

Goodfellows Need More Money For Buying Toys

BY HERREL HALLMARK

Cisco Goodfellows were forced to review this year's applications very closely due to the lack of funding this season. Everyone seems to be harder hit this season and donations have just not been as they were expected.

A total of 60 applications were turned into the Goodfellows organization this year. Donations are just a little over \$2,500.

In comparison to last year, the Goodfellows had 53 applications and over \$5,000.

There were more applications this year and approximately half as much money. So, in order to try and help those who are extremely needy, the Goodfellows had to review the applications and rate them in order of need.

Those whose applications have been accepted will be contacted before Saturday, Dec. 22. That is the date planned for having a location set up for the food baskets to be picked up by applicants. If they are unable to pick up the baskets, then the Goodfellows will have them delivered to their homes.

Goodfellows are still asking for donations in order to hopefully provide some of the children of applicants with toys for the holidays. Almost all of the money which has been received at this time, must be used for the food baskets so more is if the Goodfellows are to be

able to purchase toys.

One family with four children (ages 3, 4, 5, and 8) writes, "My husband just went back to work. Sometime he works, sometime he does not. We are behind on our bills. We can not afford to get the kids things for Christmas. We will try our best. We do not like to ask for things, but this is for our children."

Another application states, "I'm asking for help for my brother and his two little boys (ages 6 and 8) as they only draw food stamps and a small welfare check as their mother is not with them and it's really hard for them to get by. And won't be much Christmas for them this year if some one don't help. So please see that they have Christmas this year. Thank you so much for any help you may give them anything will be appreciated I know."

A single parent with two children writes, "I am a single parent supporting my children right now on approximately 20-25 hrs. of work a week. I receive very little help from their father."

"It is rough making ends meet, especially at this time of year with extra expenses that are to be expected."

"My children and I thank you for any help you can give us."

Another mother writes, "My husband has recently gotten laid off his job and I only work two hours a day so

my check goes mostly on bills. I have a child that would go without Christmas if it wasn't for the help of Goodfellows. I think that this organization does a lot of good for the people of Cisco. I'm proud to be a citizen of this fine town. I would greatly appreciate it if anyone could donate a few clothes to my little girl. She is 13 months old and wears about 18 months. Thank you very much and God bless the Goodfellows."

A family of five, with three children (ages 3, 4, and 6) says the husband had a severe heart attack and the mother is having to support the family. The wife says, "Because husband is totally unable to work it take all I make to make ins meet. With out your help my babies will not have no clothes or toys for Christmas. But they will have something to eat. So please, help me help them to enjoy Christmas. Thank for your concern for people in need at this time of the year."

Another mother, with two children (ages 2 and 6) writes, "I'm attending college and don't have the money to buy my children clothes and toys for Christmas. I'm based on low income benefits. I'm divorced and have two children. I would deeply appreciate the Goodfellows help."

Another application says, "My son's mother passed away and I am trying to do the best I can and I work part time."

A woman with a 2½-year old son writes, "Just recently widowed with small child and would deeply appreciate your special help."

An application for a family of four with two boys (ages 3 and 10) says, "My husband is disabled and he requires a great deal of treatments and medication. His one real worry is not the cancer nor our future for we both know it is in God's capable and loving hands, what is important is that our children be taken care of. With your help that can become a reality especially at this time of year. Thank you Goodfellows for your consideration. Our Lord and Saviour will bless you as you reach out to help others."

All solicitation for funds is being made through The Cisco Press and everyone is urged to help families such as those above. All donations are tax deductible.

Those wishing to make donations to the Goodfellows are asked to mail them to: Goodfellows of Cisco, Box 1072, Cisco, Texas 76437. Donations may also be given to any of the directors.

A donor list will be published in The Press listing donors and their contributions. Anyone wishing their donation remain anonymous will be listed as such upon request.

All checks are to be made payable to: Goodfellows Fund of Cisco.

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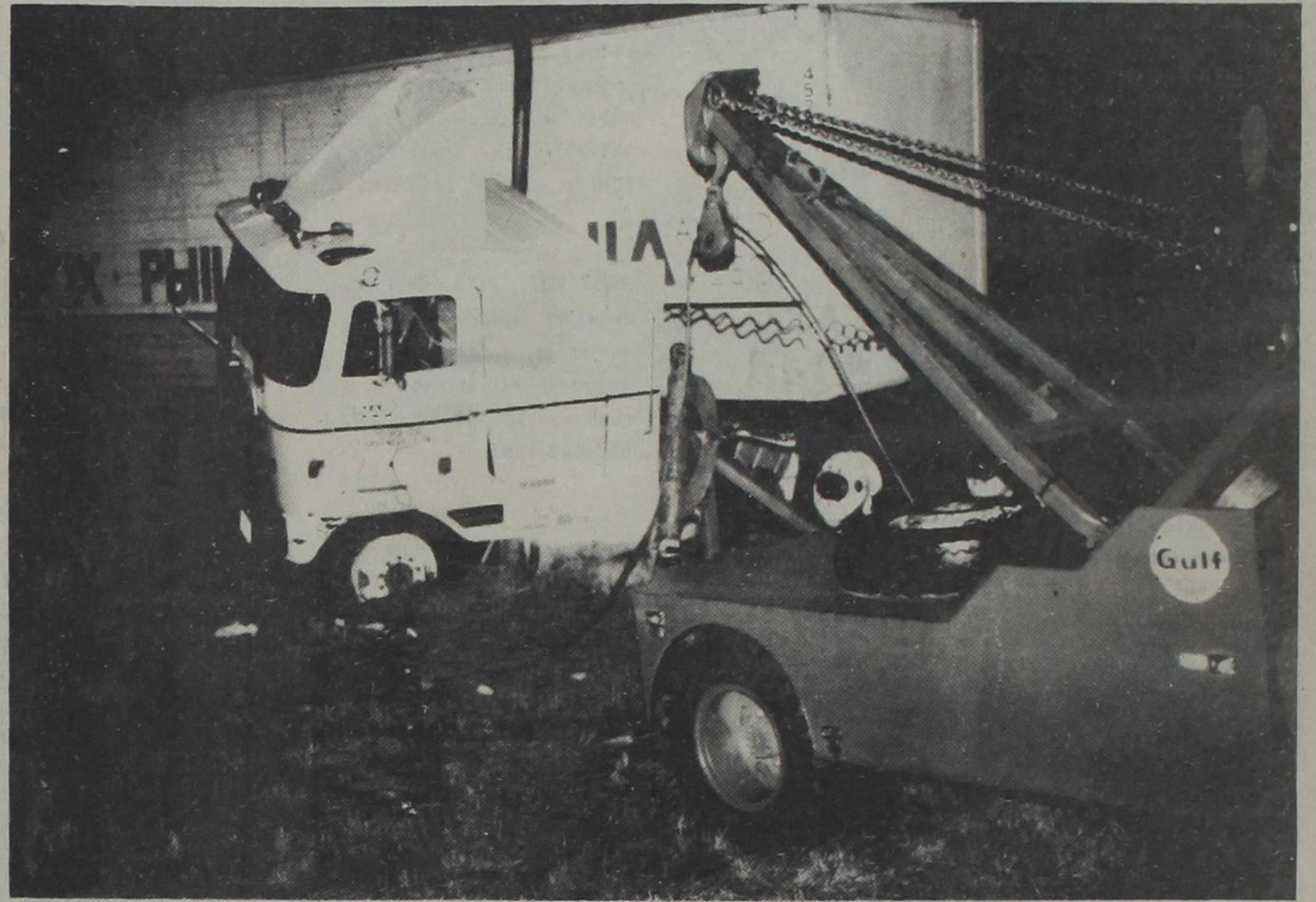
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SLICK PAVEMENT- An iced over bridge along IH-20 near the intersection with Highway 183 south of Cisco was the apparent cause of an accident Tuesday night which sent an 18-wheel

truck off the highway and down an embankment before jack-knifing. Two men in the truck were hospitalized.

(Staff Photo.)

Iced-Overpass Results In Truck Accident Tuesday

Two drivers were injured, one seriously, and a virtually new trailer truck rig had extensive damage in an accident late Tuesday on the icy slick I-20-Highway 183 overpass in south Cisco.

Joseph Hightower, 53, of Bear Station, Tenn., driver of the North American Corporation truck, had cuts and bruises when he was thrown into the windshield. His co-

driver, Andrew Matthews, 56, of Whiteburg, Tenn., who was riding in the sleeping compartment back of the drivers' seat had serious injuries.

DPS Trooper Steve Foster, who was in charge of investigating the mishap, reported that Matthews, a large man, had internal injuries, including crushed ribs and ribs torn from the breastbone. A Patterson ambulance took the men to E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital and, after emergency treatment, took them to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene where Matthews was to undergo surgery. No report on his condition was available here.

Trooper Foster said the westbound empty truck rig began skidding on the overpass and jack-knifed as it

left the overpass. The rig skidded off the highway, knocking down several sections of the guard rail and a dozen posts.

I-20 was blocked and traffic had to be routed over the north access road for more than an hour.

Ted's and Rex's Wrecker Service of Cisco sent two units to the scene and spent some four hours moving the truck wreckage from the highway to their downtown center. M.D. Lee Truck Service assisted them.

Cisco Fire Department members took a truck and their rescue unit to the scene. Firemen and wrecker personnel needed nearly an hour to free the drivers from the truck cab. Cisco Police Department personnel assisted with traffic work.

The area highways

became slick when freezing drizzle began falling late Tuesday after an arctic front moved into the region. County crews with the Texas Highway Department were busy late Tuesday and Wednesday sanding overpasses and slick areas.

Tuesday night, Trooper Foster helped work minor truck mishaps at Olden and south of Ranger.

At 10 a.m. Wednesday, Ted's and Rex's Wrecker Service went three miles west on I-20 to pick up a Chevy S-10 Blazer that was being towed and broke loose, rolling over in the highway ditch.

The vehicle is owned by Mike McBride of Garland, who was towing it behind a pickup to California. No one was in the wrecked machine.

War-on-Illegal Drugs Due In Eastland County Tuesday

In any given gathering, a show of hands undoubtedly would prove that a lot of folks experimented with smoking cedar bark as a kid.

There's a world of difference between cedar bark and the stuff that's being sold and used today, but it does hold that the nature of young people is such that they often try things because of peer pressure and coping with the world they live in now.

The War-on-Illegal Drugs will come to Eastland County in full bloom Tuesday evening and ALL parents and students are invited and encouraged to attend to learn how the flow of dangerous substances can be stemmed.

State W.O.D. Officials will be featured and the \$5 ticket (available throughout the county and at the door) will provide an excellent Oscar's Barbecue banquet meal and a concise program of hard-rock information.

The event begins at 7 p.m. at Siebert Elementary School.

Rick Salwen, special council to H. Ross Perot; Bob Bailey, state committeeman; and Marilyn Golightly, regional director; will bring the program. Dr. Robert Jeffers, pastor First

Baptist Church, will be the master of ceremonies and music will be provided by Roy Thackerson and Al Anderson.

Sponsors are P.A.D.D. in cooperation with the Ministerial Alliance and the Eastland County Law Enforcement Association.

Courtwatchers, STAND members and others will be recognized.

A spokesman said, "This could very well be the most important meeting held in

this county this year. Developments as a result of this meeting could change the entire future of this area."

The public is invited to be a part of this exciting opportunity.

There are no door prizes and there won't be a drawing for a new automobile, but your presence could be the key that opens the door to a drug-free society in this county.

Arctic Blast Hits

An arctic cold front that dropped temperatures into the low 20s and deposited freezing drizzle on some area highways held this West Central Texas region in its grip most of the past week.

Interstate Highway 20 from the Eastland County line through Callahan County

Food Commodities

Due Here Tuesday

Food commodities will be distributed in Cisco on Tuesday, Dec. 17, at the Gaslight Apartments lobby on Conrad Hilton Avenue. The hours will be from 8 a.m. to 12 noon.

ty was coated with ice Thursday night and a number of minor mishaps were reported as traffic continued to move. The local ambulance served answered one call near Putnam. The Eastland DPS office reported that this county "seemed to be the hole in the doughnut" as highways were ice coated on both sides.

Forecasts called for continued cold weather with prospects for clearing skies this weekend.

Principal Jim Puryear estimated that school attendance was about 10 per cent off Thursday. Classes did not begin until 9 a.m. Friday due to the cold weather.

HALL OF REMARKS

BY HERREL HALLMARK

TO THE CITIZEN who sent a letter to the Press office this week and signed it "Concerned Citizen", it is not the Press policy to print unsigned letters. We can print the letter and withhold your name by request, but we must have your signature on the letter for our files.

If you would like to see your letter in print, please come by the Press office and sign it for us. Then it will be printed in the next edition.

NO SNOW, but plenty of cold weather is what seemed in store for Cisco going into the weekend. Despite 100 percent chances for snow on Thursday, Cisco saw only a very slight falling of precipitation and a few, scattered snowflakes.

Luckily, local roads did not freeze over Thursday night and Friday morning saw clear roads and a partly cloudy sky. Forecasts called for the skies to clear completely by Friday night letting temperatures plummet into the teens since there will be no cloud cover to hold in warm air.

APPROXIMATELY 300 persons turned out last Tuesday night in the cold weather for wrestling matches at Community Gym. We were unable to find out how much money the police department made from the event but we understand the money will be used to purchase needed equipment for the local department.

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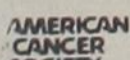
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the world.
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other star,
For they will be
counterfeit,
They will lead us to a dead
end,
Into deeper darkness!
Let us follow the "Star of
Hope",
Our journey may seem
long,
Yet, it brought the wise
men to the stable at
Bethlehem.
There they found the Light
of the world,
The Light, the Hope, we
share even unto this
Christmas Day.

**Country And
Western Music
Set Saturday**

The Country Western Musical will be at Cisco Corral Room on Saturday, December 14. It will start about 7 p.m. Everyone is invited especially area musicians. There will be a concession stand.

Look for the Star.

THE PRESS



By Chris Ledbetter

I hope that everyone is enjoying this cold weather. But don't forget that the roads are probably slippery, so be careful. And to anyone that would like to have a note or some information put in my column, just let me know at school or call me at the press at 442-2244.

If any of you were at the wrestling match last week, you noticed that Lonnie Pevey was enjoying himself yelling at the wrestlers and their managers. And in my opinion I think that Mr. Pevey would be a terrific wrestler if he ever decided to take it up as a professional.

**Chamber Of Commerce
Names Two Committees**

Two committees were appointed during the December 5 meeting of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce. They were the Christmas in May committee and the Chamber of Commerce Banquet Committee.

Carroll Scott, and Gerald Winnett. It will hold an organizational meeting at 7 p.m., Dec. 16, in the Chamber of Commerce conference room.

The annual CoC banquet committee consists of Patsy Hogan, Emma Watts, Ivan Webb, and Desi Covington. This committee will meet Dec. 16, at 3 p.m., in the CoC conference room.

Children's Choirs

Will Sing At Bank

Children of the Cisco Intermediate School will be singing Christmas carols at the First National Bank in Cisco this month.

On Monday, Dec. 16, at 1 p.m., the fourth grade choir will sing; Tuesday, Dec. 17, at 1:45 p.m., the fifth grade choir will sing; Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 9:15 a.m., the third grade choir will sing

and at 1 p.m., the fourth grade choir will sing.

Half of the 6th grade choir will go to the Senior Citizens at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, December 18th and the other half will sing at the Cisco Nursing Center on Thursday, December 19.

The choirs are under the direction of Mrs. Marquita Dickerson.

**Carroll Scott Injured
In Vehicle Accident**

Vice President Carroll Scott of Cisco Junior College was uninjured when the school van he was driving over-turned on ice-slick I-20 eight miles west of Cisco in Callahan County Thursday morning. The van had extensive damage and was picked

up by a Clyde wrecker and taken there.

Mr. Scott, who was en route to Abilene to visit the CJC Campus there, said he was driving less than 50 miles per hour when he hit an icy place on the pavement. The van skidded sideways, he said, and turned over when it hit the dirt shoulder.

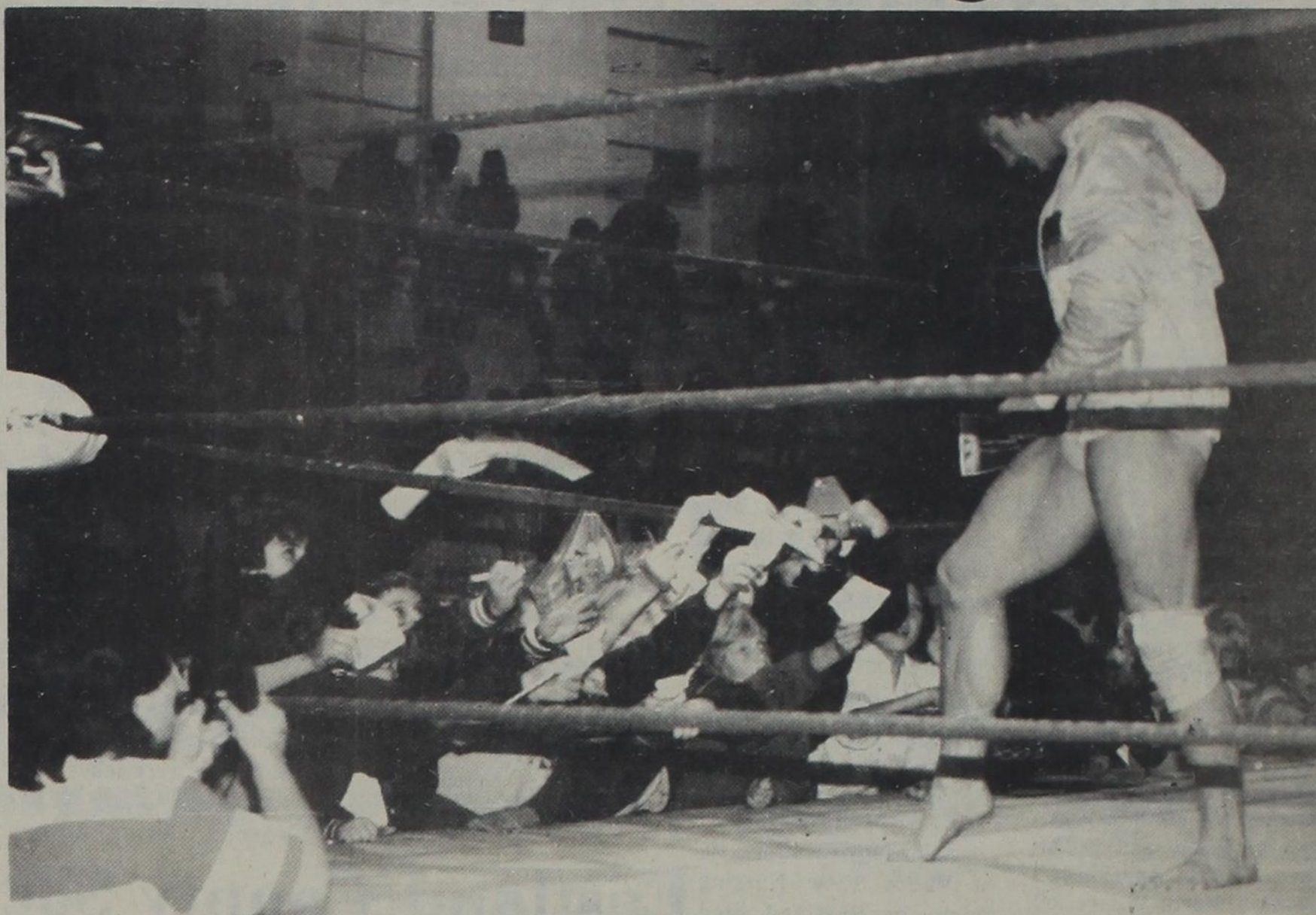
The van came to rest upside down. Mr. Scott was able to unbuckle his shoulder strap and get out of the vehicle. He had a skinned elbow and said he was sore Friday morning.

