and problems met with the ratification by your state.

Gouverneur Morris was born on January 31, 1752, in Morrisania, New York. Because of his literary skills, he was responsible for the writing of the Constitution. His foresight and wording created a document that has lasted for over 200 years. The Charles Crawford Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution honors this great American.

Hospital Report

Eastland Memorial

The following patients have released their name for publication in this newspaper:

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MAJESTIC NEWS

By Gary Ford

The Majestic wishes to thank the following area restaurants for participating in our Tom Wopat promotion by giving away a free dinner for two on the evening before the show.

The Crossin' Golden Hut Chinese Restaurant
K-Bob's Pizza Inn
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Door-prize winners during the Tom Wopat show were: (twelve complimentary movie passes)

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Lynn Williams - Ranger
Melissa Sitton - Cisco
Vicki Seay - Gorman

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Sunday - Jim Rhodes - Cisco

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Fund Started For Mrs. Reed

A fund to assist with the medical expenses of Mrs. Lawrence (Ann Walker) Reed, who is critically ill, has been established, it has been announced by the Eastland Volunteer Fire Dept.

Mrs. Reed, a longtime employee at Eastland Memorial Hospital, was the wife of the late D.J. Walker, who was meat market manager at Super Save Grocery for many years.

Her children are Mack Walker and Mrs. Joe Herring.

Contributions may be mailed or taken to Pat Burns at Eastland National Bank.

D.J. Walker was a lifelong member of the Volunteer Fire Dept. and Mack is second Assistant Fire Chief.

Mrs. Reed, of 208 Folts St., was a patient at Hendrick Medical Center for a long time, and is presently at Eastland Memorial Hospital.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BOY SCOUTS

The Boy Scouts of America will celebrate their 78th year of service to the youth of our country with the observance of National Scout Week February 7 to 13, 1988. Starting with Scout Sunday, which is February 7, and throughout the week, the Comanche Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, will observe Scout Week.

The Comanche Trail Council is composed of eight north central counties which are Brown, Mills, San Saba, Lampasas, Com-

anche, Erath, Eastland and Stephens. The council serves the scouting needs of the youth of this part of the state with 1660 boys and girls involved with the scouting program in cub, boy scout and explorer units, with 540 adult volunteer leaders in 55 packs, troops and posts within the Comanche Trail Council.

Congratulations to all the scouts and scout leaders of the Comanche Trail Council. Happy 78th Birthday.



SCOUT-O-RAMA MARCH 5, 1988

The Comanche Trail Council will hold a council-wide "Scout-O-Rama" on Saturday, March 5, 1988, from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Heartland Mall in Early/Brownwood.

"The Adventure Begins" will be the theme for this year's Scout-O-Rama. This is your Scouting Council's annual opportunity to put "Scouting on Parade" before the people of the many communities that are a part of the eight counties which compose the Comanche Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America. All types of Scouting skills will be demonstrated by Cub, Scouts and Explorers.

Ticket sales are now in progress, with Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts competing in weekly drawings for door prizes which include: 10-speed bike, Camp Billy Gibbons scholarships, Horizon I backpack combo, Cub and Scout knives, Cub and Scout flashlights, first-aid kits, and other Scouting equipment.

One dollar tickets purchased by the general public will go toward Scouting activities in the Council and individual packs, troops, and posts. Thirty-five percent of the purchase price of the ticket stays in the unit from which it was purchased.

Support Scouting by your attendance and Scout-O-Rama ticket purchases. Contact a Scouting unit for tickets if you are not contacted.

DEADLINES:
Monday, 5:00 p.m. (For Thursday Paper And)
Thursday, 5:00 p.m. (For Sunday Paper)

Tankersley And Mazel Honored

Stefanie Tankersley of Eastland and Sandra Mazel of Breckenridge have been selected for honors by the American College Theatre Festival. These students will participate in the Irene Ryan Regional Scholarship Auditions in Lubbock, February 24 and 25.

Cisco Junior College's production of "Picnic", directed by Carol Brown, was selected by the American College Theatre Festival as an associate entry in November.

