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TREASURE HUNT

The following is a partial list of items Cisco Merchants will give during the annual Treasure Hunt Saturday, Dec. 15.

- Ted & Rex's One Stop.....2 Cases of Cokes
- The Cisco PressTwo Subscriptions
- Austin's Furniture.....Towel Set & Oriental Bowl
- City Drug.....Ladies Gift Set & Mens Gift Set
- Cisco Funeral Home.....\$20 Chamber Gift Certificate (# Displayed at Chamber)
- Ledbetter Insurance.....\$20 Cash
- Kimbrough Funeral Home.....\$25 Cash
- Double Vision.....Dinner For Two
- Lee's Truck Service.....10 Lbs. Pecans, 10 Lbs. Pecans, 10 Lbs. Pecans, 1 Gal. Oil
- Lobo & JR's Family Hair Care.....One Styling Iron, One Grooming Package
- Tradition'sChicken Fried Steak Dinner For Two
- Burgess Industries.....\$25 Cash
- David Callarman Insurance.....\$20 Chamber Gift Certificate
- Southwestern Enterprises\$25 Chamber Gift Certificate
- S&M SupplyCleaning Ensemble
- Reynolds Mfg. Co.....Cleaning Ensemble
- Thornton Feed MillSack of Maize
- Dean Drug.....New Living Bible
- Box of Russell Stover Candy & Fragrance Set
- Western Auto.....Charcoal Grill
- Eddie McMillan.....Travel Garment Bag
- Hargrave InsuranceTurkey Blanket
- Garl Gorr Real Estate.....\$10 Gift Certificate To Dean Drug
- Thrift Mart.....\$25 Gift Certificate (8) Turkeys
- Sonic Drive In.....5 Coney Combos
- Guthrie Truck Harbor.....1 Gal. Antifreeze
- Ann Williams Real Estate.....\$10 Cash
- Motts.....Cookie Jar & Wahoo Game
- Dr. Gary W. Harris.....\$25 Saving Bond
- White Elephant RestaurantTwo Truckers Special
- Twice Around Shop.....Five Items (Belts & Jewelry)
- Russell Newman's Lacy Lady.....\$10 Gift Certificate
- Cisco Florist.....Two Poinsettias
- Cisco NewsFour Subscriptions
- Cotton's Studio.....1-7x9 Direct Color Mini Studio Sitting & 1-Kalimar 110 Camera With Film and Processing
- Dairy Queen.....(4) Full Meal Deal
- Custom Cowboy (Formerly OK Shoe Shop).....Billfold
- Carolyns Florist.....One Poinsettia
- Anderson Jewelry.....Ladies ID Bracelet
- Dominoes
- Family Dollar.....72" x90" Blanket
- West Texas Utilities.....Student Lamp
- Dollar Video... 3 Prizes of 2 Free Video Rentals
- Mama's Cafe.....Dinner For Two
- Hamburger, French Fries, Medium Drink
- Milkshake
- Webbs Inc.Humming Bird Feeder
- Socket Set
- Country Classic Hair Center.....Hair Care Product
- Lemon Tree Boutique.....\$20 Gift Certificate
- Family Recreation Center.....Turkey
- Quick-Six, 2112 Conrad Hilton Ave.....Blank VCR Tape
- Fred Hull Citgo.....Oil Change
- Philpott Florist.....Fresh Flower Arrangement
- Songs & Psalms.....Framed Wall Plaque
- Child's Bible
- Myo-Massage Clinic.....Full Body Massage
- Tiny's Grocery.....\$5 Cash
- Elite Beauty Shop.....Hair Cut, Shampoo and Set
- Guys & Dolls, 1305 Harrell Ave.....Haircut

Treasure Hunt Tickets Are Now Available; Christmas Parade To Begin At 5:30 P.M.

Tickets for the annual Treasure Hunt are being distributed at the Chamber of Commerce office. Tickets, one for each member of the family, will be available until NOON Friday, Dec. 14. No tickets will be handed out Friday afternoon, according to Bill Austin, chairman.

The Treasure Hunt will be held Saturday night following the Christmas parade and the lighting of the Community Christmas Tree at the Hilton Center.

The night parade, a first for Cisco, will begin at 5:30 p.m. Theme of the parade is "The Night Before Christmas," and all entries must be decorated with lights, either powered by generator or battery. No headlights can be used in the parade, Don Wallace, parade chairman, reported.

Parade participants will line up in their designated locations (see map inside) facing Avenue E, travel to 13th Street, east to Conrad Hilton and then north on Conrad Hilton to Third Street.

Treasure hunt tickets will have to be signed for, with name and address, and anyone picking up the tickets will have to be 18 years of age.

Both events are sponsored by the Cisco Chamber of Commerce.