**City Of Cisco
Employees Have
Christmas Meal**

Some 60 employees of the City of Cisco were entertained with a Christmas luncheon at noon Friday at the Lutheran Church Hall. Hosts were Mayor Eris Ritchie and members of the city council. The city hall was closed at noon Friday due to the luncheon.

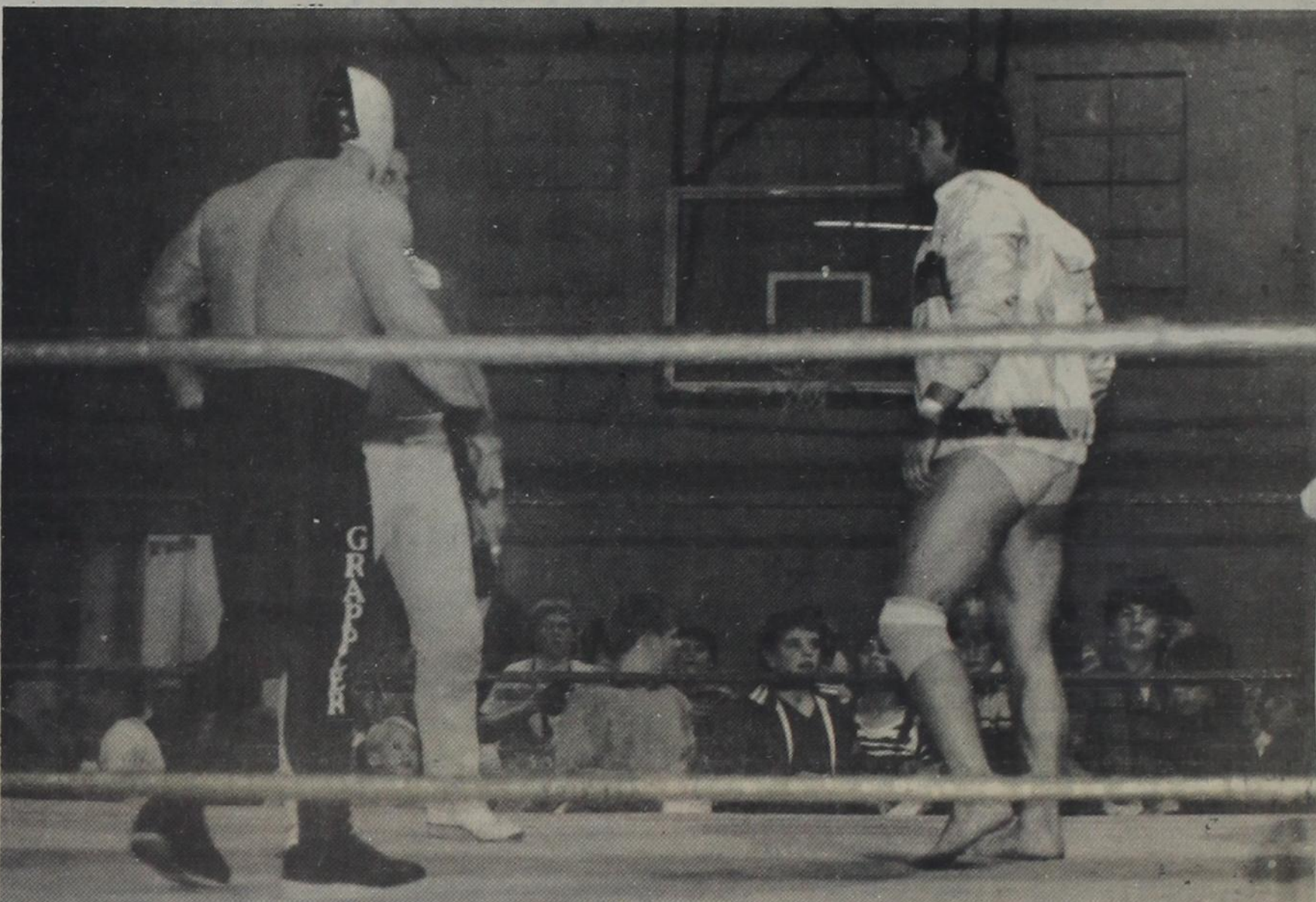
Several service awards were to be presented to employees. Details will be in The Press on Dec. 18.

Big Time Wrestling Here



CAN I HAVE YOUR AUTOGRAPH?— Kevin Von Erich is shown in the above photograph signing autographs for area youngsters at

Tuesday night's wrestling match in Cisco. (Staff Photo.)



STARTING A FIGHT— Kevin Von Erich and the Grappler are shown as the Grappler was trying to start a fight with Kevin before the

match started. (Staff Photo.)

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Groups who might be interested in helping are church groups, girl scouts, boy scouts or anyone who might help finish decorating the home for Christmas. The contest will continue thru December 23.

Drilling Bits

The No. 1 McGinnis is scheduled to be drilled in Eastland County, one mile northwest of Rising Star. R Enterprises of Rising Star will be the operator. The venture will be situated in a 14-acre lease in the ETRR Survey, A-1023, in the Eastland Regular Field. It

carries permit for 1,200 ft. maximum depth.

A 3,500-ft. developmental well is planned by Snow Oil Co. of Fort Worth at a location five miles southeast of Carbon in the Moreno Field, Eastland County. The well will be spudded in an 81-acre lease in the D&DAL Survey, A-1037, Eastland County. The well will be known as the No. 1 Maynard and will seek production in the Marble Falls Formation.

At a location four miles northeast of Crystal Falls, Delta Oil & Gas has completed the No. 1 Donnell Estate "H" in Stephens County's Goat Trap Field. The well flowed 30 barrels 40-gravity oil per day with 50 barrels water on a 14/64-inch choke. Flowing tubing pressure came in at 95 PSI. With drillsite in the SPRR Survey, the well was drilled to 4,620 feet total depth. It will produce from a set of perforations in the Conglomerate Formation, 4,214 to 4,220 feet into the hole.

Weatherford-based Ronny L. Brumbelow has filed for permit to drill the No. 1 Cook Heirs in the South Frankel Field, Stephens County, five miles south of Caddo. With total depth projected to 1,900 feet, the well will be drilled in a five-acre lease, T&P Survey.

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Obituaries

CARL WEISER

CISCO— Services for Carl Adolph Weiser, 95, of Cisco, were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Cisco. The Rev. Otto Urban, pastor, officiated. Burial was at Lutheran Cemetery, directed by Kimbrough Funeral Home of Cisco.

Mr. Weiser died Thursday at Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Cisco.

Born Jan. 11, 1890, in Lee County, he married Hulda Emeilia Wende Oct. 24, 1912, in Cisco. He was a farmer.

His wife and a son, Rudolph, have died.

Survivors include two sons, Ben Weiser and Norman Weiser, both of Cisco; three daughters, Neta Stroebel and Ruth Stroebel, both of Cisco, and Lillian Bowen of San Angelo; two brothers, Martin Weiser and O.J. Weiser of Maxwell; a sister, Emma Gerhardt of San Antonio; 14 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were James Weiser, Ronnie Weiser, Mike Stroebel, Herman Glueck, Loren Stroebel, and Joe Weise.

MARTHA CASHION

Martha S. Cashion, 78, of Eastland died Wednesday at Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Bakker Funeral Home in Eastland.

The Rev. Ben Tibbs, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiated.

Burial was held at Eastland Cemetery.

Born Martha S. Flowers June 16, 1907, in Oklahoma, she came to Eastland as a teen-ager. She was a resident of Eastland the rest of her life.

She married Eugene Cashion 1952 in Eastland.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and a member of the Laides Auxiliary, VFW Post, No. 4136, and a member of

the American Association of Retired Persons.

Her husband died in 1966 and her son, Donald, died in 1952.

Survivors include two sons, Conard N. Ellis of Odessa and Harold D. Ellis of Snyder; two daughters, Joyce Taylor of Cisco and Leona Busby of Houston; a brother, Willie Flowers of Atoka, Okla.; a sister, Myrtle Prather of Big Spring; eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were W.B. Enzor, Burton Phillips, J.D. Griffen, Dewey Struck, Robert Hobbs and Jack Mathis.

ENNICE CLEMMER

Ennice May Clemmer, 90, of Valley View Nursing Home in Eastland died Wednesday night at the nursing home.

Services are pending with Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home, 542 Hickory.

Born May 3, 1895, in Ranger, she was a seamstress. She lived in Cisco most of her life.

Survivors include two brothers, Carl of 718 Grand Buren of Vernon; three sisters, Arvilla Myrick of Fort Worth, Myrtle George of Dallas and Mildred Pitcock of Portales, N.M.; seven nieces, including Arrietta Bruton of Abilene, and eight nephews.

'BUCK' BASHAM

Arnold "Buck" Basham, 68, of Snyder, formerly of Ranger, died Wednesday at Shady Oaks Lodge in Abilene.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Edwards Funeral Home in Ranger.

Jerry Speer, pastor of the Eastside Baptist Church, officiated.

Burial was held at Bullock Cemetery in Ranger.

Born April 13, 1917, he married Violet Marie Miller Sept. 27, 1946, in Ranger. The

couple moved from Ranger to Snyder in 1974. He was a carpenter. He had served in the U.S. Army in World War II.

Survivors include his wife of Snyder; a daughter, Jackie Lou Moody of Snyder; a brother, Jack Basham of San Angelo; a sister Thelma Jennings of Eastland; and five grandchildren.

MRS. HERMAN FOUST

Mrs. Herman Foust, of Valley Mills, Texas died December 10 in Clifton, Texas.

Funeral services were held in Turnerville, Texas. She was the former Opal Harrell of Eastland, she was a teacher for many years in Coryell County and her husband Herman Foust is a rancher in Turnerville.

Survivors include her husband; Travis Harrell, Mrs. Bill Walters of Eastland and Beverly Dudley and Orvell Harrell of Fort Worth.

Texas Forest Service Distributes Oak Trees

A truck load of 5-foot oak trees were distributed, during the first week of December, by the Texas Forest Service to 247 Texas counties for special 1986 Texas Sesquicentennial observances.

The Service has been growing the trees for two years - in anticipation of Texas' 150th birthday celebration - and has offered a Shumard oak (red oak family) to each Texas' 254 counties, for special Sesquicentennial planting projects.

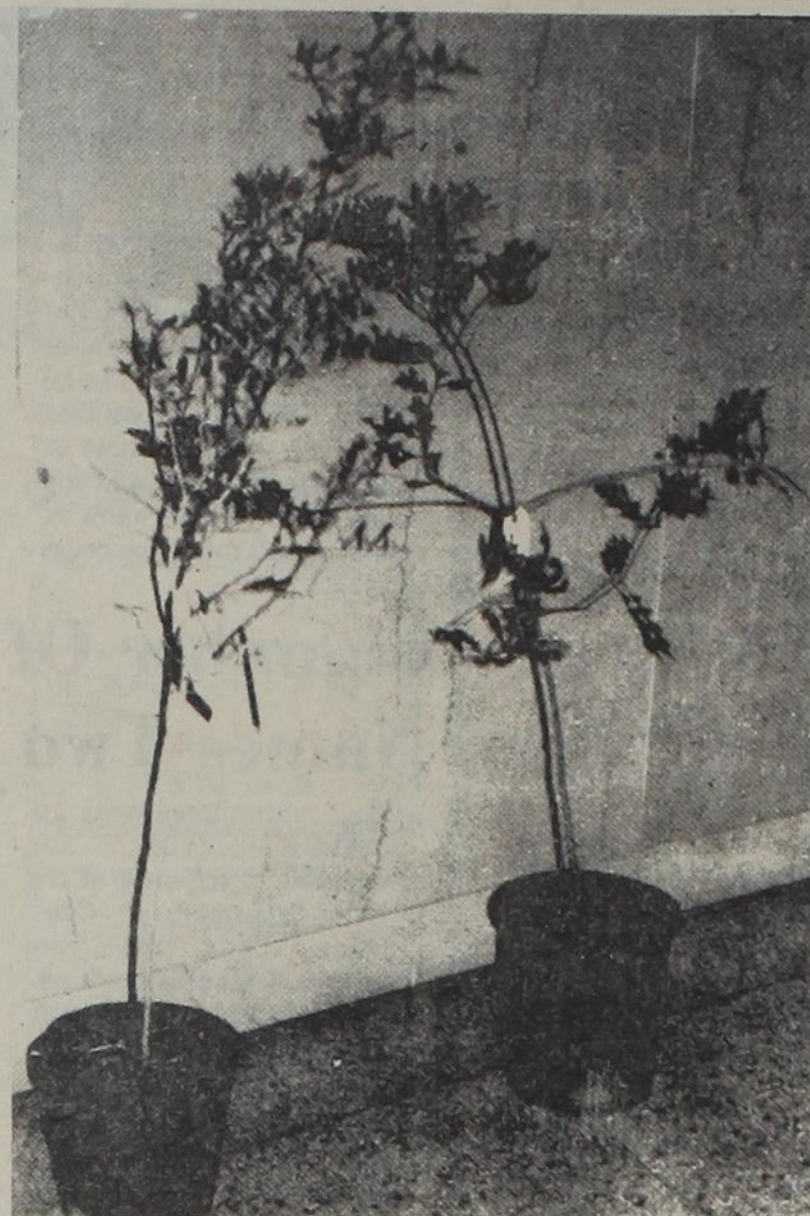
In addition, Storm Nursery, Inc. of Premont is giving a free Heritage Live Oak tree to each Texas county. Both trees were delivered in the same load in a TFS 18-wheeler during early

December.

The Texas Sesquicentennial oak trees is a 2-year-old Shumard Oak, Quercus shumardii, and a Heritage Live Oak, Quercus virginiana. Both are natives of Texas.

The largest Shumard Oak in Texas, is 120 feet tall and has a trunk circumference (measured at 4 1/2 feet) of over 15 feet. It grows on the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation near Livingston.

The largest Live Oak in Texas, is also tied for the title of largest on record in the U.S.A. It is growing near Rockport, on the Goose Island State Park. When measured in 1967, it was 44 feet tall, and had a trunk circumference of 422 inches.



This will be one of the first activities of the sesquicentennial year in Eastland county. The 4-H will be working with the ses-

quicentennial county committee in planting these in the county. A specific location has not been identified.

Masonic Lodge To Confer Two Master Mason Degrees

The Eastland Masonic Lodge will hold 2 Master Mason Degrees Thursday, December 19 at 7 p.m. in the Eastland Masonic Lodge Hall.

NOTICE: "The Story of Old Rip, a Horned Toad That Slept for 30 Years" is available at this newspaper office. Only \$3.00 per book.

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LAY ACADEMY ADVISORY COUNCIL...Six members who attended a recent meeting of the Lay Academy Advisory Council of Hardin-Simmons University's Logsdon School of Theology are (left to right, seated), Sharon White, University Baptist Church, Abilene; Bettye Tyler, Pioneer Drive Baptist Church, Abilene; Mike Myers, Calvary Baptist Church, Abilene. Standing are (left to right) Ken Coates, Pioneer Drive Baptist Church, Abilene; Robby Barrett, University Baptist Church, Abilene; and Dwaine Clower, Mangrum Baptist Church Carbon. The Lay Academy Advisory Council of the Logsdon School of Theology, Hardin-Simmons University, has held its first meeting since organizing.

The purpose of the Advisory Council is to provide feedback, suggestions, and support for the Lay Academy Program of HSU.

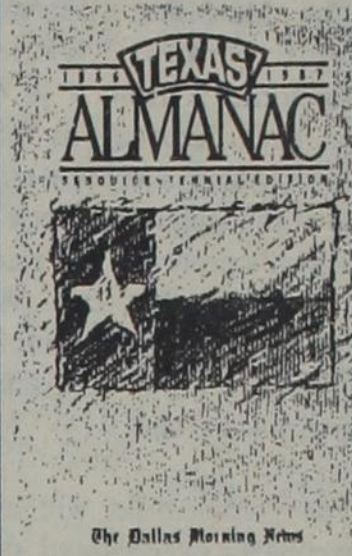
This program provides short term instruction in Bible, theology, Christian history and other aspects of the Christian faith to interested lay people in the churches of the Big County area.

The first meeting involved a time of fellowship and getting acquainted as well as some evaluation of the program as it has operated since the fall of 1984.

Plans call for a meeting in the Spring semester of 1986 in which officers will be elected.

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COMPLETELY REDONE older 2 BR, 2 bath home, cen. H/A, many extras. E3
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GOOD NEIGHBORHOOD, nice 2 BR, 1 bath, cen. H/A. FHA, VA, CONV. financing. E5
HEY LOOK ME OVER! Extra nice 2 BR, (could be 3), 2 bath home nestled in lovely wooded lot. E15
BEAUTIFUL 2 Yr old brick 3 BR, 2 bath home, many wanted features. Large lot. E25
NICE 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, cen. H/A, fenced yard with storage bldg. E26

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EXTRA NICE 28 1/2 double wide on large lot. Small down and assume. Owner will carry 2nd. O8
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CARBON - Assumption Buy! Assume existing loan on this large 3 BR on 7.465 acres. HA19

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66.8 ACRES near Desdemona. Coastal, scattered trees, 28 ac. cult., large tank, irrigation. Good terms. A1
OLDEN: 80 ac. +/- mi. north of Olden-Good building sites. Some large trees-Owner financed! A8
34.5 ACRES near Gorman, or will divide. HA6
94.5 ACRES SE of Gorman. All cultivation, two irrigation wells. A11
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100 ACRES S. of Ranger on Hwy 50 ac. timber, 50 ac. cult., 1 tank, good draw for lake. Owner finance part. A19
50.16 ACRES NW of Eastland, 2 tanks, creek, some pecan trees. A13
ATTENTION TEX. VETS: Several tracts T.V. approved. Also some smaller tracts with financing available. Call today! A20
GOOD HUNTING!! 91.68 ac. and 63.53 ac. west of Ranger. Financing Available. A21-22
80 ACRES 1/2 mi. W. of Carbn, highway and county road, frontage, tank, barn, coastal. A16
30.87 ACRES, F **Sold** North of Gorman. A15
ATTENTION: Are you looking for small acreage - Have 6 acre plant near Eastland - Call today. A12
PRICE REDUCED 239 ACRES Long Branch - fields, pasture, coastal, deer, minerals. A17
25 ACRES and 40 ac. SE of Lake Leon. Tex. Vet. A9
22 ACRES SE of Cisco, 96 ac. farmland, 12 ac. coastal, balance brush, tanks, barns. A7
44 ACRES S. of Cisco, 324 Range and Timber, 120 cult., barn, corral, well, minerals, Hwy frontage. A2
345 ACRES OF PRIME LAND, irrigation with 3 BR, 2 bath, brick home. HA10

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EXCELLENT HIGHWAY 80 FRONTAGE near Eastland Interstate 20 exits. 2 plus acres, prime property. C6
I-20 ACCESS ROAD at Lake Leon Exit - 125 ft. frontage with 2500 sq. ft. bldg. C1
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Cisco, 3 BR, several lots, chainlink fence, \$18,000.
28 lots in Ranger, \$8,500 total.
0.8147 ac., N. I-20 Ser. Rd., 1/2 mi. W. of Ranger, \$2,000.
3.6290 ac. 1/2 mi. W. of Ranger on S. I-20 Ser. Rd., \$9,000.