Miss Tankersley, cast as Midge Owens, and Miss Mazel, cast as Bernice Gassner, were notified of their selection as Irene Ryan candidates January 28, 1988.

Students from Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico who have been selected, will give auditions in Lubbock for a panel of judges. The ten finalists will perform for another judge and the winner will perform in Washington D.C. in April with winners of the other regional festivals.

Auditioners must perform a monologue and a duet. Both students have selected Jana Spangler as their duet partner. All three students are drama majors and have additional honor of being the first students selected from Cisco Junior College to participate in this competition.

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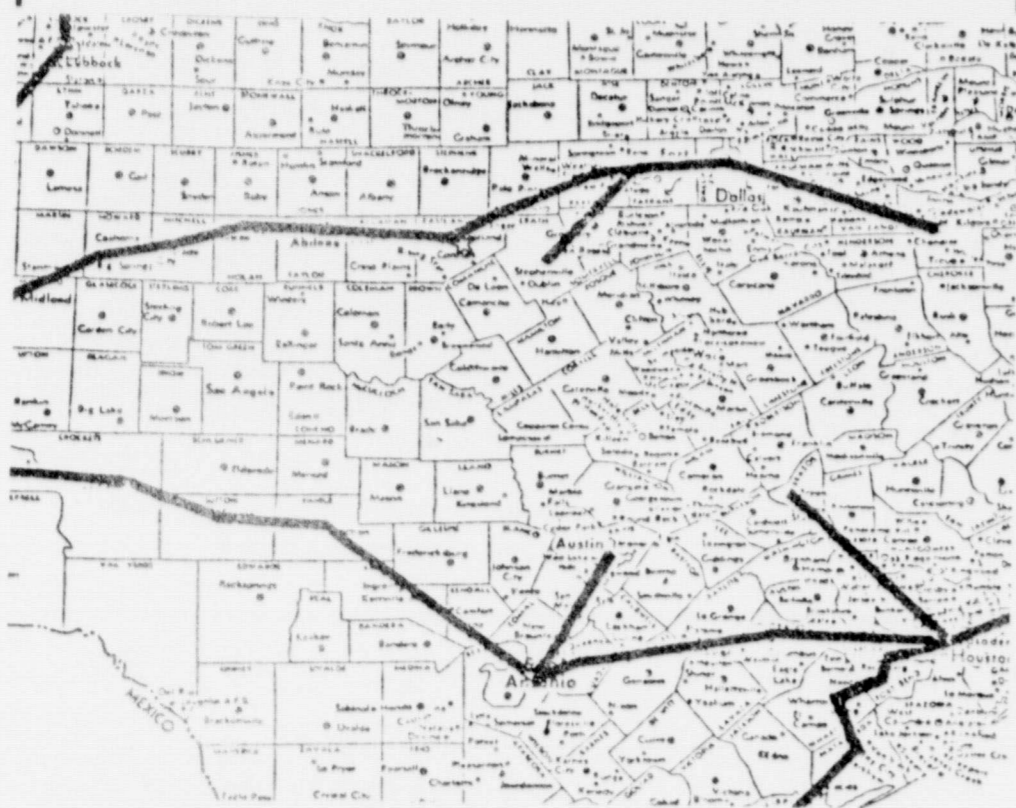
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Area Counties Primary Routes For Hauling Low-Level Radioactive Waste



Eastland County and other counties on I-20 and IN0 in Texas are on primary routes for hauling low-level radioactive waste to far West Texas, according to information brought by Judge Scott Bailey to the County Commissioners Court Monday.

Judge Bailey explained that a site in Hudspeth County, just east of El Paso County, had been chosen as a place for disposing of this waste. Bailey read from a letter he had received from County Judge Luther Jones of El Paso County, saying that the Interstate routes would become a corridor for the radio-active waste, and he felt that each County and town should organize to protect citizens.