The parade will line up at 4:30 p.m. except automobile entries which will line up at 4 p.m. (See map on back page.)

Trophies will be given for first and second places in all divisions, including all automobile classes.

Divisions in the parade include bands, civic floats, commercial organizations, student floats, church floats, performing groups, costumed children, decorated bicycles, groupequestrians, individual equestrian, and automobiles: antique (20-30 years), classics (40-50 years), classics (60-70 years), street rods, pickups, and muscle cars.

Mr. Wallace said, "As a safety precaution we are asking that no candy or gum be thrown from anyone participating in the parade."

Immediately after the parade, there will be the lighting of the community Christmas Tree and caroling at the Hilton Center. The Cisco Service Club and Cisco Civic League would like to invite the entire community to be their guests at the Christmas party at the Hilton following the parade. There will be entertainment provided by the Cisco High School Choir and a display of Christmas trees decorated by clubs, organizations and churches in the

community. "We would like to encourage every club, organization, church and school to participate in the fun of choosing a theme and decorating a tree," a club spokesperson said. To register, call Helen Gaeta at 442-2537 and give the name of the organization and the theme. The treasure hunt will begin after the community Christmas Tree lighting and last until 9 p.m., Mr. Austin said. Businesses have been asked to remain open until 9 p.m.

and to place the treasure hunt numbers inside so hunters will have the opportunity to go into the business and see what local merchants have to offer.

This year there is also a merchants window decorating contest. Windows must use lights in the decorations. Windows will be judged on Friday evening, Dec. 14, and awards will be given during the parade. All businesses have been asked to participate.

Yule Dances Planned By Parents For Teens

Parents for Teens is sponsoring two Christmas dances this week at the Cisco Country Club for Cisco Junior High and Cisco High School students.

The dance for junior high students will be from 8 until 11 p.m. Friday, Dec. 14, and the high school dance will be from 8 p.m. until 12 midnight Saturday, Dec. 15.

Disc jockey will be Jason Phillips, and admission will be \$3 per person. Refreshments will be provided.

Dress will be party or church clothes.

Parents for Teens rules will be strictly enforced:

1. Only high school students will be allowed to attend the high school dance; and only junior high students will be allowed to attend the junior high dance.
2. Students may leave the dance at any time; however, once a student leaves they may not return.
3. No drugs or alcohol will be allowed.

Parents have been invited to help chaperone the dances.

Canterbury Villa Plans Annual Christmas Party

On December 14, 1990, at 2:20 p.m. the Volunteer Council of Canterbury Villa of Cisco will host a Christmas Party in the dining room for the residents.

Following the party, there will be a Christmas Tree with a visit by Santa Claus in the back lobby. Family and friends are urged to send or bring a gift for your loved one. We would also like to invite and welcome you to our Christmas Party and Christmas Tree with Santa.

Vietnam Era Memorial To Be Erected In Courthouse

County Commissioners Monday discussed completion of a Memorial Plaque holding names of Eastland County war dead of the Vietnam Era.

This bronze plaque will be placed in the Courthouse lobby, along with Memorials to servicemen who died in other wars.

County Judge Scott Bailey said that the County had previously budgeted \$500 for the Memorial, and had been working on the project "off and on" for some time.

"We want to be sure we're not missing someone whose name should be included," the Judge said.

He added that a list had been compiled locally, and contained names of six Eastland County men who died during the Vietnam Era. Information from the War Department (Department of Defense) indicated that these

names were correct. Several Eastland County War Veterans were in the Courtroom - Bert Kent, Lanny Sledge, Bert Gibb, W. B. Ensor and Burton Phillips.

"We would appreciate the memorial," Bert Kent said. "Those guys deserve it." He added that the Vietnam soldiers made the same sacrifices as soldiers in other wars. The group had a suggestion

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Goodfellows Need Your Assistance

The Goodfellows have been screening applications for assistance this week, according to a report. They have received requests from several local families who need help during this holiday season.

Donations of money and toys are still being accepted by the Goodfellows. Local schools are planning canned good drives to help with the food that will be distributed to the needy on Dec. 21.

Donations of cash or toys may be left at Hargrave Insurance Agency or First National Bank, or mailed to The Goodfellows, P.O. Box 1220, Cisco.

Chamber Coffee Is 10 A.M. Wednesday

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce will hold a coffee at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 12, at Double Vision Restaurant. All chamber members and others interested in the future of Cisco are urged to attend.

Mitchell Baptist Plan Christmas Program Sunday

Mitchell Baptist Church will have a Christmas program of caroling, refreshments and the Christmas tree at 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 16. Everyone is invited to attend, according to Rev. Jesse Bigbee, pastor.