EASTLAND HOMES AND LOTS

Lake Leon, 4 BR, 2 bath mobile home, CH/CA, deeded lot, Staff meter, \$19,900.
1 1/2 Story, 3 BR, Ben Franklin fireplace, sep. utility, \$25,500.
2 BR frame, (could be 3 or 4 BR), approx. 2,000 sq. ft., \$26,500.
3 BR, 2 bath Double-wide on corner lot near schools, CH/CA, stor. bldg., \$27,000.
Attractive remodeled 2 BR, CH/CA, \$29,300. Price reduced, Lake Leon, 2 BR, 1 1/2 bath near dam, deep water, Staff meter, \$38,000.
Large 2 BR, 1 1/2 bath, CH/CA, fireplace, plus Garage Apt. Rental Unit, \$42,000.
3 BR, 2 bath, CH/CA, neat den with fireplace, near EHS, \$42,500.
Brick home, 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, CH/CA, big fenced yd. w/pecan trees, \$45,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath Brick, CH/CA, Builtins, large lot, \$47,700.
4 BR, 1 1/2 bath frame w/brick trim, CH/CA, pretty trees, chainlink fence, \$48,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick on 2 lots, CH/CA, fireplace, ceiling fans, \$48,500.
2 BR Brick, CH/CA, fireplace, ceiling fans, carpet/stor., large lot, \$48,500.
Charming 2 BR, CH/CA, Big Oak Trees, excellent location, \$49,500.
Like new, 2 BR, 1 3/4 bath, CH/CA, builtins, \$50,000.
3 BR, 2 bath Brick, CH/CA, large Den w/fireplace, builtins, corner lot, \$58,500.
2200 sq. ft., 5 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick, CH/CA, builtins, \$58,500.
Lake Leon, large 2 BR, 2 bath on 2 1/2 deeded lots, Staff meter, \$59,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick, den, fireplace, big playroom, CH/CA, \$61,500.
Nice Older Home, approx. 2,000 sq. ft., 3 BR, 2 bath on 6 lots, CH/CA, \$75,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick, CH/CA, builtins, big fenced yard, \$75,000.
3 BR, 2 bath Brick, Gen-aire, microwave, compactor, CH/CA, covered patio, \$75,000.
4 BR, 1 3/4 bath Brick, 3,100 sq. ft., CH/CA, beautiful yard, \$85,000.
3 BR, 2 bath Brick, CH/CA, builtins, many extras, approx. 2,265 sq. ft. on 3 lots, ideal location, \$98,500.

SMALL ACREAGE WITH HOMES

12.1 ac. S. of Cisco, 3 BR home, approx. 2,000 sq. ft., all new carpet, Westbound water, Hookup for mobile home, lots of trees.
7 ac. w/3 BR home, good fences, shallow water well, outbuildings, \$37,500.
11.47 ac. w/nice 3 BR, 2 bath home, some minerals, \$70,000.
Morton Valley, 2 BR on approx. 1 ac., stor. bldgs., barn, corral, \$47,500.
2,100 sq. ft. on 2 ac., CH/CA, many extras, add. ac. avail., \$100,000.
12 1/2 ac. w/3 BR, 2 bath Double-wide between Eastland and Cisco, \$50,000.
10 ac., 1971 2 BR (could be 3), 1 1/2 bath mobile home, city water, tank, \$28,000.
80 ac., 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath brick, CH/CA, fireplace, 1/2 min., \$85,000.
17 ac., 1981 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath Double-wide, CH/CA, 2 tanks, water well, 1/4 min., assumable, \$48,000.
18.78 ac. w/3 BR, 2 bath Double-wide, 25 pecan trees, pretty place, \$49,500.
77 ac., wooded, remodeled 3 BR, CH/CA, builtins, city water, 2 story wells, 3 tanks, some min., \$86,000.
1.15 ac., large 2 BR, CH/CA, builtins, satellite, workshop, and orchard.
0.6248 ac. on edge of Cisco with 2 BR home, \$21,500.
8 ac. w/new 2 BR Mobile Home, CH/CA, city water, septic tank, \$38,500.

HOMES: RANGER, OLDEN, CARBON AND GORMAN

Olden, 3 BR on 2 1/4 ac., CH/CA, builtins, ceiling fans, like new, \$40,000. Also has additional acreage which can be purchased w/house.
Rising Star, 3 BR, 3 bath frame w/brick trim, corner lot, \$75,000.
1/2 ac. lot in Olden, \$4,250.
Carbon, 2 BR, 1 3/4 bath, CH, Refrig. window units, ceiling fans, \$29,500.
Choice homesites near Olden, 3 to 18 ac. wooded tracts.
Carbon, 2.7 ac. (10 lots) w/2 BR (could be 3) home, stor. bldg., paved st., \$28,500.

FARMS AND RANCHES

80 ac. S. of Cisco, Hwy. 183, fenced and crossfenced, all in Coastal, water well, 2 tanks, barn, corrals, 1/4 min. w/leasing rights, plus a 2 BR house, \$78,000.
179.5 ac. w/2 houses near Rising Star, 5 tanks, 2 water wells, 30 ac. trees, coastal, good terms, \$1,050 per ac. w/1/4 min. or \$1,100 w/1/2 min.
160 ac. near Cisco, 2 BR, 2 bath, study, den, FP, formal din., CH/CA, coastal, love, 2 tanks, 3 water wells, some min., \$175,000.
48.9 ac., Nimrod Hwy., water well, tank, good barn and fences, 1/2 min., \$44,000.
348.43 ac. W. of Cisco on I-20, 150 ac. cultivation, 2 tanks, some min., \$230,000.
492 ac. off Wayland Hwy., coastal and kline, crossfenced, corrals, \$500 per ac.
164 ac. close in to Cisco, Hwy. 183, good fences, tank, water well, beautiful homesite, \$625 per ac.
100 ac. N. of Eastland, heavily wooded, lots of deer, good hunting, tank, city water, perfect building site, \$625 per ac.
200 ac. W. of Cisco on I-20, 2 water wells, 2 tanks, cultivation & coastal, terms negot., add. 75 ac. avail., \$800 per ac.
160 ac., Kokomo Hwy., 1 tank, coastal, good fences, pipe corrals, 1/2 min., \$750 per ac.
245 ac. S. of Carbon, all cultivation, 8 wells, irrig. pit, some min., \$850 per ac.
26.15 ac. near Cisco on old Hwy. 80, some coastal, \$26,000.

CISCO HOMES AND LOTS

Owner financed, 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, \$24,500.
2 BR (could be 3), for. din., woodburning heater, covered deck, pretty yard.
2-Story, 5 BR, 2 bath, new carpet throughout, 2 CH/CA units, sep. den, dining, and living.
Assumable loan, 9% interest, 3 BR, large rms., carpet, \$16,500.
Lake Cisco, 2 BR, CH/CA, screened in porch, lots of Oak trees, consider owner financing, \$12,500.
Lake Cisco, 3 BR, 2 bath mobile home, CH/CA, boat dock, \$15,000.
2 BR, CH/CA, sep. den, big shop, lots of Oak trees, \$22,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath, 4 lots, chainlink fence, 95% loan, \$28,500.
2 BR, large rms., sep. din., sep. den, detached gar., \$17,500.
Large 3 BR, 2 bath brick, CH/CA, fireplace, 4-car carport, stor. bldg.
Remodeled 3 BR w/new steel vinyl siding, .73 ac. lot, Res. or commercial.
Residential lots outside of town.
5 lots for \$15,000 total.
2-Story 5 BR, 2 bath on 2 corner lots, attached Apt., fenced yard w/fruit trees, \$42,500.
3 BR, 1 1/2 bath brick, CH/CA, good stor., paved st., assume 10% FHA.
Large 2 BR, new kit. cabinets, corner lot, big rm. above gar. & workshop could be Apt. 4 BR, 2 bath, CH, dishwasher, fenced yd., Owner fin. avail., \$39,500.
Nice older 4 BR, 2 1/2 bath 2-story brick, large rms., Owner anxious to sell!
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick, CH/CA, new carpet, builtins, fenced, assume loan.
Residential or commercial, large 2-Story, 4 BR, 1 3/4 bath on 2 lots, \$17,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath on 2 lots, fireplace, pecan trees, assumable 8 1/2% FHA loan, \$23,500.
2 BR on 9 lots, chainlink fence, dog kennel, out-bldgs., \$29,500.
Assumable 9% FHA loan on this 4 BR, 3 bath brick, CH/CA, formal dining, fenced yard.

COMMERCIAL

Established Sporting Goods Business in Cisco.
Cisco, 1100 sq. ft. on approx. 1 1/4 ac., Hwy. frontage w/3 mobile home hookups, Owner financing avail., \$45,000.
Office Space for rent in new Maynard Bldg., Hwy. 80 E., Eastland, reasonable rates.
For rent: Spaces in Cisco Mini-Mall, utilities paid.
I-20 frontage, Eastland, 1 to 5 ac., commercial use only.
Hwy. 80 E., Cisco, 198' frontage, 1,344 sq. ft. bldg. plus 2 BR, 2 bath home in back, \$65,000.
2-Story brick bldg. near square in Eastland, approx. 10,000 sq. ft., \$28,500.
Established Eastland business for sale, call for details!
Downtown Cisco, Mini-Mall, 8 remodeled business spaces, plus room for more on 2nd Story, \$46,000.
Cisco, 2-Story brick bldg, approx. 9,000 sq. ft., loading dock, \$48,000.
I-20 Eastland, approx. 5,000 sq. ft. metal bldg., office w/3 bays, CH/CA, fenced yd., approx. 3/4 ac., \$165,000, will consider leasing.
Miracle Mile, Hwy. 80 E., Eastland, 4 ac. w/add. ac. available.
Eastland, approx. 1,800 sq. ft. Heydite bldg., corner lot, established business location, \$48,500.
Approx. 7,000 sq. ft. metal bldg., completely finished out, 2 CH/CA units, 3 restrooms, 4 1/2 lots, very versatile, Cisco, \$51,500.
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Area News Briefs

EASTLAND

Rick Salwen, Chief legal counsel to H. Ross Perot, will be the principal speaker at the War-On-Drugs Rally to be held Tuesday, Dec. 17 at Siebert Elementary Cafeteria. The program will begin at 7 p.m., and the public is invited. Tickets at \$5 each are available throughout the county, and will entitle the holder to an Oscar's Barbeque Banquet meal and an opportunity to learn more about the fight against illegal drug traffic in this county. They will also learn of the work on a state level, since Salwen and others on the program work with the Texas War on Drugs.

Santa Claus will arrive in downtown Eastland at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14. An Eastland Fire Department truck, sirens screaming, will escort him to the Square. He will have candy for the little folks and take time for requests from his many little friends. Parents are invited to bring the youngsters by.

Northview Development Center at 401 West Moss has come very attractive wood-work items for sale in time for Christmas giving. Items such as doll cradles, trunks, toys and things that can be used in the home are available. These would make truly distinctive gifts. Around 49 residents help make things in the Workshop, and the public is invited to come by and see their work. The Workshop also accepts donations of cash, supplies, etc., and all are tax deductible.

A special Children's Ministry is being held on Saturday afternoon at Eastland County Christian

Center, according to Rev. Hilton Mansfield, interim pastor. Wee Willie Gospeltime is from 2 to 4 p.m. each Saturday at the church, which is on the south side of the Square. A special children's program will also be on Wednesday, Dec. 18, when children of the church will present a play and sing Christmas carols.

The commodities will be distributed in Eastland on Wed., Dec. 18 at the Senior Center on Park Hill. The time for Seniors and Handicapped will be 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m., and all others will be 11 a.m. to 12 noon.

CISCO

The First United Methodist Church will present "Promise of Peace" by Joseph Linn on Sunday, Dec. 15 at 7 p.m. Assisting the Methodist Church choir with the cantata will be singers from the First Christian Church, First Presbyterian Church, First Baptist Church, First Evangelical Methodist Church and Redeemer Lutheran Church. The public is invited to come out and hear this inspiring music.

Sunday morning services at the First Baptist Church on Dec. 15 will include cantata "Down From His Glory." This will be presented by the choir of the Baptist Church and singers from several other Churches, and directed by John Picklesimer, Music and Youth Director. Soloists for the program will include Elizabeth Webb, Doyle Walker, Susan Wester, and Pamela Jackson. Miss Jackson directs the choir at the First Methodist Church. The public is invited to come

out and enjoy this program.

The annual Christmas party for the residents of Canterbury Villa (Cisco Nursing Home) will be held Wednesday, Dec. 18 at 2:30 p.m. Families are reminded to have the gifts for their loved ones under the tree at that time. Mae Green, Activity Director, issues an invitation to all families of residents to attend this happy occasion.

The Country Western Musical will be at the Cisco Corral Room Saturday, Dec. 14, beginning about 7 p.m. Everyone is invited, especially area musicians. There will be concession stand.

John C. Jones, pastor of the Mountain Top United Pentecostal Church, has been selected by the Pentecostal Church of Zimbabwe, Africa to be their Camp Meeting speaker beginning Dec. 26. After the Camp Meeting there will be trips into the bush for rural jungle preaching, with a side trip to Lake Kariba and Victoria Falls. The Pastor's travels are made possible by Pastor's International Evangelism, a world outreaching of ministry into remote places developed by the pastor.

Commodities will be distributed in Cisco on Tuesday, Dec. 17 at the Gaslight Apts. on Conrad Hilton Ave. The time will be 8 a.m. to 12 noon.

RANGER

A vacancy still exists in the office of Justice of the Peace, Pct. 2, County Commissioners will be meeting Monday, Dec. 16, 10 a.m. in an effort make an appoint-

ment. They were unable to agree on the naming of a new J.P. during lengthy sessions Dec. 9. Luther Maxwell, who was appointed in Feb., 1985, resigned Nov. 25. An election will be held for this office in the spring, with an elected Justice of the Peace assuming the office Jan. 1, 1987.

Charles C. Koch, Principal of Ranger School, was among 159 school principals honored this week by Gov. Mark White for energy conservation. The savings figures are based on calendar year 1984. According to information from the Governor, the Ranger Independent School District saved \$15,734 during that time. The recognition is Part of Gov. White's Gold Star School Project, which is also sponsored by the Texas Public Utilities Commission. The state-wide savings came from eliminating unneeded lighting and timing heating and air-conditioning equipment to operate only when schools are occupied.

Caprice Scott, who is a missionary in Kenya, East Africa, will present a program at the First Church Church in Ranger Sunday, Dec. 15 at 6:30 p.m. She will show slides and tell about her life there. Caprice is a teacher in Nairobi, and also a worker in an orphan's home for handicapped children. She is now in Ranger visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Scott. The public is invited to come out and hear her interesting

program.

The Ranger Volunteer Fire Department is accepting sealed bids until Jan. 6, 1986 at 5 p.m. on construction of a 40 by 140 ft. metal building to be built on Highway 80 E. in Ranger. Bids should be sent to George Beighley, 1001 Desdemona Blvd., Ranger, Texas. All bids should be firm. For more information call Darrell Fox at 647-1122.

RISING STAR

The Brownwood Television Cable Service Inc. weather station will be moved to the Rising Star School within two weeks, if plans work out. Students will prepare video tapes to be aired on the station. Initial plans are for a 30-minute tape using the format for the TV Show "Good Morning, America". School and community news items will be aired at 7:30 a.m. on "Good Morning, Rising Star". The equipment the school hopes to acquire is a TV Camera, a telephone, and a telephone answering machine. This will be geared to reach the 535 homes in Rising Star which receive cable television, as well as subscribers in Cross Plains. The school children are very excited over this opportunity to learn communication skills in a most meaningful way. The community will benefit too.

"A Promise of Peace" is the theme of the Christmas Cantata to be presented by the choir of the First Baptist

Church. Directed by Ronnie Jones, the 16-member choir will give the program Sunday, Dec. 15 at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend the cantata and fellowship afterward.

Food commodities will be distributed in Rising Star Tuesday, Dec. 17 from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center.

BAIRD

Wayne and Laura Williams have donated a beautiful crocheted tablecloth to the Save-Our-Depot Project. Donations of \$5 for three choices or \$2 for one are available at the First National Bank. The Sesquicentennial quilt donated by Jerry Loper will be given away Dec. 15 and the blue topaz stone donated by Bob and Louise Joy will be given away Dec. 23.

Due to bad weather, the Baird Meals on Wheels has

postponed their annual Chili Supper until Thursday, Dec. 19 at 5:30 p.m. The Supper will feature chili, beans, crackers, cake and coffee and tea. Tickets will be \$4 per person. Bill Skinner and the Inmates will be playing for all who attend. The chili will be from Skip Parker's famous recipe, and Skip will be the chef. All proceeds go to make up the local money required for the Meals on Wheels Program for Baird and Clyde.

The Baird Chamber of Commerce will be judging the city's decorations on Tuesday night, Dec. 17. There will be two classes judged, Baird homes and Baird businesses. Prizes will be awarded in each division. Baird is really festive with Christmas decorations this year, and the public is invited to drive into town and enjoy them.

Sunday, December 15, 1985

Eastland County

Roping Club Elects

Officers

The Eastland County Roping Club held its annual birthday banquet and business meeting Thursday evening at Lone Cedar Country Club. Approximately 40 attended the event and tentative plans were made for a banquet each winter and an outdoor barbecue each summer. The organization held six ropings this year. Officers elected are as follows: Clovis Hines, president; Bill Moore, vice president; Dickie Burgess, secretary-treasurer; and board members Carrol Bays, Freddy Johnson, Jack Thomas and Waymond Greenwood. Edwin Lumas was installing officer. The organization meets the first Monday of each month.