Judge Bailey reported that "low level" radiation is not actually harmless. During a recent accident in Brazil one capsule of the same material to be hauled through here caused four people to die, four to suffer from burns, and a number of other people exposed to possible cancers and genetic defects.

This accident, though generally overlooked, was actually the second worst peacetime radiation accident in the world's history second only to Chernobyl, the Judge said.

NRC Approves Plan To Correct Problems Comanche Peak Takes A Key Step

From Dallas Morning News
By David Real
Staff Writer

Comanche Peak took a major step toward licensing Monday when the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission formally approved the corrective action program for the North Texas nuclear power plant.

If properly completed, the program would assure federal regulators that the plant's owner, TU Electric, had corrected design and construction deficiencies and should receive its operating license, according to the document.

issued by the NRC's Office of Special Projects.

TU Electric spokesman Dick Ramsey said the notice was good news.

"I think it's a significant milestone," Ramsey said. "I think it should certainly bolster public confidence in the fact that we are doing what's necessary to assure a plant that's built safely and can be operated safely."

The NRC approval follows three years of reinspection work that was sparked by a major NRC inspection in 1984 that found evidence of safety problems at the plant.

The reinspection confirmed that quality assurance and quality control programs during the initial design and construction of Comanche Peak were deficient, the report said.

The report's strict insistence on the proper resolution of design and construction issues at the plant was welcome news, said Comanche Peak opponent Juanita Ellis, president of the Dallas-based Citizens Association for Sound Energy.

Comanche Peak is being built about 75 miles southwest of Dallas near Glen Rose, in Somervell

County. New cost and schedule estimates for the \$7.5 billion plant, last estimated to open "sometime" after the summer of 1989, are expected in February, Ramsey said.

Thursday,
February 11, 1988

CJC Spring Schedule For Community Courses

Cisco Junior College has announced its spring schedule of Community Service Courses scheduled and beginning dates are:

MONDAYS - Communication & Speech - \$20 (Feb. 22); Jazz Dance - grades 3-6 - \$18 (Feb. 29); Jazz Dance - grades 7-8 - \$18 (Feb. 29); Jazz Dance - grades 9-12 - \$18 (Feb. 29); **TUESDAYS** - Country & Western Dance - \$26 (Feb. 23);

Weightlifting - \$24 - meets Tue. & Thur. nites (Feb. 23);

WEDNESDAYS - Creative Writing - \$28 (Feb. 24); Typing - \$29 (Feb. 24); Bridge - \$20 (March 2); **THURSDAYS** - Bowling - \$24 (Feb. 25); Assertive Stress Management - \$49 (Feb. 25); Office Machines - \$29 (March 3).

Interested persons are urged to register as soon as possible.

For more information or to register, contact Charlotte Speegle at 442-2567.



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CLASSIC FILM WEEKEND

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"GENTLEMEN PREFER BLONDS" - 1953
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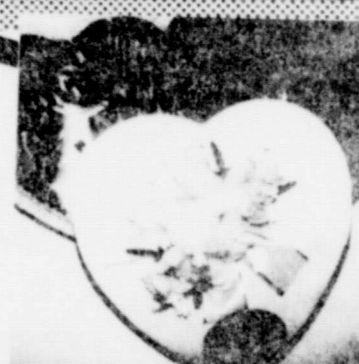
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On the back of this picture is written, "Pap Earnest-Aunt Mag Smith's father at his 100th birthday party. Staff, Texas". This is an old picture and would play a great part in our history. If you recognize or know of anyone who might be in this photo, or know who "Pap" Earnest was, please call Jeane Pruetz (early mornings or evenings) at 647-3824 or write to her at P.O. Box 99 RANGER, TEXAS 76470

Ranger Chamber Of Commerce Banquet Set

The Ranger Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual Awards Banquet at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 1, 1988 at the Ranger School Cafeteria.

Tickets may be purchased for \$7.50 from any Chamber

Directors, Chamber President Phylecia Schooling, Ranger Times Office, or Olney Savings in Ranger. Menu will consist of Chicken Fried Steak with all the trimmings.

Nominations are being

taken for the following awards:

- Golden Deeds Award-Recognition for outstanding service to the Ranger Community, past or present.
- Outstanding Agricultural Family-

Achievements in agricultural endeavors. ••••Educator of the Year- Outstanding service and dedication to educational endeavors.

••••There will also be awards given to outstanding students at Ranger High School.

Nominations for these awards may be made in writing to the Chamber of Commerce, Box 57, Ranger or by calling Mary Wells at Olney Savings, 647-3277. The deadline for nominations is February 19.

Attention Deficit Disorder

The book on Attention Deficit Disorder which has been written by Glen Hunsucker, a licensed professional counselor in Abilene, Texas, is now available. It is a very well written and highly informative book explaining all aspects of A.D.D. Copies may be purchased by contacting Kathy

Trout at the District Clerk's office (629-2664) or contacting her after 5 at (629-1651). Total price of the book including tax is \$13.86.

Glen Hunsucker was the guest speaker at the Eastland PTO meeting last October.

Two Eastland Students Receive Degrees

COLLEGE STATION-Two students from Eastland received their degrees at Texas A&M University's 1987 fall commencement exercises.

A total of 3,286 degrees were awarded, including 2,748 bachelor's, 387 master's and 151 doctorates.

Receiving their degrees were: Marquis J. Gordon, bachelor's, veterinary science; and Cynthia S. Wheat, bachelor's, sociology.

Game Day

Lone Cedar Game Day was postponed Friday, Feb. 5 due to bad weather, it has been rescheduled for Friday, Feb. 12 at 10 a.m.

Outreach Needs Broad Support

For more than five years the Eastland Word of Life Church has operated the Eastland Community Christian Outreach as a mission to benefit the community. But the responsibility has become too big a load for the one church, which has around sixty in attendance each Sunday, and its volunteer workers. And without broader community support, the mission is not used to its full potential, explains Word of Life Pastor Darrel Harris.

The mission was started as a way to use the rock

building, which formerly housed the church, in a way that would help people and the Eastland area, rather than to just sell it.

Church members recognized a need for some temporary housing in the community to house poor people who had no other place to go until longer term housing could be found for them. The idea was a place for people to stay for two or three nights until they could get established in the community, when they had no money.

But with Eastland being

located by busy I-20, there is a steady influx of transients who pass through the community and ask local police officers and churches for help or for a place to sleep out of the bad weather, especially during the winter months.

Since it goes against the nature of the people of Eastland and especially of the churches to leave a person out in the cold to freeze when they are asking for help, a place is needed to house them until they can be on their way, find a job, receive help, or whatever

the case may be.

And there are even families sometimes that need a place to stay because the husband and father is in the county jail and the family has no other means of support.

In most cases the Eastland Community Christian Outreach has been the solution.

The church has kept separate books for the mission so that any donations for the mission go completely into the mission fund, and some have donated regularly for its support in the past. Also records have been kept on the people who have stayed at the mission.

During the cold weather months about 15 to 20 individuals or families a month take advantage of the shelter's beds.

The building has been partitioned off so that there are sleeping spaces for several individuals or families, and there are bathrooms and a kitchen area. Guests have been allowed to cook their food and even to wash their clothes at the mission.

A family from the church had lived at the mission and supervised it, but now they have moved, and there is no monthly support money for the mission now either.

"Our church wants to reach the community and help with its needs," says Pastor Harris. "To help others is to help Jesus." And wishing to see the mission

Parents For Teens To Sponsor Valentine's Dance

Parents for Teens will have a Valentine's Dance on Saturday, February 13, from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m., at the Cisco Country Club.

All area high school students are invited to this dance. Admission will be \$3.00 per person. T.J. Johnson will provide the music. Soft drinks will be available.