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James A. Clements and Lisa May Halbrook.
William James Elrod, Jr. and Angela Dawn Raspberry.
Encarnacion Munoz, Jr. and Gay Nell Wilson.
William Morris Ames and Noel Christina Behrens.
91st DISTRICT COURT
Benjamin Kirk Bushner AKA Cruz Barra - Driving While Intoxicated.
Robert Temple Bushner AKA Paul Temple Bushner AKA Paul Temple Moore - Driving While Intoxicated.
Lisa Gay Jacoby - Driving While Intoxicated.
William Dalton Hotaling - Criminal Mischief over \$20.00 and under \$200.00.
David Russell Scollie - Theft over \$20.00 and under \$200.00.
Charles Paul Sellers - DWI - third offense.
Bobby Ray Freeman, Jr. unlawfully carrying weapon.
Chapman Energy Inc. vs. The Permian Corp. - Accounting and judgement.
Reliance Ins. Co. vs. Larry Freeman - Set aside award of Ind. acct. Bd.
Charles Tom Bott II vs. Jackie Ann Bott - Divorce.
Jalynn Cox vs. Comanche Co. Fire Corp. Assoc. and Comanche Co. Tex & W. Garmon - Damages.
Jack Sowers and others vs. Ray Richey & Co. - Damages.
Sears, Roebuck and Co. vs. Lenz Enterprises and R.A. Lenz Individually - Suit on account.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. First St. Bk. of Rising Star - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. First Natl. Bk. of Cisco - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Citizens Natl. Bk. of Brownwood - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Republic Bank N.A. of Brownwood - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Sunbelt Sav. & Assoc. of Dallas - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Southern Savings & Loan of Brady - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Federated Sav. & L.A. Assoc. of Brady - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Permian Corp. - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Interfirst Brownwood N.A. - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. Empire of America Ft. Worth - Garnishment.
Pearl F. Terrell, and others vs. First City Bk. Central of Arlington - Gar-

nishment.
Wright E. Dunn vs. NHB Development Corp. and C.I. of Texas Inc. - Damages, Foreclosure of Lien.
Tracey Jayne Hamrick vs. Raymond Dale Hamrick - Divorce.
INSTRUMENTS FILED CO. CLERK'S OFFICE
American Energy Capitol Corp. To InterFirst Bank Houston - Sub-Agree.
American Energy Capitol Corp. To The Public - Notice.
American Energy Capitol Corp. To Inter First Houston NA - D/T Sec. Agree Asgn.
Abilene Drilling Inc. To Max Pevey - Asgn OGL.
L.D. Alcon and others To Ray Dugan - MML Asgn.
H.E. Austin dba To Moran Natl. Bank - M/D and Trust Sec Agree and Asgn.
Anglo-Suisse, Inc. To Inter First Bk. Houston - D/T Sec. Agree F/S Asgn of Prod.
Anglo Suisse, Inc. To The Public - Notice.
Anglo Suisse, Inc. To Inter-First Bk. Houston - Sub. Agree.
Billy Harold Anderson and wife To Curtis R. Cupp and wife - W/D.
Ether H. Alford, Dec'd and others To The Public - Proof of Heirship.
Abilene Mobile Homes Inc. To First St. Bk. Ranger - Transfer of Lien.
Jessie A. Ainsworth To James M. Fisher - Power of Atty.
Bryant B. Brooks Est. To Wyoming Natl. Bk. Casper - Property Transfer and Conveyance.
Bandera Drilling Co. Inc. To Don Hanvey Oil Int. - Partial Rel. Lien.
Virendra C. Bhakta To Bharat Bhakta - Power of Atty.
Joyce Evelyn Boles To Mable J. Payne - Warranty Deed.
William F. Bowles and others To Raymond E. Beck and others - Asgn ORR Int.
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Durwood Wayne Ballard To Leland W. Carter - OGI.
Tommie Brierton To Gene M. Snow - OGI.
Deloris Bunn, Trustee To David Wick, Jr. - OGI.
Lonny Beggs and others To Eastland Natl. Bk. - Deed of trust.
Amos E. Barker and wife to O.K. Ranch Enterprises - W/D.
Joyce P. Bode To Eugene D. Bode - Asgn OGI.
Iillie Mae Bishop, dec'd To The Public - Certified Copy Probate.
Jake S. Bishop, Dec'd To The Public - OGI Probate.
Katherine E. Byroade by Gdn and others To Sun Explor. & Prod. Co. OGI.

J. Gordon Bennett To Sun Expl. & Prod. Co. - Amend of OGML.
Linda Jean Brunfield and husband To Henry C. Shepard and others - W/D.
Tura Modess Burgess To Durwood Ray Burgess - W/D.
Tura Modess Burgess To Joyce Ann Pence - Warranty Deed.
Tura Modess Burgess To Gay Dale Burgess - W/D.
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Daniel Vincent Chase and wife To Patricia M. Maynard - Warranty Deed.
Loedia Cozart To National Improvement Co. - MML Asgn.
Marian G. Craddock and others To Howard Beggs dba - W/D.
Bertha P. Chastain and husband To Rainbow Seven Oil & Gas - OGI.
Bob Carroll To North Ridge Corp. - R/W.
Citizen's Natl. Bk. B'ridge To Wayne L. Vinson - Rel of Lien.
Benjamin R. Christmas To Billie J. Moore - Power of Atty.
Lee Caldwell and others To Ray Richey & Co. Inc. - OGI.
Edward F. Comegys by trustee dec'd To Sun Explor. & Prod. Co. - Amend and Ext. of OGML.
Ricky Lynn Campbell and wife To William K. Dolen and wife - W/D.
Curtis R. Cupp and wife To Billy Harold Anderson and wife - D/T.
Colonial Sav. & L.A. Assn. To Federal Home Lm. Mart. Corp. - Asgn of Lien.
Kirk Dyer To Tiki Explor. Corp. - OGI.
Patricia K. Durham To Central Oil & Gas - OGI.
Floyd Durham, Jr. - To Central Oil & Gas - OGI.
Vivon Davis To North Ridge Corp. - OGI.
Paul Dabbs and others To Dwight Dabbs and others - Partition Deed.
Davis Monuments Works To Mrs. Cleo Bell - Rel. of Judgement.
Tom Dunn, Trustee To First St. Bk. Ranger - Trustee's Deed.
City of Eastland and others To R.P. Haun and others - Contract.
Don Estes and others To The Public - Disclaimer.
H.R. Ellis and others To Thomas Webster and wife - Rel. of Lien.
Don Estes and wife To Circle Exploration Inc. - OGI.
Eastland Natl. Bk. To Gene Trout - Rel. of Lien.
Don Estes and others To The Public - Disclaimer.
EADS Exploration, Inc. To Interfirst Bk. Houston - Subordinate Agree.
EADS Exploration, Inc. To The Public - Notice.
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Euralex 1981 Special Partnership To Ridge Oil Co. Inc. - Asgn OGI.
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First Natl. Bk. Weatherford To Demand Energy Inc. - OGMI.
First St. Bk. Ranger To J.M. Ainsworth and wife - Rel. D/T.
Dave Ford To Max Pevey - Asgn OGI.
First St. Bk. Ranger To Roy Lee

Lela Pansy Patterson To Olen Wright and wife - W/D.
Penwood Oil Corp. To North Ft. Worth Bk. - Ext. of Lien.
Jerry D. Robinson and wife To Bernard M. Keith and wife - Warranty Deed.
James W. Rose and wife To Fed. Ld. Bk. of Texas - Deed of Trust.
Henningers and wife To Thomas H. Neill - Farm Lease.
Michael Wayne Reid To Circle Explor. Inc. - OGI.
Republic Bank-Houston NA To Clayton L. Orn - Quit Claim Deed.
Helen Grayson Reeves To The Public - Certified Copy Probate.
Nancy Ruff To Leland W. Carter - OGI.
William S. Reeds To Leland W. Carter - OGI.
Kevin Rust To Robert L. Rust - Warranty Deed.
Salvation Army, a Georgia Corp. To Stephenson Oil & Gas - OGML.
Stephenson Oil & Gas To Kyle S. Rowland and others - Asgn ORR.
Stephenson Oil & Gas To Santex Explor. Program I - Asgn OGI.
State of Texas To Tarek Hawari - State Tax Lien.
State of Texas To Bronco Mud Co. Inc. - State Tax Lien.
C.W. Seely To Republic Bk. Ridgela Ft. Worth - Add to D/T.
State of Texas and others To Tex Architectural Clay Inc. - Abstract of Judg.
William R. Sewell To Pete O. Johnson - Asgn.
Delia Stephens To Leland W. Carter - OGI.
William Clinton Sampson To Leland W. Carter - OGI.
Walter C. Snyder, trustee and others - To Leland W. Carter - OGI.
Southland Royalty Co. To Bayshare Prod. Co. - Corr Asgn.
State of Texas To Great Western Natural Resources - State Tax Lien.
State of Texas To Donald L. House - State Tax Lien.
State of Texas To Mary Sue Brown - State Tax Lien.
State of Texas To Central Mud Co. Inc. - State Tax Lien.
Jesse Speer and wife To 1st St. Bk. Ranger - D/T.
State of Texas To Nicki L. Brown - State Tax Lien.
Thomas Morgan Schmitt To Katlaco Operating Co. - OGML.
Gene Sandlin To Bill Miers -

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Taylor Operating - To Greer Tank Trucks - Lien Claim.
Mrs. Pauline Taylor, dec'd To The Public - Proof of Heirship.
Ruby E. Taylor To Maxie Brooks - M/D.
Trans-Continental Mort-Corp. To Robert R. Hammond - Asgn of Lien.
Trent Thomas To Eddie M. McMillan and others - Asgn OGI.
United States of America To Santa Fe Partnership and others - Rel. Fed. Tax Lien.
Hazel Underwood and others To Bobby Cagle and wife - Warranty Deed.
David L. Underwood and wife To L.H. Jones, trustee - Deed of Trust.
Tom Visentine and wife To Tarrant Oil & Gas - Asgn OGI.
Opal Whiteside To Robert Whiteside and others - Conv. of Int. in O.G. Wells.
Alvin Woods To Circle Exploration Inc. - OGI.
Ova Milling Withtee To R.D. Caraway and others - Par. Rel. W/D.
Jack Worsham To Logan Energy Co. - Asgn OGI.
Olen Wright and wife To Lela Pansy Patterson - D/T.
Betty-K. Williams To Sun Explor. & Prod. Co. - OGI.
Gene Woods To Sun Explor. & Prod. Co. - OGI.
Jeff Eugene Woodward and wife To L.H. Jones trustee - D/T.
Wayne Webb and wife To Michael A. Wallen and wife - W/D.
Michael A. Wallen and wife To Eastland Natl. Bk. - Deed of Trust.
NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS
G C Blankenship - Ranger - Chev.
Brooks Symansh - Clifton - Chev.
Ted F. Wheelis - Garland - Chev.
Deborah K. Sarabia - Carbon - Ford.
James M. Kinser - Gorman - Ford.
William C. Edgar - Cisco - Chev.
Wilson W. Simpson - Ranger - Chev.
Mrs. Victor A. Childers - Rising Star - Merc.
Raymond L. Williams - Cisco - Ford.
Terry Mizell - Eastland - Pont.
Gary Kent - Cisco - Buick.
David Coxsey dba Lady Love Cosmetics - Eastland - Buick.
Robert D. Wood/Norma W. Wood - Eastland - Ford.
E B Kelley - Eastland - Cad.
Lola J. Hendrick - Harder Heights - Cad.
James Drennan - Cisco - Felps.
Carbon Carriers of Dallas, Inc.

Sunday, December 15, 1985

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Sunwave Hot Tubs

Reg. \$3195.00

SPECIAL \$3045.00

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Wreaths Christmas Pieces 3-5 Blooms \$7.99
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207 MAIN RANGER 647-1171
106 SIXTH ST. CISCO 442-2552

RANGER
3 bdrm, Large L.R. and din rm, 2 bath, 2 lots with garage. Owner may consider finance. Reduced Price \$20,000.

Very nice 3 bdrm, 2 bath, Large L.R. and Den, kitchen built-ins. 2 car garage, corner 3 lots, fruit trees, central heat, part brick.

3 bdrm, 1 bath, L.R., kitchen. Needs some remodeling \$5,500 - Make reasonable offer.

3 bdrm, 2 baths, large L.R.-dining room, kitchen with utility room, fenced back yard, 1 car garage, small storage building, plenty of closets, on .56 acres.

6 room house, 1 bath, partially remodeled, carpet, on .58 acres lot. \$22,000.

Trailer Park, approx. 4.13 ac., 7 hook-ups, all city utilities, fruit trees, 2 stock tanks, all weather roads - \$37,500.

Lake Leon Property:
.91 acres, Deeded lot, on paved road - \$8500.

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LEE RUSSELL.....647-1383
ARDYTHE CALDWELL.....442-2134

Century 21 EASTCO INC. 112 Railroad Ave. Ranger

619 Young Street, Ranger, FHA approved home, 3 bdr., 1 1/2 bath, very good location. \$21,900.
122 W. 1st St., Ranger, Oakhill Addition, energy efficient home, brick, 3 bdr., 2 bath, CHA, fireplace, 7 1/2' A appraised.
127 Pine, Ranger, large frame, 3 bdr., 2 bath, 1 1/2' den, 1 1/2' garden, great north range view.
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Guest Slot

By HVO

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A drug-free society for the adults and young people of Eastland County.

A tall order? Sure.
It once was true — and could be again!

An expert advises: Every aspect of the community must become involved not only in primary prevention, but in intervention as well. All elements must work together to eliminate the peer pressure to do drugs during the middle school years. If intervention can take place at the senior high level, and primary prevention emphasized at the kindergarten level and up, eventually the peer pressure during the mid-years will be greatly reduced.

Young people must learn that illegal drugs affect the mind and body. They must be shown alternative activities which are safe.

Right now there is widespread effort across this entire county to join hands and fight illegal drugs.

A War-On-Drugs Rally Tuesday night at 7 p.m. at the Siebert Elementary School WELCOMES parents and students to learn more about the problem and to hear recommendations for solutions.

Sure, it's the wrong time of year. No one has time to take out in mid-December to attend a drug rally. Or don't we? It was set because the speakers' schedules permitted it now only, and the message is so important, that it was agreed that it was worth the effort.

It'll be worth the public's effort to attend P.A.D.D., the Ministerial Alliance and the County Law Enforcement Association URGE YOU TO ATTEND.

Your presence will be evidence that you WANT THE ILLEGAL DRUG TRAFFIC STOPPED.

Tickets are \$5. each (barely enough to cover the

cost of the Oscar-catered meal), and there's no effort to raise money. Motivated bodies are more important in this War than dollars. THE HALL SHOULD BE FULL OF PEOPLE. That will let the illegal drug dealers KNOW that the citizens of this county mean business.

If you don't show, they're not going to get that message.

Sure, there's 101 other activities that night, but can't we, can't you, set aside two hours to attend this ALL-IMPORTANT once-in-a-lifetime event in our county? If you just can't possibly make it, make sure that somebody from your family, or from your neighborhood ATTENDS. Be represented!

If there's still any doubt in your mind that there is a drug problem in this county, then you must have your head buried in the sand. There's evidence of it on all sides, and it will continue to grow UNTIL good citizens like yourself stand up, sound off and let it be known that you WANT IT STOPPED.

You won't be alone in your effort. The Texas Association of School Boards recently joined wholeheartedly with Texas War on Drugs.

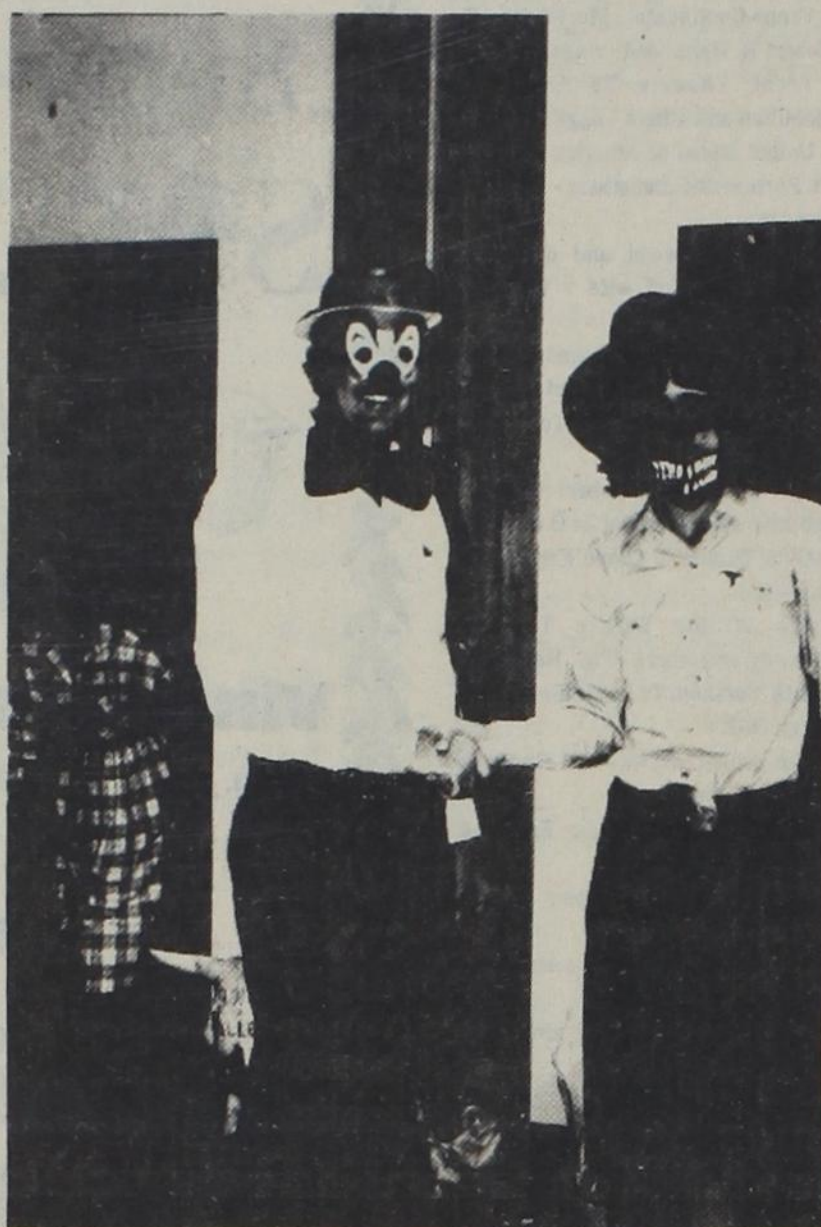
Twenty six deaths in Texas in the first half of 1985 have been attributed to the "new, designer drugs," manufactured concoctions which are being linked to Parkinson like symptoms such as tremors, muscular rigidity, slowness of movement and speech and a mask-like, expressionless face.

The newest trend is smoking marijuana cigarettes which have been dipped in Raid ant and roach killer or, if available, embalming fluid. It's an epidemic and it's killing kids.

Your presence Tuesday night will not stop it automatically, but it's that all-important first step.

Can we count on you? Our young people are!

4-H Jr. Leader Of The Week



Jerry Long is his name and recreation is his game. He has been a member of the Rising Star "Stars of the Future 4-H Club for 7 years and is a Jr. at Rising Star High School. Jerry is a member of the Eastland County 4-H Recreation team, winning 1st place in STATE recently. He is also active in

sheep, leadership, swine, public speaking and beef projects.

Jerry is very strong in both his sheep and swine projects. He has won numerous awards with both. Also he has won honors with his sheep record book. Jerry was recognized for his leadership skills this year by

receiving "Danforth I Dare You" award. Last year he was a Gold Star recipient. Jerry attended State 4-H Roundup last year competing in "Promote 4-H" demonstration contest and placed 10th in state with his sister Jami as a partner.

Jerry has held numerous offices, currently he's serving as Eastland County 4-H Council Chairman for his second year! Last year he was Chairman of Jr. Leader Association. Jerry has been on various committees at the local, county and district level.

Jerry is also active in school activities, currently playing varsity basketball for Rising Star. Jerry is the son of Rex and Trudi Long of Rising Star. He is also member of the Eastland Co. 4-H & Youth Sub-Committee that directs and plans program for youth in the county. Next week the future will be a Jr. Leader from the Ranger area.

Farm Bureau Convention Host To Ten From Eastland County



Ten voting delegates representing Eastland County Farm Bureau recently participated in the 52nd annual Texas Farm Bureau convention Dec. 1-4 in Fort Worth.

They were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank McCollum of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shults of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walton of Ranger. Policies directing the

state's largest farm organization were adopted by more than 1,300 delegates from 217 organized Farm Bureaus. Approved recommendations on national policies will advance to the

American Farm Bureau Federation annual meeting to be held Jan. 12-16 in Atlanta.

Speakers featured at the convention included Navy Capt. Gerald Coffee, a former American POW in Vietnam; S.M. True of Plainview, TFB president; and Warren Newberry of Waco, TFB executive director.

The business session covered the final two days of the meeting. The last order of business was the election of the president, S.M. True.

County leaders also attended several special conferences on federal farm programs, agricultural financing, taxes and education, unemployment compensation and farm labor and toxic waste disposal. Commodity conferences were also held.

4-H District 8 Food Show

This week 4-H'ers are preparing for the District 8 Food show, Saturday, December 14th. Eleven 4-H'ers will be participating in the contest. We wish them lots of luck!

4-H'ers are busy working with their animal projects and beginning their clothing project. This year the focus of clothing and textiles will be on: alterations, patterns by computer and consumer management. The clothing project not only teaches skills in making a garment, but aspects of altering ready made garments, and comparison shopping.

Several 4-H'ers are beginning to put together their method demonstrations and illustrated talks. Plus others are preparing for judging livestock in January, 1986. Presently Eastland county has 4-H'ers working on contest areas to qualify for state. During the next 5 months. They'll practice and practice some more to make it perfect to win District and qualify for the Texas 4-H Roundup in June, held at Texas A&M. Good luck to all those 4-H'ers and their coaches.

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8 TH Attend The Church Of Your Choice	9 TH R - Jaycees E - Rotary Club E - Bar Bingo E - County Commissioners E - Rebekah Lodge No. 177 - 7:30 p.m. RS - School Board RS - Social Security Rep.	10 TH E - Lions Club R - Fire Department E - Fire Department RS - City Council RS - Chamber of Commerce	11 TH E - Kiwanis Club E - Bar Bingo C - Lions Club R - Rotary Club	12 TH C - Rotary Club C - Kiwanis Club R - Lions Club C - Garden Club	13 TH E - Jaycees	14 TH
15 TH Attend The Church Of Your Choice	16 TH E - Rotary Club E - Bar Bingo R - Jaycees	17 TH E - Lions Club C - Fire Department E - PTO Meeting 3:45	18 TH E - Kiwanis Club E - Bar Bingo C - Lions Club R - Rotary Club RS - Saturday Club	19 TH C - Rotary Club C - Kiwanis Club R - Lions Club E - Rifle & Gun Club RS - Scottish Rites	20 TH E - Jaycees RS - Lakewood Luncheon	21 ST
22 ND Attend The Church Of Your Choice	23 RD R - Jaycees E - Rotary Club E - Bar Bingo E - County Commissioners E - Rebekah Lodge No. 177 - 7:30 p.m. RS - School Board RS - Social Security Rep.	24 TH E - Lions Club RS - Lakewood Dinner	25 TH E - Kiwanis Club E - Bar Bingo C - Lions Club R - Rotary Club C - Lake Cisco Extension Club	26 TH C - Rotary Club C - Kiwanis Club R - Lions Club C - Service Club	27 TH E - Jaycees	28 TH
29 TH Attend The Church Of Your Choice	30 TH E - Rotary Club E - Bar Bingo R - Jaycees	31 ST E - Lions Club	DECEMBER E - EASTLAND R - RANGER C - CISCO RS - RISING STAR			

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The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the Strawn, Millican Well #2. The proposed disposal well is located 2 miles east of Carbon in Eastland County. The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 510 to 520.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the statewide rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas, 512-445-1373, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. 12-15-85

CITY OF CISCO, TEXAS REQUEST FOR BIDS FOR PICK-UP TRUCKS

The City of Cisco is accepting bids for the purchase of two pick-up trucks with the following general specifications.

- Unit No. 1
3/4-ton Heavy Duty Pick-up 8-cylinder engine (350/351 cu. in.)
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Color - White

Units shall include all standard equipment unless otherwise specified. All bids must be F.O.B. City of Cisco. Bids, along with particular specifications and approximate delivery date should be sealed and marked "Pick-up Truck Bids" and addressed to the City Secretary, P.O. Box 110, Cisco, Texas 76437. Bid opening and award will be made by the City Council at their

meeting in City Hall at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 14, 1986. Any questions concerning this request for bids should be directed to the City Manager at 817/442-2111.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept any proposal of any bidder, and to waive any or all bid informalities. Ginger Johnson
City Secretary

Public Notices

CITY OF CISCO PUBLIC NOTICE
1985-86 Revenue Sharing Budget

On December 10, 1985 the City Council held a public hearing and approved the budget for the estimated Revenue Sharing funds for the 1985-86 fiscal year. The approved budget summaries are as follows:

Total Revenues-	Estimated \$104,000
Total Expenditures (by Dept.)-	
Administration-	\$5,000
Police-	\$6,500
Fire-	\$62,500
Street-	\$21,500
Water-	\$8,500

A detailed copy of the approved budget is posted at City Hall, 116 West 7th Street and may be reviewed during normal business hours, Monday through Friday.

Ginger Johnson
City Secretary

Sheriff's Dept. Is Clearing 'Ring'

The Eastland Sheriff's Department has been involved recently in investigating and clearing up a recent "crime ring" in this county, according to Deputy Jerry Heflin.

Deputy Heflin said the department, in cooperation with the Eastland Police Department, has made arrests in connection with several crimes that have been committed in the county in the past two months.

Seven adults and 6 juveniles have been arrested and their cases will be presented before the grand jury in January and several more arrests are expected to be made in conjunction with the same offenses.

This "crime ring" has been responsible for burglaries at the Siebert Elementary School in Eastland, a concession stand at the Eastland baseball complex and a case of criminal mischief at Caldwell Motors. Also burglaries of the Maverick Football field house. Burglary of a vehicle and a coin operated paper machine was also involved. All of these were within the city limits of Eastland and were solved in cooperation with the police department.

The sheriff's department also in this case solved the following crimes where golf carts were stolen, a criminal

mischief at the Lone Cedar Country Club, a burglary in Olden, a burglary of a coin operated machine in Olden, theft from a vehicle, criminal mischief of rental property and burglary at the Olden Gym.

No monetary value is available at this time on these crimes but is expected to run into the thousands of dollars.

The Sheriff's Department is still investigating the burglary at the Eastland County Bowling Center along with the Texas Ranger and have 2 suspects in this case.

Deputy Heflin also said that a rash of forged checks have been given in the county and that there are several suspects in this case. He said that the department should finish the investigation very soon.

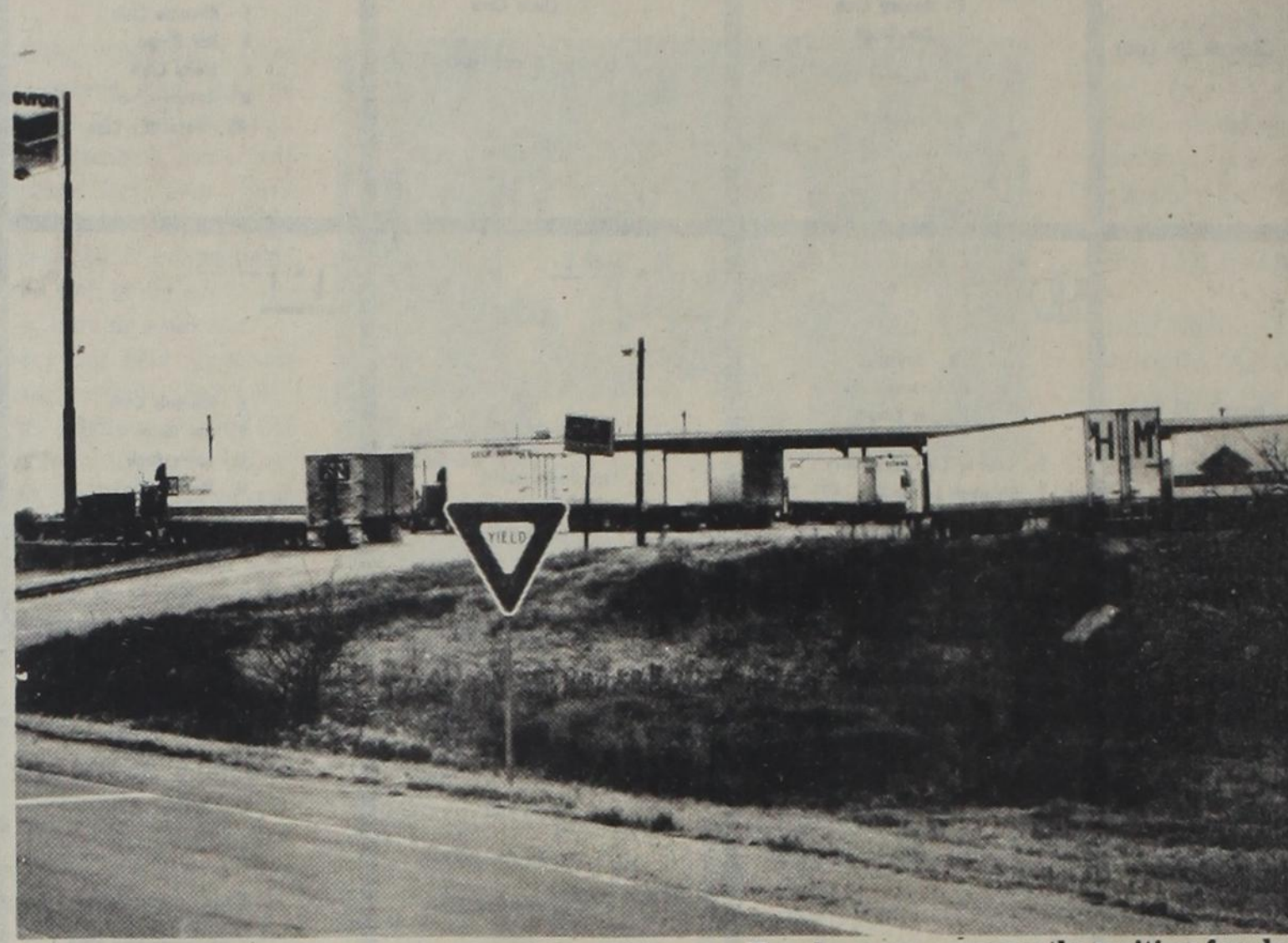
Lions District Governor Due Here Wednesday

Ronnie McMillan of Graham, district governor for Lions Clubs in this region, will make an official visit to the Cisco club at their noon luncheon Wednesday, Dec. 18, it was announced by President Jerry McBeth at the weekly luncheon last Wednesday.

Mr. McMillan will speak at the luncheon and will meet with the board of directors after the meeting, Mr. McBeth said. Lieutenant Governor John Kendrick has been invited to attend and he hopes to be here, Mr. McBeth added.

All local Lions were urged to attend the meeting. A video tape with sound of a Houston high school girls' drill team appearing for a special program in Tokyo, Japan, last summer was shown by Lion Earl Ray as the program feature at last Wednesday's luncheon.

Parking Lot Is Filled



TIME TO STOP- The parking lot of the White Elephant Restaurant and Guthrie Truck Stop was filled to capacity here Wednesday morning around 7 a.m., as drivers of 18-wheel trucks pulled off the Interstate to wait for sunrise.

Trucks were apparently waiting for daylight so they could see icy spots on the highway since freezing temperatures had coated pavement and bridges with a covering of ice.

(Staff Photo.)

Holiday Musical Is Set

The music students of Marcia Adams will be presenting a Holiday Musical, Tuesday evening, Dec. 17, 7:30 p.m. at the Cisco High School Auditorium. Those participating will be Dusty Walton, Bret McMillan, Christi Cozart, Chris Gerhardt, Wanda West, Sharon Elton, Larry Wende, Ginger Rhyme, David Zell, Sarah Zell, Franklin Skinner, Shawn Hollander, Jimmy Williams, Doug Knight, Shane Wilkerson, Chelsie Pittman, Treva Webb, Andy Escabedo, Anthony Watkins, Sean Schaeffer, Jake Knight, Phyllis Lewis, Annette Bowles, Kay Meeks, Jonathan Adams, Shanna Adams, Leslee Gerhardt, Chad Gerhardt, Eve Elton, Lyle Wende, Ben Cozart, Shaylor Pryor, Walt Wilker-

Senior Citizens Nutrition Menu

Weather permitting, we plan to serve luncheons Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (December 16 through 20).

The Senior Center will be closed December 23 (Monday) through December 27 (Friday). The week's vacation will let us be with our families.

Home Residents

The annual Christmas Party for the residents of Canterbury Villa will be held Wednesday, December 18, at 2:30 p.m. Families of residents are reminded to have the gift for their loved ones under the tree at that time.

Mae Green, activities director, issues a cordial invitation to all families of residents to attend this happy occasion. Refreshments will be served.

Yule Party Planned For

The menus for the coming week will be:
Monday-- Meal potato, vegetable medley, pineapple and cheese, chocolate pudding, bread, butter and milk.
Tuesday-- Fish with tartar sauce, french fries, butter beans, pineapple, carrot, raisin cole slaw, peach cobbler with topping, bread, butter and milk.
Thursday-- Ham slice, green beans, sweet potatoes and apples, lemon dessert, bread, butter and milk.
Friday-- (Christmas Luncheon) Sliced turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, english peas, sweet potatoes, fruit cocktail, bread, butter and milk.

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Mary, Joseph, and the Baby Jesus is the best-known family in the world, often being called "The Holy Family." Dr. Oswald Hoffmann, speaker on The Lutheran Hour, says, "That family is indeed, 'holy' because of that child, God's gift to them and through them to the whole world forever." Tune in to The Lutheran Hour next Sunday at 8 a.m. on radio station KCLW (900) and at 12:35 p.m. on KWFT (620).

Tuesday, Morning Bible Study is at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, Care Center

Worships at 10 a.m. Confirmation Class is at 3:45 p.m. Advent Services are at 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jesus' Friends meet at 9:30 a.m. and at 2:30 p.m. Christian Fellowship is at 7:30 p.m.



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CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Ronnie Shackelford Pastor 18th and Ave. D Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.	CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE W. 10th and Ave. N. Rev. Phillip S. Smith Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.	GREATER MOUNTAIN TOP UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH Hwy. 183, 12 miles South of Cisco P.O. Box 289, Cisco, Texas Phone 443-3629 Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.	EAST CISCO BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Cecil Deadman 506 E. 11th Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:50 a.m. Training Union 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m. Mid-Week Services: Wednesday 7:00 p.m.	CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER Pastor J.L. Sprinkle Phone 628-2831 Meeting at 104 W. Plummer Street in Eastland at 10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Sundays; Wednesday Evenings at 7:30 at 103 South Ammerman Street in Eastland.	FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 500 W. 6th St. Rev. William C. Weeks Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Service 11:00 a.m.	WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Frank Williams, Pastor Ave. A Morning Worship 9:00 a.m. Church School 10:00 a.m. Family Night 4th Thursday each month. Administrative Board Meeting: 1st Monday Night Each Month.	THE LANDMARK APOSTOLIC 409 W. 11th Street Rev. Jay Williams, Pastor Thursday Night 7:30 p.m. Saturday Night Youth Service 7:30 p.m. Sunday Morning at 10:00 a.m. Sunday Night at 7:00 p.m. 442-4177	NIMROD BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Lee Rodgers Sunday School 10 a.m.; Sunday Services 11 a.m.; Training Union 6 p.m.; Evening Services 7 p.m.; Wednesday Services 7 p.m.	FIRST EVANGELICAL METHODIST CHURCH John W. Clinton, Pastor Hwy. 80 West Across From Hospital Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Youth and Adult Bible Classes 7:00 p.m.	INSPIRATION CHURCH OF GOD Rev. Larry Smith Camp Inspiration-Box 167 Eastland, Texas Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:40 p.m.	CORINTH BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Benny Hagan Cisco-Eastland Hwy. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday Training Union 6:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night 7:00 p.m.	LONG BRANCH BAPTIST CHURCH Don Kitchens 11 Miles S. of Cisco 183-Follow Signs Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 5:30 p.m. Wednesday 6:30 p.m.	HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH Rev. John Holmes S. Seama. Eastland, Texas Sunday Eucharist 11:00 a.m. Services on weekdays and Holy Days as announced.	PLEASANT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH Pleasant Hill Community 8 miles South of Cisco Jim Andrews, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 5:30 p.m.	NEW LIFE TABERNACLE 307 W. 17th St. Rev. Timothy Gray Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Family Night: Friday Night 7:30 p.m.	CISCO CHURCH OF CHRIST Jim Katcher, Minister 1-20 North Access Road at Ave. N Sunday Bible Classes 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Evening Services 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m. Ladies 10:00 a.m. Tuesday	GOSPEL ASSEMBLY 1000 Ave. A and East 10th Bible Teaching Subject To Question. Sunday 11:00 a.m. Worship Service Thursday & Saturday 7:30 p.m.	PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH James E. Robertson Jr., Minister Services 2nd Sunday each month Singing 10:30 a.m. Preaching 11:00 a.m.	FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Dr. Kenneth Breeze, Minister Information Line 442-4301 Church School 9:40 p.m. Morning Worship 10:50 a.m. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS Opening Exercises 9:30 a.m. Primary 9:30-11:10 a.m. Priesthood 9:30-10:20 a.m. Relief Society 9:30-10:20 a.m. 5 day School 10:30-11:10 a.m. Sacrament Service: 11:20-12:30.	BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH Fundamental Ave. E at 17th St. Rev. Jerry M. Horing Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Service 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship Service 7:30 p.m.	MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH Independent-Fundamental Pastor M.H. Jones Hwy. 80 West of Eastland Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Hour 11:00 a.m. Prayer Classes 6:00 p.m. Worship Hour 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m. Rt. 2 Box 57 B, Cisco, Texas	LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning 11:00 a.m. Sunday Night 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night 7:00 p.m.	COME TO CHURCH REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH Rev. Otto Urban, Pastor Conrad Hilton & E. 18th Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
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SALUTING

Stacy Blair

Eastland's Ambassador Of Good Will And Good Music

Ambassador With A Trumpet

By Viola Payne

Pictures of Stacy Blair usually show him with a trumpet - a symbolic image of a striking young man and a golden horn.