Cisco has an active group of parents, Parents for Teens, who have sponsored monthly parties for Cisco High School students for the last two years. High School parents will serve as chaperones. Parents from all surrounding towns are invited to also help chaperone. Definite rules have been established for high school students as follows:

1. Only high school students will be allowed to attend the dance.
2. Students may leave the dance at any time, however,

more widely used and supported, the Word of Life Church is interested in making the mission a gift to the community to be supervised by volunteers or members of the churches in the Ministerial Alliance, if the Alliance is willing. And it also makes sense for it to be operated in co-operation with Eastland County Resources, the Food Pantry, and welfare agencies.

If the mission was used and supported by most of the churches in Eastland, a small monthly donation from each would be enough to support it, and might be enough for some improvements, too. And besides financial help, prayer, sharing of ideas and some volunteer time from some members of the churches of Eastland could be a big help.

Churches may be spending money less effectively to attack this problem when they could accomplish more by working together, but that is up to the churches to decide.

The Eastland Community Christian Outreach also has needy persons referred to it by neighboring town churches, and the Cisco Ministerial Alliance recently sent a donation.

What is to be the future of this Mission? If you are interested in making a donation of time or money, or if you want to get involved, contact Darrel Harris or the Word of Life Church in Eastland.



The Eastland Community Christian Outreach is a mission in Eastland that provides temporary housing for those without shelter and funds.

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Obituaries

Mamie M. Wilkerson

DE LEON--Mamie M. Wilkerson, 85, died Friday at a local nursing home. Services were at 2:00 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Cecil Harper officiating. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery, directed by Nowlin Funeral Home.

A lifetime resident of Comanche County, she was the widow of James Riley Wilkerson. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church. Survivors include four sons, Bill Wilkerson of De Leon, Bobby Wilkerson of Gorman, Jackie Wilkerson of Proctor and Carry Don Wilkerson of Arlington; two daughters, Montie Johnson of De Leon and Blanche Rutledge of Denison; three brothers, Luther Wilkerson of Houston, Jim Wilkerson of De Leon and L.D. Wilkerson of Downing; 16 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

L. D. Falls

BOWIE--L.D. Falls, 81, died Thursday at a local nursing home.

Services were at 10:00 a.m. Saturday at First United Methodist Church with Dr. Royce Riley officiating. Graveside services were at 4:00 p.m. at Ross Cemetery in Baird with the Rev. Delton Fisher officiating, directed by Burgess-Fry Funeral Home.

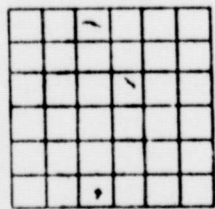
Born in Rising Star, he had been a longtime resident of Bowie. He was a retired area supervisor for Atlantic-Richfield Pipeline Company. He was a member of First United Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge No. 578 A.F.&M. and the York Rite Masonic Bodies. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was a former member of Bowie City Council. He was a past district deputy for the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Ila Falls of Bowie; three sisters, Nora Mae Hill of Grandview, Mabel Halsell of Baird and Katie Lou Cottrell of Alvarado; several nieces and nephews.

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Cisco Press, Eastland Telegram, Ranger Times

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defend our country should it be invaded.

The eastern edge of our country was settled first because of the westward push of the white man. The Indian was peaceful, but the Comanche was without mercy. His land and game was being taken and he fought to keep it.

The Comanche Indian was a nomad, moving to follow the buffalo, for it was his life.

Food, clothing, shelter and weapons came from this large beast. The Indian

respected and protected the buffalo. As the seasons moved this great herd so the Indian went.

For him to do this, he must have a horse. The Comanche was a great, if not the greatest, horseman. This led him to steal the white man's horses. Normally, he would not take cattle or oxen; only for food, which this meat did not satisfy his taste. He wanted "buffalo meat". The conflict grew as the white man settled, taking the prime water holes and

grazing land. The push to move west moved out the buffalo, destroyed his range. The open space was now occupied. War was declared. The white man took - the red man fought back.

To move further west, the Indian must be moved out. As history and the tales of the west give us the struggle for the settlement of our county, it is hard to visualize that this land now called Eastland County is where these things occurred. Cowboys and Indians, buffalo, deer, bear, and game of all species abound. The mountain lion and panther were common. Even in 1987 near Carbon, there was a lion killed by a farmer. About 1985 there was one killed below Ranger; a rancher found tracks of one in the northern part of the county.