This blending of artist and instrument has more than a passing significance.

For there is a barrier that performers must cross before the good players become great - a time when a musician breaks through the constrictions of technique and his instrument becomes a medium of expression.

Stacy Blair crossed this barrier long ago, and the warm, live sounds of his trumpet have crumbled other walls as well.

He has broken across the barriers of distance, cultures, political systems, religions, languages, and even his own lack of eyesight.

While global leaders hurry to conferences supposed to prevent the world from being blown to bits, Stacy Blair travels freely about the world. Every where he plays crowds come to hear his visionary music.

Another good part about the Stacy Blair story is that his talent was recognized quite early in his home town of Eastland. To the eternal credit of the Eastland Music Study Club, this organization was the first to promote Stacy's music on a national basis.

The local Music Club presented him with the coveted John Philip Sousa Band Award upon his graduation from Eastland High School in 1973. Shortly afterward he was encouraged to compete for the Hinda Honigman Award from the National Federation of Music Clubs.

Stacy was the winner of this competition, which contained a National Scholarship for Blind Artists to the National Music Camp in Interlochen, Michigan.

Stacy attended this camp and found it inspiring. He attended others in the summer of 1974 and 1976.

In 1975 Stacy was guest soloist at the National Music Clubs State Convention in San Antonio, and also at the National Convention of Music Clubs in Atlanta, Georgia.

During this year the Eastland Music Club presented Stacy with a fine trumpet to use in his concerts. This beautiful instrument, along with some of Stacy's other trumpets, was damaged in a fire in the Blair home in 1983.

Stacy's tapes and records which he used for learning music were destroyed in this fire. Since that time some of the trumpets have been restored, however, including the one presented by the Eastland Music Club.

The 1970's were also college years for Stacy Blair. He graduated with a Bachelor of Music Degree from Hardin Simmons University in 1977, and did Graduate work at the University of Louisville, Kentucky.

Teachers Bill Owens at Hardin Simmons and Leon Rapier at the University of Louisville were instrumental in developing Stacy as a solo performer. Reasoning that his blindness made it impossible for him to read music along with an orchestra, these teachers instilled the techniques Stacy would need as a great soloist.

In 1977 Stacy made his first international concert tour. He toured Russia and Poland as a soloist with the New England Youth Orchestra. The group had enthusiastic audiences at all their engagements.

From that time on honors came to Stacy in dazzling succession. He was winner of the 1979 International Trumpet Guild Competition for Young Artists, winner of a Fulbright Grant to study with Maurice Andre in Paris, France for one year, and Winner of the Maurice Andre Trumpet Competition in Paris.

Stacy's winning of these competitions was all the more remarkable because he played from memorization rather than note-reading. After these accomplishments there were numerous invitations to play with Symphony orchestras both in the United States and Europe.

At that time Stacy spent a year in Paris studying with the great trumpet player Maurice Andre, and he found this a very rewarding experience.

There have been even more triumphs for Stacy Blair in recent years. He is now recognized as one of the world's greatest trumpet players, and has performed in more than 40 countries.

In Germany children bring him bouquets of flowers to the stage. In Paris he has been feted at glittering receptions. In a number of countries he has played for leading citizens and heads of state.

His repertoire now includes hundreds of beautiful and difficult compositions. But among Vivaldi and Bach and Hummel and Telemann he has not forgotten "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art". He always takes time to play in Churches, from the great Cathedrals of Europe to small Churches in West Texas. And his home Church is still the First Baptist in Eastland.

Stacy, still a home-town



STACY BLAIR -

Eastland's Ambassador of Good-Will and Good-Music Stacy Blair travels worldwide sharing his talent with multitudes.

As this is being written, he is in New Jersey for a series of concerts, and his scheduled ahead is busy.

He will be teaching at Arcosanti, a Music Conservatory in Arizona for two weeks in December and will be a featured musician and a theme cruise in February. The baroque music festival will be aboard ship, sailing from Lisbon, Portugal, and ending in Miami, Fla.

He writes: "I will have a tour of concerts in France in April, a concert tour in Germany and Holland in June and a concert tour in England in August.

"I am playing in at least three churches a month so that I can take one weekend off to go to my own church."

His press releases and clippings from around the world are spiced with praise:

"...glistening, sensuous and crystalline"

"A total musician..."

"...technique extraordinary..."

"A sound that was a thing of beauty."

This and more is what the world says of Eastland's own Stacy Blair.

World-class Trumpet Soloist, Master Class Teacher and a really nice person.

Eastland's Stacy. We're glad we know him. -H.V.O.

boy, enjoys coming home to rest, practice, and visit with friends. Some of his finest concerts are given right here in the churches of Eastland, and to very appreciative audiences. He is Artist-In-Residence for the Eastland Music Club, a group which will always follow his career.

Future local events in which he will be involved are special honors from the Eastland Chamber of Commerce in Jan. 1986, and a Band Clinic for the Eastland High School Band.

This touching base with home seems very important to Stacy. And well it should be, for it is here that he learned the feelings that produce great music. Things such as love, joy, and the brotherhood of man. Now he is sharing them as he goes about the world.

IN CONCERT

technique extraordinary . . .

by Shirley King

The church is hushed. The young man rises from the front pew and steps assuredly to the microphone standing beside the podium.

He raises the trumpet and the clear, pure notes of "Amazing Grace" fill the sanctuary.

Stacy Blair, 28, plays for between 30 and 40 church congregations each year. He performs with symphony orchestras across the country half a dozen times and participates in four or five trumpet and organ recitals annually. In between performing engagements, he teaches music clinics on university campuses as a guest lecturer.

An extraordinary young man? True. But what makes him even more unusual is that Blair has been blind since birth.

Stacy and his twin brother, Steve, arrived two months prematurely. Placed in an incubator filled with pure oxygen, both infants suffered retina damage.

With strong glasses, Steve is able to function normally today. He even qualifies for a drivers' license. Stacy, however, is legally blind. He has "travel vision" which enables him to see light and shadow, distinguish walls, curbs and other objects in daylight, but his night vision is non-existent.

His handicap does not prevent Blair from leading an active and interesting life. He travels widely and alone. Last year he went half-way around the world to perform in concerts in Australia - a total of 36 hours on the plane.

"I'm pretty independent. If I get lost in the airport, I just ask a lot of questions," Blair said. He has never been afraid to ask questions, something for which he credits his blindness.

Home for Blair most of his life has been Eastland, Texas. He still lives there with his parents. The upstairs room is his domain and when not on the road, Blair spends at least four hours a day practicing there.

When he was a child, Blair's family moved to Tucson, Arizona, for five years where Stacy studied at the State School for the Blind. He reads Braille, but he does not read music. Consequently, he must memorize all of his musical arrangements from recordings.

When traveling by plane or bus, Blair usually carries a pocket-size cassette player with earphone. With his tiny machine, he either listens to Bible studies which he obtains from the Christian Education for the Blind in Fort Worth, or to musical recordings.

Stacy is remarkable.

Without even trying, he's stood more than one band director and orchestra leader on their ear.

One in particular tells a telling story of Stacy.

Francis McBeth, world reknown composer and director, now of Arkadelphia, Ark., University, remembers once when he was the clinician for a regional band contest in this area.

Stacy was the first-chair trumpet and McBeth had and has a reputation for perfection.

During a rehearsal break McBeth told his assistant that the first-chair trumpet

player was playing the "dots off the sheet" and hitting every note right, but he wasn't watching the director - as McBeth demanded.

"Tell him to watch me," he instructed.

"I'll tell him," the assistant said, "but if you want him to see, it'll have to be in another life. The boy is blind."

The powerful band director learned an important lesson from the high school trumpeter, and today he still shudders to think how close he probably came to sticking both of his feet into his mouth, had he said anything to the lad in open rehearsal.

Since he has perfect pitch, Blair frequently fingers his way through the recordings as though he were playing his trumpet. "It can get embarrassing when people start staring at me," he grinned.

His classical repertoire includes more than 55 trumpet concertos. He claims that his religious music selection is "fairly conservative", depending largely on well-known hymns such as "How Great Thou Art" and "The Lord's Prayer". Since he does depend on recordings to memorize arrangements, he stays two or three years behind the trends in contemporary church music.

Blair did not begin playing the trumpet until he was in high school and then chose the instrument because it was a cast-off from an older brother.

The high school band director was not enthusiastic about having a blind musician in his class and tried to discourage Blair, but when the teenager was able to play the music assigned from memory, the director relented.

After graduating from Eastland High School, Blair enrolled in Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. He studied under Bill Owens whom he still gives credit for his musical development.

He went on to earn a Master's in Music Degree from the University of Louisville, winning state, national and international awards along the way.

In 1978 he won the International Trumpet Guild Solo Competition. In 1979 he received a Fulbright Scholarship to study for a year in Paris under Maurice Andre'. And although Blair claims to have "only a little bit of natural talent", he won the 1979 Maurice Andre' In-



The American trumpet soloist Stacy Blair has been hailed as one of the greatest of all trumpet players. He has won the most prestigious honor for his instrument as well as 44 other international, national and state competitions. These accomplishments are all the more remarkable because Mr. Blair has been blind since birth, and his enormous repertoire is completely memorized.

Stacy Blair has performed in over 40 countries and made numerous radio appearances, including Voice of America Radio, which is heard in 56 languages in every country in the world. He has made several television appearances including ABC's Good Morning America and several productions of the Trinity Broadcasting Network including the Joy Of Music hosted by organist Diane Bish, seen by over forty million weekly, and the Gloria program, hosted by Art Linkletter, which is sponsored by the Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

Mr. Blair has appeared as guest soloist with the Dallas, National and Louisville Symphonies, the Ensemble Orchestra de Paris and many European Chamber Orchestras.

In 1979 he was awarded a Fulbright grant to continue his trumpet studies. This was in addition to a Masters Degree in Music from the University of Louisville and many years of study with renowned private teachers-most recently Maurice Andre, Paris.

ances in this country. He spends about three weeks out of each month at concerts and workshops. His symphonic concerts, featuring classical music, are arranged for Blair through an agent.

But Blair feels the tug to perform in churches also. His agent, who does not understand this urge, 'tolerates' Blair's religious performance schedule.

Most of these bookings come through friends in the church music ministry or people who have heard him perform in churches. His fee is negotiable for these appearances, usually travel expenses and a 'love offering'. But Texas churches are very generous, Blair stressed.

"I get a lot of satisfaction preparing a piece," Blair said. "As a Christian, I play from the soul."

He likes to "keep a lot of irons in the fire." In spite of a busy concert schedule, he finds time to be an active member in Gideons International and to maintain a full social calendar.

"I feel that I can always do as much as the Lord wants me to do," Blair said with a smile.



STACY BLAIR

"One of the greatest trumpet players"

People n Things City Council Conducts Public Hearing

ENDOWMENT FUNDS at Cisco Junior College amount to something like \$617,000.00. That's according to the annual report that Dr. Henry E. McCullough, president, made to the board of regents recently.

At the end of fiscal 1984-85 school year, the Endowment Fund accounts were listed as follows: Maner, \$62,819; Memorial, \$64,764; Harrell, \$301,144; and, Rockwell, \$188,793. These funds provide educational aid to students and benefits for the college.

Each of the funds registered small growth during the past year except the Rockwell fund. The latter paid out some \$30,000 that enabled the college to acquire additional property on the Lake Road.

COLD WEATHER is supposed to be good for deer hunting, we've always heard. If that's true, the bucks should be bagged in big numbers this coming weekend. Temperatures have been below freezing for several days and the forecast is for more of the same.

Seventy-two hours (three days) of continuous freezing weather is also supposed to kill the kind of insect eggs that produce trouble for pecan trees.

DEER HUNTING was a bit slower than usual last weekend, reports the folks at Rust Processing Center east of town on Highway 80. A dozen bucks were logged in and this was fewer than usual. None of them were prize specimens.

The Smith pasture down near Rising Star has produced some more nice bucks. Mr. Clifford Smith bagged one that had 12 points, and his son-in-law Butch Willingham got one with 11 points. Harold Hendricks, who hunts with them, bagged a nine-pointer.

THE WHEELS are turning full speed these days at Southwest Enterprises' Cisco plant. They are making patches for bands participating in the coming Fiesta Bowl at Phoenix, the Cotton Bowl in Dallas, the Orange Bowl in Miami and elsewhere.

The Southwest machines are also busy turning out patches for the Texas Association of Bass Clubs, reports Mr. Eris Ritchie, major domo.

MR. RITCHIE, who heads the Conrad Hilton Center, also reports that the official board met last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crow of Sweetwater who are interested in donating their collection of items dealing with the T&P Railway's early days - tickets, books, plus a goodly number of items found around depots.

The Hilton board will accept the items for a display in the restored Mobley Hilton Hotel, Mr. Ritchie added.

The board has been talking with Mrs. Jack Garrett, daughter of the late A.E. McNeely, regarding items in his extensive collection of railroad memorabilia for the museum at the Mobley Hilton.

CISCO'S Volunteer Firemen and families will gather at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 17, at the Laguna Corral Room for their annual Christmas party. Member families will provide the food that will be served. We understand that old Santa Claus will make an appearance... Some 100 employees and members of their families were present for a First National Bank Christmas dinner and party at the Cisco Country Club last Thursday night. Oscar of the BBQ Store catered the nice affair. After dinner, the group enjoyed games and a visit from old Santa Claus... Parents of Teens had the club house reserved at the CCC for Saturday (Dec. 14) night for a party.

PRETTY Christmas decorations are beginning to make our residential areas look nice. Out near the high school entrance road on Front Street the Jim Shrader's home and tree are attractively decorated. Mr. JS is manager of the Cisco Junior College Cafeteria food service... Out on Highway 80 east of town, the

Randy Rusts have nice decorations at their home. Ditto for the David Johnsons whose house is outlined in pretty blue lights... The new trailer park at the Rust center now has 13 trailer residents and only one space left.

MET UP WITH a new resident of the Lake Cisco south shore area the other day. He is Mr. Eugene Ege and he and his missus live in their cabin on Gas Light Point. Mr. EE is a retired teacher and Baptist minister and moved here from El Paso. They have a daughter and family in Abilene and a son and family in San Antonio... Mrs. Ethel Mae McClelland underwent laser surgery for eye problems in Big D the other day. Mrs. J.T. Richardson, her sister, accompanied her there and back... The first semester ends Jan. 17, 1986, for students of the Cisco Public School system.

EMPLOYEES OF the City of Cisco held a Christmas luncheon at the City Hall at noon Friday... Employees of Olney Savings went over to Olney last Saturday night for a big company Christmas party. Yes, they saw Santa Claus and enjoyed a nice dinner... Patsy Hogan, local Olney branch manager, spent several days in Clyde lately helping with the Olney take-over of Commodore Savings there... J.B. Sitton of Commercial Printing Company spent several days this past week in an Abilene hospital undergoing a medical checkup and treatment.

MR. DAN Wester, who is working on restoring the top floor of his building across the street from the Laguna Hotel, is looking for antique doors, mantles and decorative things to include in the large room that is scheduled to become one day a nice restaurant dining room.

A good many old buildings and homes have such pieces that might be available when remodeling crews take over. If you have any ideas where Mr. DW might locate some of these things, give him a call; or, drop by his building. He's there quite a bit of the time.



PAULA'S DEER-- On their annual Thanksgiving day hunting trip, Paula and Richard Elliott and Cheryl and Walt Wilkerson had a day to remember. While hunting on the Hudspeth River Ranch in Val Verde County, Paula (P.J.) Elliott killed a 13 point buck with a 17 1/4" spread. The party killed 4 more deer on the trip.

A public hearing was conducted by the Cisco City Council at its regular Tuesday night meeting on a proposed Revenue Sharing fund. Following the public hearing, the council voted in favor of the Revenue Sharing budget for 1985-86 as outlined by City Manager Mike Moore.

Estimated total revenue, including reserved surplus, is \$104,000. Total expenditures planned are administration, \$5,000; street, \$21,500; fire, \$62,500; police, \$6,500; and water, \$8,500.

They also reviewed proposed sewer user charges for the new wastewater treatment plant. No action was needed by the council since city manager Moore said a decision will be needed when construction begins. He said he wanted the council to have the proposal for their study and review before that

Yule Cantata Set Sunday Morning Service

"Down from His Glory," a Christmas cantata by John W. Peterson, will be presented by the choir of the First Baptist Church during the morning service Sunday.

The cantata will be presented under the direction of John Picklesimer, music and youth director of the church. A number of choir members from other Cisco churches will appear with the Baptist choir for the program.

Soloists for the program will include Elizabeth Webb, Doyle Walker, Susan Wester, and Pamela Jackson. Miss Jackson directs the choir at First United Methodist Church.

The Sunday evening program will feature the children's choir of the church.

The public has been invited to attend both services.

SUFFERS FRACTURE Mrs. Annie Sublett of 207 1/2 West 14th Street sustained a fractured ankle in a fall at the Laguna Hotel last Wednesday morning. She was taken by Patterson ambulance to the Eastland Memorial Hospital and was expected to be released this weekend.

time.

The proposal contains two different cases: (1) If the city assumes a \$500,000 FmHA loan repaid entirely from system revenue with no tax increase; or (2) Assume a \$500,000 FmHA loan with \$390,000 repaid from system revenue and \$110,000 repaid through City taxes.

Under the first case, sewer rates would increase an average of \$2.00 for the first 4,000 gallons for residential customers. The next 8,000 gallons they would be charged 20 cents per 1,000 gallons.

Under case number 2, there would be an increase of \$1.50 in the minimum rate for 4,000 gallons. The charge over 4,000 would still be .20 cents per 1,000 gallons but citizens would also see a tax increase.

Council members approved an amendment to the charter of the Eastland County Cooperative Dispatch which was mandated by state law. The amendment names a law enforcement manager so the dispatch will comply with state in order to keep receiving national and state teletype service.

In old business, the council approved an ordinance abandoning and closing certain blocks of East 5th Street, and Avenues B and C. This approval was made on the second reading of the or-



STEPHEN REX TAYLOR JR.