As the family histories come in, they give us the constant reminder of just how this county was and how it was settled.

Pictures of the pioneers, cattle, and homes gives us an insight of this county. The Eastland County History Book has 2,100 such stories and 100's of pictures. If you have not ordered your copy, I recommend you order it. People are going to be surprised at its size and the information it contains.

Memorial pages for

CJC To Offer Jazz Dance

Cisco Junior College will offer Jazz Dance classes for grades 3-12 as part of its Community Service Course schedule. Instructor for the classes is Tonya Thompson. The classes will meet on Monday nights in the CJC Ag. Building. Cost for the class is \$18. Jazz Dance for grades 3-6 will meet from 6-7 p.m.; Jazz Dance for grades 7-8 will meet from 7-8 p.m.; Jazz Dance for grades 9-12 will meet from 8-9 p.m. Registration deadline is February 26. Classes will begin February 29.

For more information or to register call Charlotte Speegle at 442-2567.

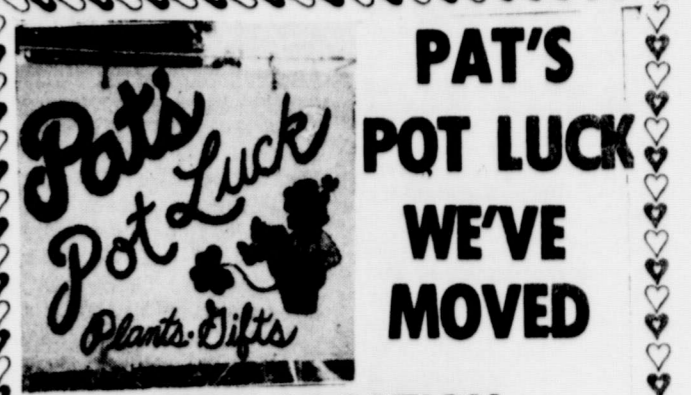


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I've Been Wrong Before

By Gordon S. Clark

I hear a lot of noise now but even when there was what I called music, I sat through a lot I just never honestly liked very well. It was my own opinion that some things were enhanced by music while others just seemed weren't done any good thereby. I hope nobody will be violently offended when I say I felt The Lords Prayer touched me more in the saying than the singing. It seems I never was very musical. Just no talent. If anyone were to say I sing like a bird you better know that it is a crow or turkey. Well, another place I like better without instrumentation is the poem TREES. I know the feeling some may have that words can't express adequately so they want to sing it but only some things fit my ear.

A kinsman who liked to put on the dog, so to speak, expressed the highbrow opinion that Country and Western music furthered ignorance. He sure must have been exposed to far too much of it then. Somewhat like a boy I encountered in San Angelo who was cussing because he couldn't find anything on the jukebox that

didn't have a guitar player in it. I allowed as how it was a case of "everyone to his own taste as the old woman said when she kissed the cow" but there were some local boys who didn't seem to like that fellow from up East and I left before the first glass broke.

Some of those writers of country music seem to have been fairly literate anyhow. One of those old, old tunes I vaguely recall began, "He had no home, no place to go, no mother to care, in the grave she lay low." and ended something like, "Full blew the blast, down came the snow. Cast on the cold street was Poor Little Joe." A bit of what the boys at the bar used to call a tear-jerker but it was many years before I became acquainted with Charles Dickens' story of Poor Joe, the boy they referred to as The Hard Case. There he was the orphan sweeping the intersection as a form of begging consigned to death in the cold.

Read all of Dickens' stories of social commentary, of the deprivation in Old England then consider what he might have to write if he could see the TV pictures of Americas homeless "street people" among us today.

"For the poor have ye with you always." Matt. 26:11. Fact, not excuse to neglect.

Bowling Report

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1. Moore Properties - Pins 43154; Won 108; Lost 60;
2. Altman's Style Shop - Pins 46021; Won 100; Lost 68
3. Mitchell Electric - Pins 44842; Won 99; Lost 69;
4. Eastland National Bank - Pins 40282; Won 93; Lost 75;
5. Green Light Auto Parts - Pins 42964; Won 88; Lost 80;
6. Beaty/Talley Travel - Pins 40486; Won 70; Lost 98;
7. Bagwell Motor Company - Pins 42894; Won 65; Lost 103.
8. Quetta's - Pins 38678; Won 49; Lost 119

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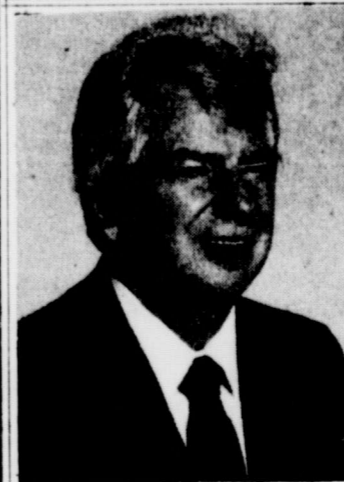
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Wanda's Corner

by Wanda Hallmark

The Cisco Athletic Booster Club are planning a pancake supper to be held from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 25. The supper will be held at the Cisco Elementary Cafeterium.

The pancake supper was at first planned to be held at the High School, but it was changed and will now be held at the Cisco Elementary School.

We are selling tickets for the Pancake Supper at The Press, so be sure and stop by and pick up enough tickets for your whole family. The cost is \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

We received a report that M.Y. Ervin has retired from S&M Manufacturing Co., here in Cisco after working there for 31 years.

He went to work at S&M in 1957.

Southwest Enterprises is now making twice as many patches as they have in the past according to reports.

There is a new multi stitch machine that can stitch six colors automatically and cut the thread automatically.

With the new "Tajima" machine they are able to produce most of the patches that they sell worldwide in the Cisco plant.

Lance Corporal John Ferguson came home to Cisco in November and left on December 9, for Camp Humphrey in Pyongtaek, Korea. The camp is about 20 miles south of Seoul, Korea, according to John's mother, Janice Ferguson, who is a teacher at Cisco Elementary.

John who is in the U.S. Marines is in communications. He said it took him 28 hours to get to Korea from Abilene.

Janice sent him some newspaper clippings about the cold weather we have been having in this area and he wrote back and said the bad weather here has been worse than what it has been over there in Korea.

Prices have been checked on the cost of a new motor for the Rural Fire Truck. This is the truck that the Cisco Volunteer Fire Department is now using. They are planning to begin raising money soon to help rebuild the motor on the truck.

This truck is a necessity for the VFD. And any help we can give them will be greatly appreciated. Whenever there is a fire in Cisco or in the rural surrounding area, these fine gentlemen go out to extinguish it. They are volunteer firemen which means they do not get paid to help keep us safe.

And they need a new engine for this truck. So let's remember it, when the fund raising begins!

Mr. A.B. McIntire, who brought in a copy of "The Putnam News" dated Jan. 17, 1946, also brought in a copy of "The Cisco Daily Press" dated on that same day.

The Cisco Daily Press was printed each day of the week, except for Saturday and Monday. Mr. A.B. O'Flaherty was the publisher and general manager.

The paper carried a lot of world, state and local news.

Some of stories on the front page of the paper told about the United States of America and Great Britain giving China 21 warships. A vet who lost his hands when a machine gun blew up in France was married in Pasadena, California. R.L. Ponsler, N.C. Huston, and Nick Miller, Cisco Chamber of Commerce officers were re-elected at the first meeting of the new administration. There were also want ads for vacuum cleaners, an eighty acre farm, and a lost female Scotie on the front page.

In the News Briefs, it told about Corp. S. Lopez of Cisco was aboard the USS Barnstable enroute to the states. Mrs. Sterling Drumwright and Miss Lillian Spears spent several weeks in Fort Worth where they were guests at social events, honoring Miss Charlotte Russell, bride-elect of Charles Spears of Cisco.