Rex and Gaye Taylor of Cisco wish to announce the birth of their son, Stephen Rex Taylor, Jr. Stephen Rex was born September 29, 1985, at 7:23 p.m., in Eastland Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs. and 12 oz., and his length was 21 1/2 inches.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jo Taylor of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. James Welloughby of Hillsboro, Texas.

JOSHUA LEE ANDERSON

Robert Anderson, age 6 and Ryan Anderson, age 4 are proud to announce the birth of their brother, Joshua Lee. He was born Saturday, November 16, 1985 at the Brownwood Regional Hospital in Brownwood, Texas. He weighed 7 lb. and 7 oz. and was 20" long.

His parents are Bobby and Orinda Anderson.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Eikman of Childress.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson of Cisco.

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dinance which had also been approved at the Nov. 26 council meeting.

The areas affected are as follows: East 5th Street, from the west line of Avenue C to railroad right-of-way; Avenue B, from north line of East 6th Street to railroad right-of-way; Avenue C, from north line of East 6th Street to railroad right-of-way; and all alleyways within blocks 9 and 10, original town.

A report was made to the council on the status of the Cablevision System by Roy Thackerson, manager of Southern Cablevision. He said the construction has been completed for some time, but there are still some customers in Cisco who have not received a convertor box, for one reason or another.

He stated his company is trying to get in contact with those persons, but some are hard to catch at home and

the cable representatives must go inside the home to show how to hook-up the box. He said there are an estimated 64 customers who do not have the box.

Mr. Thackerson said if those persons would get in contact with the cable company and set up a time when they would be home, then all the contacts could be made by the end of next week, if not sooner. As soon as everyone has been contacted, the cable company will put all channels where they are supposed to be on the dial.

One of the main controversies over the new system seems to be some persons who are upset because the Sweetwater (KTXS) channel is still not being shown on the cable. Mr. Thackerson said that has been his decision until all customers have convertor boxes.

He said if he puts the Sweetwater channel on the

air, those customers without boxes, will lose their ESPN channel. As soon as everyone gets a box, KTXS will be placed on cable channel 12 and ESPN will be on channel 14.

Mr. Thackerson also said any customers who have a cable-ready television will have a switch on the back and may not need a convertor box.

Council members approved the minutes of the Nov. 26 meeting. Those present at Tuesday night's meeting were Mayor Eris Ritchie, council members Bill Roberts, Brad Kimbrough, and Joe Besselaar. Also present were city manager Moore and city secretary Ginger Johnson.

Early Morning Fire Is Dec. 11

An apartment house at 204 West 11th Street, owned by Mrs. Bobbie Ann Wickham, was damaged extensively by fire of undetermined origin early Wednesday morning. One of the three apartments in the house was occupied.

Firemen answered the alarm at 7:55 a.m. Wednesday. The occupant of one

apartment, Mrs. Billie Wood, was not at home. The blaze apparently started in an upstairs room and firemen believed that faulty electric wiring may have been the cause.

Mrs. Wickham reported that she has owned the house some 15 years and that it was not covered by insurance.



EARLY MORNING FIRE-- Volunteer firemen in Cisco responded to a house fire call Wednesday morning at 204 West 11th Street.

The call for the fire, which was in an upstairs apartment, came into the local department at 7:55 a.m. (Staff Photo.)

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MILK Special Low Fat \$1.89 Gal. Reg. \$1.99 Gal. Tiny's Grocery 2108 Conrad Hilton, Cisco

Dairy Queen SALE From Mon. Dec. 23 thru Wed. Jan. 1 **FREE COFFEE** With Any Purchase Cisco Dairy Queen Call-ins Welcome 442-2299

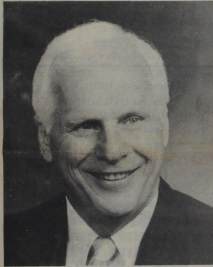
Don Morrison Will Be The Guest Speaker At The Lighthouse Church (The Old Marvalee's Building) 611 East 8th Cisco 11 a.m. Sunday, December 15th Please Note: This will be Don's last speaking engagement until April due to ministry in Canada.

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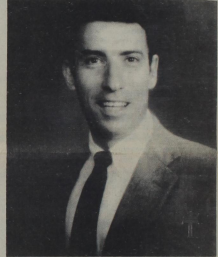
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Then you think about some tool that the gardener will use in his or her gardening. In this instance usually the gardener has already purchased the tool in order to save him time and improve his or her garden.

We have almost forgotten a category of Christmas gifts for the gardener. This category is gardening books. Then with in this category we have two basic types of books. The one on a specific subject (plant) and the one on basic general gardening.

Here we have a major problem. There are many general gardening books that is written in other sections of the United States, that is foreign to the Southwestern area we live

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In many instances the weather is more severe in the winter and less severe in the summer, where the book is written than we have here in the Southwest. Also there will always be the difference in the make up of the various soils through out the United States. In many areas local garden clubs have prepared gardening books for that particular area. I am personally familiar with one that is put out by a Garden club in Dallas and one that is published by a garden club in the Houston area. These books are written for that particular area taking into consideration the weather and the make up of the soil for that particular area.

One of the better series of gardening books is the SUNset books published in California. These books will cover the Southwestern area of the United States. The individual books on specific plants such as Roses and Chrysanthemums, etc. will provide the gardener the necessary requirements for that particular plant.

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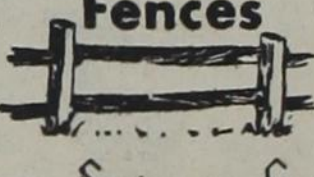
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Dan Childress' Cut-Your-Own

Christmas Tree Offer Noted

Note: The following story about Dan Childress' "Cut-Your-Own" Christmas tree farm a mile west and a mile south of Cottonwood, appeared on front page in Sunday, Dec. 7 issue of the Abilene Reporter-News. It was accompanied with a three-column full color picture by Gerald Ewing of Dan and one of his trees, and a map showing the farm. The story follows.

COTTONWOOD -- Christmas trees bring special magic to the holiday season, especially when you choose your own tree, cut it down and haul it home. At Childress Nutty Acres, near Cottonwood, people can get old-fashioned, "we-cut-it-down-ourselves" Christmas trees.

Dan Childress, retired from the United States Forest Service, takes special pleasure in knowing the pine trees he grows and sells are

"a little bit of Christmas" for several families.

Between 700-800 Eldarica pines stand ready for cutting at the farm, one mile west and one mile south of Cottonwood.

Childress, 71, doesn't grow the trees to sell to retailers. He has people come to Nutty Acres and chop down their own trees.

"People with kids come out here and have a wonderful time," he said. "The kids run and scream and hunt pecans while the adults get the trees."

Childress described the hours spent by people searching for their perfect trees.

"I had a woman out here in a Cadillac and she drove up and down the rows searching for a tree," he said with a laugh.

"Some people drive up and down and look out their car windows for a tree," he said.

Childress firmly believes most trees are the same, despite how long many people take picking them out.

"It doesn't really matter.

There's not that much difference in the trees," he said. "They all look the same when they're decorated."

The trees, ranging from 2 to 10 feet, cost \$10. Customers must bring their own axes or saws; or they can bring shovels so they can plant the trees in their yards after Christmas.

"We run on the honor system here," Childress said. "If we're not here, people get the trees or peaches or pecans and leave their checks."

Childress also has 40 acres of pecans and 15 acres of peaches. His pecans brought him the grand champion, reserve grand champion and 11 first places in the Eastland County Pecan Show Friday.

He and his wife Nancy, live in an adobe house they built. It is bordered on the front by huge 13-year-old pine trees - what remains of Childress' first attempt to grow Christmas trees.

One of those trees was cut down last year and placed in

front of the Abilene Civic Center, he said.

He first planted the trees in 1970. But when he tried to sell a crop in 1975, it was a dismal failure, he said.

"When I first went into this business, I advertised in the local paper," he said. "I didn't sell enough trees to pay for the ad hardly."

After a lapse of several years, Childress planted more trees; and next year he plans to plant another 1,000 trees.

"There's no special care. You just let it go and some some pruning," he said.

A big advantage of cutting down your own tree, Childress maintained, is you know when it was cut.

"Some trees you buy at the stores were cut in October," he said.

Childress and his wife said they don't put their tree up early or take pick of the crop.

"We just take what's left," Mrs. Childress laughingly said.

At the same time, I feel Mandi should know that real people do get killed and bashed up. No, it's not nice, pleasant or funny. And it isn't over when you snap the control button to "Off."

It doesn't help my explanations any that I am not one who enjoys having emotions plowed, seeded, harrowed, and harvested in thirty minutes.

I would rather not teach cynicism, but isn't that the gist of my explicit reasons of why things are not what they seem?

Don't I have lots of company when even the maligned TV cautions youngsters of evils possible from helpful strangers, kindly neighbors

Drilling Bits

Kamb, Inc. has given up on its efforts to make a producer out of the No. 8A Broyles. It was a developmental venture in Eastland County, one mile southeast of Nimrod. It bottomed at 1,350 feet without production prospects. It will be plugged and abandoned.

A 990-ft. developmental well is planned by Van Oil Co. of Duncanville at a location nine miles southeast of Ranger in the Linde Field, Eastland County. The well will be spudded in a 304-acre lease in the McLennan CSL Survey, A-368. The well will be known as the No. 111 T.T. Fair.

Jane Petroleum Co. has suspended operations on the No. 1 D. Dunn "B" in the Eastland Regular Field. The venture is located three mile northwest of Rising Star in the ETRR Survey, A-100, Eastland County.

Hutch Petroleum Co. of Borger is preparing to drill a 1,800-ft. wildcat well in Eastland County, one-half mile southeast of Sabanno. The operator has 330 acres under lease with drillsite in the W.R. Burgess Survey, A-25. The well will be known as the No. 1-A Sikes-Hutton.

Operating out of Albany, Jones Co. has staked location for the No. 1 Hallmark, a 3,900-ft. developmental well in the Eastland Regular Field, five miles northeast of Desdemona. The venture is in a 320-acre lease in the J.N. Fall Survey, A-142, Eastland County.

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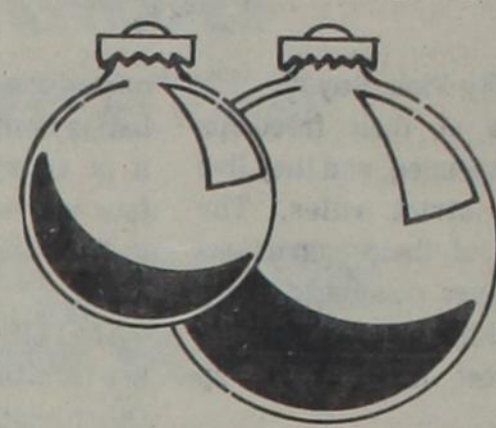
Of course, "They live happily ever after" isn't always "real," but I find it much easier to cope with than gloom, despair and agony on end."

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What happened?

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The version of "Alice in Wonderland" that I just saw on TV is not what I'd prefer Mandi to watch, children's classic or not.

It is beautifully staged. No quarrel. The child star is a "doll." But I don't think all that fear of the monster was an act. I think she'd have preferred having her own head covered, as did Mandi, and following the progress of the monster by ear.

Turn off the TV? If I had banned the viewing in the first place, I wouldn't have had a qualm about a flick of the switch.

As it was, I believed Mandi should know how it ended so maybe she wouldn't have nightmares about it. That monster looked like a "real, live thing." (I didn't want to dream about it myself.)

So, with my disapproving commentary and Mandi's frequent disappearances under cover, Alice got back through the Looking Glass and vanquished the monster with stout assertions of, "I'm not afraid of you! You're not real!"

My reasoning on these children's stories is influenced by a non-TV childhood. (Yes, "the olden days.") This ver-

sion of "Alice" was not on the Disney Channel, but the shows coming on Disney of late have led to the discussion of having it disconnected.

From an academic viewpoint, I admire the technology that creates the plastic marvels, but my "academic viewpoint" is years removed from that of a child without my considerable height, weight, age, and experience.

A child can scare himself silly with his own imagination. It can become a real problem when stories by adults present the products of their fantasies to "entertain" children. Too often the child has little foundation to prepare him to handle the world of TV make-believe.

The stories pictured on the screen don't spin a yarn any more upsetting than that of the little girl who trots through the woods to find the wolf in grandma's bed and grandma in the wolf. Granted. But put the question to your adult mind: Which is more "real" to you-the three-dimensional show you see on TV or the imaginary images the words of the book cause to flicker in your head?

As much as I dislike the cartoon shows, I tolerate them with a right good will because it is much easier to get across the idea that the characters and their attendant "monsters" are just "what-ifs."

It is a strain I could do without when it comes to explaining that those real people photographed for the TV show are just acting out a story. They don't actually get shot, run over, maimed, or whatever. It's all pretend.

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For they decided, after the Court granted probation, that they would stay around and face life on their home territory rather than make a run for it.

They are the probationers of Eastland County - people who hope to make it back to normal living. There are more than 240 of them all across the county now. In addition, the Eastland County Probation Department is currently dealing with about 200 other individuals who were placed on probation here but who are living outside the County.

A number of these were caught for D.W.I. on the Interstate, and returned home after being sentenced here. Others are local people who obtained better jobs outside the County and received permission to move. Probation Departments from the counties where they are living will also be checking on these people.

Most people on probation are glad they are not in a worse situation - namely a cell in the Texas State Department of Corrections at Huntsville. T.D.C., as it is familiarly called. The word "prison" is not in such general use anymore. At least, under probation, they can work and have some mobility. They have managed to escape the overcrowding, the dangers, the warehousing of prison life.

The system in charge of these individuals - the Eastland County Probation Department - has changed as much as anything in the Criminal Justice System during the past few years. There has always been a Probation Department in the County, but until recent years it was a small Department managed by the 91st Judicial District.

In April, 1983 it became a

part of the Texas Adult Probation Commission, and now it is an agency staffed by four individuals and located in third-floor courthouse offices.

The offices and utilities are furnished by the County. Other expenses and salaries of the personnel are funded from money collected in fees and fines, and by State supplements.

The Chief Probation Officer for Eastland County is Joe Housson, who is in charge of both Adults and Juveniles. Randy Logan is Assistant Chief Probation Officer, also of Adults and Juveniles. Juli Armstrong is Juvenile Probation Officer and Assistant Adult Probation Officer, and Cassandra Conn is Secretary.

Although persons on probation have regular times to report at the Courthouse office, the work of Probation Officers doesn't stop there. They often visit probationers in their homes, especially if problems come up. For in spite of outward changes, the purposes of Probation remain the same - the control of offenders, and hopefully the eventual change of factors that brought them into conflict with the law.

There is some confusion over the meaning of the words Probation and Parole. Often they are thought to mean the same thing. Parole, however, refers to individuals who have served part of their term in prison, and who are let out for good behavior or other causes. There are presently about 27 people on parole in Eastland County, and they are supervised from an office in Abilene. Probationers have not served any of their conviction in prison, and are under different supervision.

The Probation Officers here in the county spend no two days alike. For they are not just dealing with paperwork, but with individuals with feelings, temperments and problems.

This abundance of problems is undoubtedly one of the few common denominators of all proba-

tioners. In other ways they represent a cross-section of citizens - male and female, ages 17 to 74.

They come from all socioeconomic groups, although the largest percentage comes from families with few economic advantages. Some of these are unhappy and tend to blame "society" for their plight. None of them want their children to have to go through the same experiences they have.

For some of the probationers this supervision is the first time they have had to submit to any authority. There are a number of rules they must live by, including no lawbreaking, and abstaining from alcohol, unlawful narcotics or dangerous drugs.

They must avoid "injurious or vicious habits," including gambling. Persons and places of "disreputable or harmful character" are to be avoided too. These are described in the Probation rules as "Any person previously convicted of a crime, and the presence at any place where a criminal act is being committed, and to stay away from bars, beer joints, honky-tonks, dance halls and pool halls.

The person on probation is supposed to work, report regularly, and remain within the county unless given permission to leave. He also must notify the Probation Officer of any change of address, of employment, or marital status. He also pays court costs, some of the court-appointed attorney's fees, and usually a fine. He often pays restitution, and there is also a Probation fee of \$20 per month.

The Probation Officers are ready to assist those under their charge in any way they can. Counseling services are provided, and resources for other needed services are always made available. These may include medical, job placement, training, or legal information.

Those on probation in Eastland County are generally out on misdemeanors, although occasionally a felony conviction is probated. The largest number are on probation for D.W.I., indicating that the abuse of alcohol is the major crime in Eastland County.

Second on the list are "hot checks". This type of check cashing is often tied in with the use of drugs, for some of the money from such checks is used to buy drugs.

Theft and the possession of narcotics are contenders for the third place on the list, although narcotics users and dealers are often placed in jail rather than on probation.

"We are getting some heavy drug arrests," one of the Probation Officers said, "So we may see more of these in future."

More men than women are in the Probation System - 70 percent ratio for men, 30 percent for women. Women go more for bad checks or theft, although some are involved with D.W.I. or narcotics.

Now Juvenile offenders, in compliance with a new state law, will not be housed in the Eastland County Jail. The County will pay to have them kept in a Taylor County facility, which will separate them from adult prisoners.

Fortunately there will probably not be many Juveniles to jail or to probate, for Eastland County has a low percentage of juvenile crimes.

When most people are asked whether an adult offender is better off in prison than on probation they will usually say "Probation", but have some reservations about the danger to society.

A number of factors enter the picture here, even the ability of the Judge to detect whether an individual is potentially dangerous and apt to get right back into trouble.

The first year the new Probation System came into Eastland County there was a 62 percent rate of probationers who were able to live with in the rules and stay away from crime. Now the success rate is much higher. A number have served out their time and are going about their normal affairs.

Some have had their pro-

bation revoked for breaking rules, and a few have skipped out altogether. No one on probation has committed a major crime, however.

"We feel this system has had considerable success here," says Chief Probation Officer Housson. "With the overcrowding of state prisons, and the cost of keeping people there, probation can also be a much more economically feasible plan."

The Probation System will probably expand in the future, Housson says. But shrinking state funds are expected to put a squeeze on the work, with more of the burden of cost placed on the county.

In many ways Probation Officers have a very curious job - profession in which they become a part of people's lives in a personal way. They become confidential advisors, and know many details of their clients daily existence. They encourage them, and pull them through some difficult situations. Does this lead to a lasting relationship?

"That's hard to say," answered one Probation Officer. "We are interested in them - we want more than anything for them to succeed."

"But we are part of a bad time in their lives - something most of them would like to forget. So when they are through - few ever come back around."

"But that's one way to know that they are free of us - that they are able to make it on their own."

Good Tips To Remember For Driving In Icy Conditions

If your car has good brakes and tires, there are really only four things to remember when driving to work on what is expected to be an icy Wednesday morning.

1. Drive slowly - The faster you drive, the longer it takes your car to stop. That's true any time, but it is especially true when driving on ice - perhaps the year's worst driving surface. Ice is more slippery than snow. It is less visible. Because ice is clear, you may not realize the road is icy until the car begins fishtailing through a red light.

Driving slowly means a skid is shorter and a driver has more time to get the car under control. (Remember, steer in the direction of the skid.)

It also means that, if you can't pull out of a skid, your car will hit any objects in its path at a slower speed, lessening the damage to cars, roadside objects and people.

2. Triple following distances - Stay well behind the people in front of you - at least triple the distance you would put between you and another car on a dry day.

Your car needs a much longer distance to stop when it is icy, and it is also more likely that the car in front of you will start sliding sideways when you least expect it.

3. Don't jam on the brakes. Pump them. Wet or dry, cold or warm, many drivers depend too heavily on their brakes to get them out of emergencies.

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Locking up the brakes on ice is a particularly bad practice. It guarantees your car will skid out of control and that you will not be able to regain control quickly.

Stay away from the car in front of you and, long before you get to an intersection, pump the brakes gently to come to a gradual stop.

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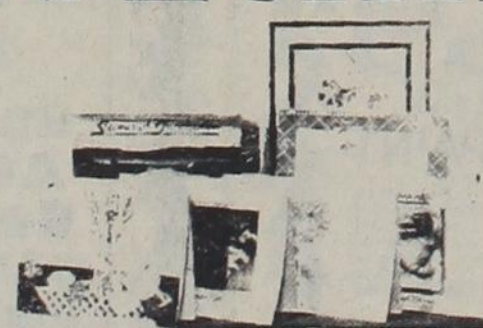
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Ann Allison Elected State Chairman Of Economics



Goldie Coleman, left, Home Economics Educator, is pictured during the State Workshop of the Texas Home Economics Student Section with Alice Ann Allison of Carbon, right. Ann Allison was elected the 1985-86 State Chairman of the student group.

Alice Ann Allison of Carbon has been elected the 1985-86 Chairman of the Texas Home Economics Student Section. She was named to this office at the annual meeting of the State workshop, which was held this year on Tarleton State University Campus. The theme of this Workshop was "Flying High in '85".

Other State officers elected at the meet are Debbie Latham of Lubbock, Vice Chairman, Jana Arthur of Stephenville, Secretary and Carrie Rhodes of Denton, Treasurer.

The Reporter is Elise Martindale of Abilene, and the Historian is Sharon Hines of Abilene. Parliamentarian is Cathy Holland of Lubbock, and Nutrition Council Delegate is Suzanne Duhon

of Temple.

Legislative Liason is Christy Kyser of Abilene, and the State Counselor is Mrs. Pat Varner, Department of Home Economics, Abilene Christian University.

The Texas Home Economics Student Section is a section of the Texas Home Economics Association. THES is an organization of the Home Economics students in the Colleges and Universities of Texas. There are 5,000 members statewide.

The purpose of the Student Member Section is to provide for and promote the professional development of College Home Economics Students. Each year the THES sponsors a two-day

workshop for all members in Texas. This is an opportunity to evaluate problems, share ideas, and to hear campus news from all over the state. It is also a chance to hear outstanding speakers in the field of Home Economics.

THES publishes an official newsletter which links Home Economics students from around the state. In the spring THES members are invited to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Home Economics Association and take part in their activities. They are also eligible to attend the National Convention of the American Home Economics Association.

Ann Allison has enjoyed Home Economics since her days in the Home Ec classes at Carbon High School. After her graduation there she attended South Plains College at Levelland, Texas for two years, then enrolled in Tarleton. She is presently a Junior at Tarleton with her Major listed as Home Economics Education.

She was a recipient of the Texas Home Economics Scholarship at the Tarleton Workshop. In fulfilling the duties of her office as Chairman of the Student Member Section she will attend the THEA annual Convention at Lubbock in March, 1986. She also plans to go to the national AHEA convention in St. Louis, Mo. in June of 1986.



Engagement Announcement



Miss Joni Flinn & Mr. Mark Wood Announce Approaching Marriage

Miss Joni Flinn and Mr. Mark Wood wish to announce their engagement and approaching marriage.

Joni is the daughter of Mrs. Jean McCullough and the late Mr. Joe H. Flinn, Strawn, Texas. Mark is the son of Mrs. Audrey Driggers of Fort Worth, Texas and Mr. Gerald Wood of Dallas, Texas.

Joni is a 1983 graduate of Eastland High School and is presently a dental hygiene

student at Tarrant County Junior College, Northeast Campus, Hurst, Texas.

Mark is a 1982 graduate of Richland High School, Fort Worth, Texas and attended the University of Texas, Arlington, Texas. He is presently employed with American Airlines.

The private wedding ceremony will take place March 15, 1986, at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Fort Worth, Texas.

STATE CAPITAL



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—At the Capitol all is quiet except for the heavy equipment digging up 12 live oaks to replace them with some three dozen sycamores.

But outside Capitol halls, political candidates stepped up their activities, some to replace certain state officials, and others to avoid replacement. In these quiet weeks prior to Christmas, fundraising is the key to anyone seeking state office, and quite a few were held last week.

The most dramatic was a San Antonio bash for GOP gubernatorial candidate Tom Loeffler which at \$700,000-plus more than doubled the previous single night record set by Phil Gramm.

Loeffler represents a vast West Texas congressional district which includes San Antonio as his metropolitan base. Well financed now and with television commercials running statewide, Loeffler has convinced onlookers that he can build momentum.

Eyes on Hance
Both political parties have now turned their eyes on Kent Hance to see what he can muster in the governor's race, since it's certainly anticipated that former Gov. Bill Clements will be well financed.

Hance's people say their present fundraising efforts may give them as much as \$1 million to start off the new year. Hance, meanwhile, announced

last week that Fort Worth State Rep. Bob Leonard, Mac Churchill and Jane Berberich will be his campaign co-chairmen in that city.

Hobby, Mauro
Two top Democrats also enjoyed successful fundraisers last week. Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Land Commissioner Garry Mauro.

Serving as Master of Ceremonies of the Hobby affair was former Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes, who lately has been quietly energetic at several political levels, and attended by the top movers and shakers of the kingdom.

Mauro's evening filled a ballroom wall-to-wall and netted him several hundred thousand dollars for his campaign.

Both candidates are unopposed so far, and GOP officials have indicated they are not targeted.

More No-Pass, No-Play
Governor Mark White's forces are finally fighting back on the controversial no-pass, no-play issue by claiming a recent poll indicates some 70 percent of Texans favor the reform.

Some politicians are wondering whether the teachers are really that angry with White over the HB72 changes in education. The speculation concerns whether teachers will endorse anyone against White, or if they will put their main efforts in other races.

No Bids
The Texas Department of Corrections received no bids at its auction last week to sell some 3,600 acres of prime real estate in Fort Bend and Harris counties.

The Legislature wants TDC to sell the land to help raise \$125 million for new prison construction.

Land Commissioner Mauro said his office will consider making improvements to the land to attract buyers.

The land, remote farmland at one time, has increased in value because of Houston metropolitan growth. The Legislature

Prison Poll
Speaking of prisons, a recent survey found that almost two-thirds of Texas prison inmates favor the death penalty for certain crimes, a 63 percent majority.

Murder, child abuse and sex crimes were included in what the majority thought should be capital punishment offenses.

Only 26 percent believed the death penalty keeps people from committing crimes, but 57 percent indicated they thought it would decrease murders and violence in the prison system.

Capital Trees
The trees along the drive-ways of the Capitol, by the way, are being relocated to restore Capitol grounds to its original design.

Sycamores planted in the early days died and were replaced with live oaks and elms. Two of the live oaks being relocated were planted by the staff of Bill Clements and dedicated to him shortly before he left office.

Short Taker
Sen. John Traeger, D-Seguin, is convinced Texas and other Southern states will adopt a regional presidential primary for the second Tuesday in March in presidential election years. The proposal was made at a meeting of the Southern Legislative Conference which Traeger chaired.

Texas Rangers are investigating charges that Department of Corrections officials manipulated internal investigations to cover up prison mismanagement. The Court of Criminal Appeals affirmed the seven-year sentence assessed former Texas Supreme Court Justice Donald B. Yarbrough for failure to appear. The court noted that it had been informed Yarbrough had been paroled on that conviction and his perjury conviction.

TEXAS GARDENER TIPS

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The plum is one of the most productive and least demanding fruit trees than can be grown in Texas, making it an excellent choice for home gardeners in most areas of the state.

In fact, plums will grow everywhere in Texas except in the Lower Rio Grande Valley where there are not enough chilling hours to allow for fruit set. Plum trees should be planted in late fall or early spring and they prefer a sandy loam soil with good drainage, but will adapt to any soil in which peaches grow.

One of the most important factors to success in growing plums is planting the right varieties. Morris, Methley, Bruce and Ozark Premier are recommended for Texas. All these varieties except Bruce are self-pollinating, meaning fruit will set if you have only one tree.

Most plum trees will produce food in the third year and fruit will be mature sometime between the middle of May and end of June. Plum trees are relatively undemanding, but there are certain steps you should take to ensure a good harvest. Keep the trees well-watered, especially during the time between fruit set and harvest, and fertilize in early spring. Generally, use about 1 pound of a complete fertilizer, such as 12-12-12, for each inch your tree measures in diameter. Be sure to water deeply after fertilizing.

Pruning and training is also very important and plums should be trained to be an open center.

The major problems to watch for when growing plums are plum curculion, stinkbugs, peach tree borers, bacterial stem canker and bacterial leaf spot. All can be controlled with appropriate pesticides.

After the tree is established, prune it each year just before it is about to bloom, removing 20 to 30 percent of the shoots that develop. If you don't prune every year, the tree will become less productive and more susceptible to disease. Once fruit set occurs, it is also a good idea to practice fruit thinning, which requires removing a portion of the crop from the trees as soon as they form. This actually will increase, rather than decrease, production.

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Eastland County Could Be In A "Pickle" Soon

Cucumbers for pickling may be a new crop for Eastland County soon. Cucumbers is one of several new crops Eastland County farmers are looking at to supplement farm income.

Peanuts have long been the number one cash crop in Eastland County with no close second says County Extension Agent DeMarquis Gordon. Farmers are searching for and experimenting with alternate crops that will return a fair profit. Among the other alternate crops are potatoes, green beans, dried peas and alfalfa.

Recently, Hilmar Sibley, agronomist for Best Maid Products in Fort Worth contacted Gordon about the possibility of producing cucumbers in Eastland County for the Fort Worth plant. At the present mechanically harvest cucumbers are produced in Knox County near Munday and Knox City.

The agent says the cucumber-pickle crop would be a good crop for irrigated peanut growers. Cucumbers do well on the same type soil where peanuts are grown. They are a short term crop. Only 50 days are required from planting to harvest in the spring and 45 days are required for a fall crop. At least two crops may be grown on the same land. However, Gordon says the spring crop would be more compatible with peanut farming.

The spring crop is planted about April 15 and harvested June 1. Three irrigations may be required. This is prior to the time irrigation is needed for peanuts according to the agent. Cucumbers are planted

with about four rows on a wide bed. The row are 8 to 10 inches apart and 30 inches between beds. Seed are planted five inches apart in the row.

In 50 days the cucumbers are harvested. The vines are dug and destroyed in the harvest process. Production should be between 5,000 and 10,000 pounds per acre or an average of about 7,500 pounds per acre.

The buyer contracts the crop before planting. Contract price this next year will be \$6 per 100 pounds. The buyer will purchase all marketable cucumbers from 9 to 2 1/8 inches in diameter. Cucumbers are pollinated by bees and other insects rather than by wind. It is necessary to place bee hives in the field during the last week or two before harvest to insure a heavy set of cucumbers.

Other costs are required for land preparation, seed, herbicide, fertilizer, irrigation, insecticide, repairs and maintenance, land rent and field freight. The estimated cost of production is approximately \$289.00 per acre.

The estimated price for 7500 pounds of cucumbers at \$6.00 per hundred would be \$450.00. This leaves an estimated net income of \$161.00 per acre.

Harvesting on the right day is most important. Since cucumbers mature rapidly, a delay in harvest will result in too many over sized cucumbers and premature harvest results in low yields.

A fall crop would compete with peanuts for water and labor resources says Gordon, but a spring crop should fit well with peanuts in this

county. Sibley said the fall crop is more suitable for farmers in Knox County.

Several farmers in Eastland County have expressed an interest in growing cucumbers. Sibley and Gordon visited with three growers recently about growing cucumbers in 1986.

The owner of Best Maid Products wants to try 40 acres in Eastland County next spring. However, because of the grower interest, Gordon and the growers are requesting the permission to plant at least 120 acres the first year. A Trip to the Best Maid plant in the near future is being planned by interested parties to sell the company on Eastland County as the future production site.

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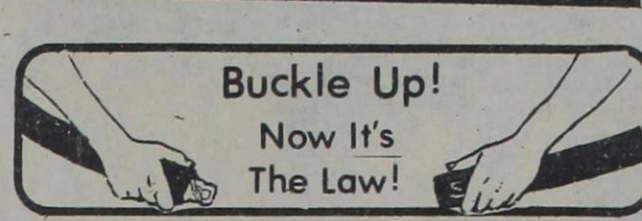
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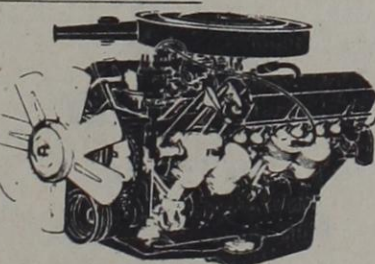
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Eastland County Pecan Growers Place Well In County Pecan Show

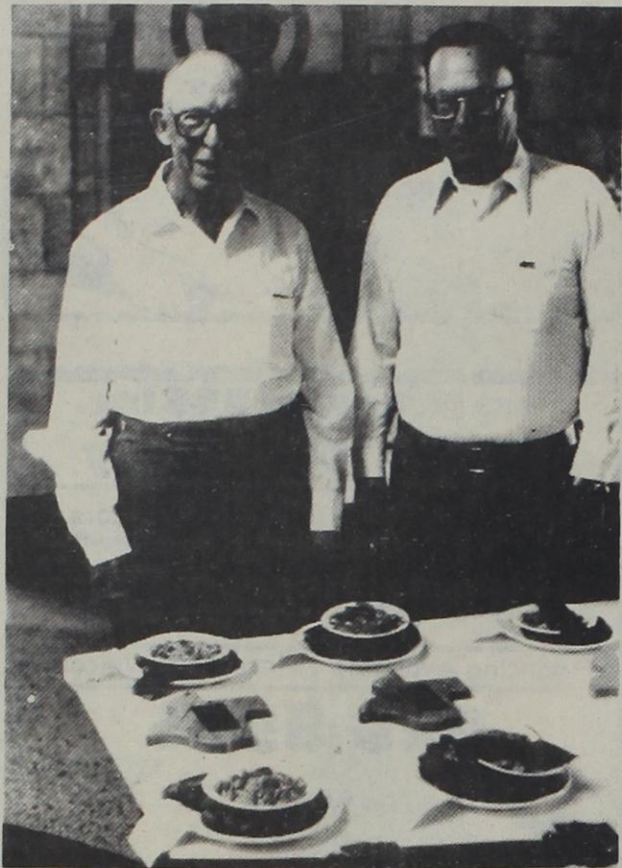
Eastland County pecan growers won 17 ribbons at the Central Texas Regional Pecan Show last week. All first place entries in the Eastland County Pecan Show were sent to Stephenville where entries from one third of the state were processed and judged. Pecans were then taken to Temple where they have been on display in a shopping mall. There were a total of 490 entries in the regional show.

First place ribbons were won by Dan Childress in the Barton class; Gilbert Williams in the Stuart class; Charles Walker in the Cherokee class; and Lin Boch in the Wichita class; Acres of Joy

in the Chickasaw class; Lin Boch in the Western class; and Mrs. W.L. Wright in the Smallest pecan class.

Second place ribbons were won by Acres of Joy in the Delmas class and GraBohl class; T.E. Robertson in the Shawnee class and the John Garner class; Gilbert Williams in the Texas Profitic class; and Lin Boch in the Known Hybrid class.

Third place ribbons were won by Dan Childress in the Apache class, Sioux class and Native class; Charles Walker in the Cherokee class; and Lin Boch in the Mahan class.



Dan Childress and Lin Boch with champion pecan entries and plaques at the 33rd annual Eastland County Pecan Show.



Nancy Trout, of Eastland, was the winner of the Adult Division of the Eastland County Pecan Centerpiece Division. Nancy's winning entry was a Christmas tree made of pecans and pine cones with miniature lights.

Gorman Senior Class To Sponsor Turkey Shoot

A turkey shoot will be held Sunday, Dec. 22, at 1 p.m. at the Gorman baseball field. It is sponsored by the Gorman Senior Class of '86.

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those 13 years and younger will be supervised by an adult.

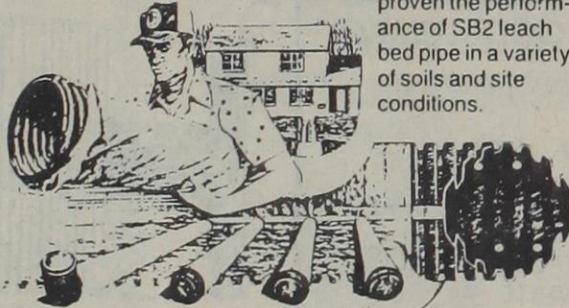
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Eleventh Court Of Appeals News

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas: **AFFIRMED**

J. Clyde Tomlinson, Jr. v. Louis Kennedy d/b/a Kennedy Jewels. (Opinion by Judge Brown) - Gregg. Nicholas M. Rose v. The First National Bank of Jacksonville, Jacksonville, Texas. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) - Cherokee.

Dr. William E. Stone, II v. Grassy Creek Ranch. (Opinion by Judge Brown) - Gregg.

Garvin S. Shepherd v. Willie Gobel Sheperd. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) - Rains.

Robert Lamar Miller, Sr. v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) - Smith.

John Newton Allen v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Dickenson) - Cherokee. **APPEALS DISMISSED**

James Thomas Harbin v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Opinion) - Erath.

Donald Werley v. Glenn Carroll et ux et al. (Per Curiam Opinion) - Knox. **MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED**

Raymond Ezzel Mitchell v. State of Texas. State's motion for extension of time to file brief. - Taylor.

Wayne Robbins v. State of Texas. State's motion for permission of time to file late brief. - Stephens.

James Gary Dennis v. Julie Louise Seedig Dennis. Appellee's motion for extension of time to file brief. - Shackelford.

Michael Leigh Gillett v. State of Texas. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file transcript and statement of facts. - Brown. **CASES SUBMITTED**

Fred J. McDonald, Jr. v. State of Texas. - Dallas. Ramon Montes v. State of Texas. - El Paso.

David Eldon Lewis v. State of Texas. - Palo Pinto. Otis Len Modgling v. State of Texas. - Brown.

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