An ad from Southwestern Bell Telephone company told the citizens of Cisco, not to get upset when their neighbor had their phone put in before they did. It said if someone in a home is ill or elderly and they need a phone, then those people

would be put on a rush list. That's kind of interesting, isn't it.

Missy Jacobs, a sophomore at Cisco High School wrote a poem and it was read for the 8th grade graduation ceremony at Junction High School, when she was a student there. The poem called Cherished Possessions goes as follows:

Time is precious,
Like grains of sand,
That flow so swiftly,
Through fragile hands.
It seems not yesterday,
I was still a child,
And growing up,
Still waits a while.

Old habits we had,
Now thrown away,
And wisdom we gathered,
Along the way.
I never thought,
It would come so fast,
To be grown up,
And leave the past.

The Easter bunny and Santa Claus,
Are special in a weird sort of way.
The tooth fairy and Fairy God mother,
Are cherished possessions still remembered today.

I never would have made it,
Without a friend by my side,
They cheered me up,
They were there when I cried.

DeLeon Defeats Lady Lobos 60-36

By SUSIE ENDSLEY
The Cisco High School Varsity Lady Lobos were upset by the DeLeon Lady Bearcats 60-36 in a game played there Friday night. Earlier in the season, the Lady Lobos lost to DeLeon

50-37. Their record is now 1-8.

At the half, the Lady Bearcats led 29-18. They came out the second half and scored 31 more points to win 60-36. Cindy Choate led the Lady Lobos in scoring with 13

points. Cindy is a junior and a starter for the Lady Lobos.

The Lady Lobos played Hico in Hico Tuesday night. This was the last basketball game of the season for the Lady Lobos. They have done a good job this year and I'm sure everyone is proud of them. Thanks for working so hard and doing your best to represent Cisco. Whether you won or lost, you kept your composure and exhibited good sportsmanship, skill and pride. Good job ladies!

Starters for the game were Krista Shepard, Lori Justice, Cindy Choate, Cheryl Dowdy and Dee Wages.

The statistics for the game were as follows:
LADY LOBOES (36)--
Krista Shepard 1 0-0 2, Lori Justice 4 0-0 8, Cindy Choate 5 3-4 13, Debbie Endsley 1 1-6 3, Cheryl Dowdy 5 0-5 10. Team totals: 16 4-17 36.

DeLeon (60)-- Weaver 8 1-2 17, Bunting 4 0-0 8, Files 4 2-2 10, Cook 2 2-6 6, Robinett 1 0-2 2, Mailloux 1 0-0 2, Palvado 2 1-3 5, Garcia 2 1-4 7. Team totals: 24 7-19 60.

per, sponsored by the Moran Historical Society, on Saturday night, Feb. 20, starting at 5 p.m. at the Moran Community Center. Proceeds will be used for the renovating of First Christian Church Building, which has been bought by the Society for the future Moran Historical Museum. Price will be \$3.50. Dessert will be extra.

Mrs. Wade Roberts is visiting her parents in Lawton, Okla., this week.

No activities were held at the American Legion Hall in Moran on Friday night due to illness and weather conditions.

Mrs. Alice Marbut and Mr. and Mrs. James Hatcher of Cleburne visited with Mrs. Marbut's sister, Mrs. Ola Gaskins and daughters, Sunday.

Moran News By Mrs. Luke Huskey

Things were more or less on a stand still in Moran over the weekend. The people of the community awoke Saturday morning to find the ground covered with snow and ice. The ground was slick. Not much activity was going on as people stayed by the fire, except the ones who had to get out to feed livestock. I think the majority of the people are ready for spring to get here.

There is lots of sickness in Moran. People with the flu, confined to the house, colds. Mrs. Kate Mitchell was taken to Humana Hospital Friday and is receiving treatment. H. D. Connally is in Humana Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kays received treatment in the Albany Hospital last week. Mary Edwards returned home from the hospital Sunday.

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