Additional donations received since the last report include:

- Cisco Rotary Club—\$100.00
- Gladys Barrett—\$5.00
- Lucy Collier—\$25.00
- Anonymous—\$20.00
- Stellar Sunday School Class of First United Methodist Church—\$25.00
- Buster and Charlotte Hastings—\$10.00
- Mary and Dr. Roger Schustereit—\$25.00
- Cisco Civic League—\$300.00
- Kiwanis Club of Cisco—\$100.00
- Adult Bible Class of First Presbyterian Church—\$50.00
- Helen Crawford—\$50.00
- Dr. Ervin Addy Jr.—\$100.00
- Charlene, Kathleen & The Coffee Drinkers at Double Vision—\$119.13

Elementary Choirs To Sing At Bank

Cisco Elementary School choirs will perform this Christmas season at the First National Bank, according to an announcement.

The schedule for their appearances is as follows:

- Monday, Dec. 17—9:30 a.m., kindergarten; 1:30 p.m., first grade.
- Tuesday, Dec. 18—9:30 a.m., fifth grade; 1:30 p.m., third grade.
- Wednesday, Dec. 19—9:30 a.m., fourth grade.
- Thursday, Dec. 20—10 a.m., second grade.

VFW To Help Local Needy

Cisco VFW Post #10782 is taking Christmas Donations for the local needy from December 6 thru December 14th at the Post, 701 Ave A. Canned goods, toys, and money for fresh foods will be appreciated. The Post will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. We will be glad to make a pick-up if you will call:

Robert Turner 442-2102
C. B. Frailley 442-3804
Roy Westfall 442-2388.

BAKE SALE

The youth of Calvary Baptist Church will hold a bake sale Saturday, Dec. 15, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Thrift Mart. Proceeds raised will be used to help pay for the Youth Winter Retreat at Lake Brownwood.

Two Wranglers Named To All-American Teams

Bert Milliner, a 5-7, 165 pound sophomore wide receiver at Cisco Junior College, has been named to the 1990 J.C. Grid-Wire All-American team. He was also named second team on the National Junior College Athletic Association All-American Team.

Milliner, who is from Cedar Hill, said he has verbally committed to Oklahoma State University and will sign with the Cowboys in February.

Cisco Junior College defensive lineman Jerry Butler was also named honorable mention on both All-American teams.

Commissioners Approve Additional Deputy; Money From Sheriff's Budget

Eastland County Commissioners Monday approved an additional Deputy for the Eastland County Sheriff's Department.

They did not, however, approve money from the general fund to pay the salary of another law enforcement officer.

Sheriff Dee Hogan told the Commissioners that he expected to have enough left over in his budget to pay for the additional manpower, which he says is needed to help patrol rural areas of the county.

Hogan also said that a car seized by his Department could be used by the new investigator.

The agreement for the Sheriff to hire another Deputy came in an afternoon session, which followed a morning of considerable discussion on the subject.

Sheriff Hogan brought another manpower survey of Eastland and surrounding counties, showing that Eastland County has fewer Deputies per capita than others in the area. He said that his four Deputies were each working an extra 20 hrs. per week, and were growing "mentally and physically exhausted."

Commissioner Billy Bacon, Pct. 4, said he had studied the matter and agreed there should be another Deputy. "We are working our men to death," he commented. "I wouldn't want to work an extra 20 hrs. per week without pay, and I

don't expect my hands to."

He made a motion for the county to approve another Deputy and pay the estimated \$18,000 annual salary. But the motion died for a lack of a second; as other commissioners questioned the salary appropriation and other details of the Sheriff's request.

The approval in the afternoon came after the Sheriff assured the commissioners that he would take the salary from his department's own budget. On other agenda items, the Commissioners tabled a request from Cisco City Manager Mike Moore to amend an Ambulance Contract with the city. The county has been paying for a portion of the Emergency Medical Services after expenses are submitted to the County Auditor's office. Moore requested a flat monthly payment, and this presented some problems, the Commissioners said.

The Commissioners agreed that something needed to be worked out on the Emergency Medical Services so that each entity receiving funds was paid in the same manner.

In other business, the commissioners purchased furniture from outgoing Justice of the Peace Tex Evans for use in the office in Rising Star.

They also approved a request from Sheriff Hogan to fence the top of the jail's exercise yard. Hogan explained that exercise in the yard was mandated by the state - but some means had to be

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Fishing Outdoors

By Terry L. Wilson

FUR PRICES STILL LOW FOR 1990-91

It's hard to find the day or week when the 1990 Bassin Year ends and the 1991 begins. Today's anglers can and do find quality fishing 365 days a year, if time allows. The once believed almost hibernation of bass during the winter months has been placed aside with the deep theory of summer. About the only thing you can always say is true about bassin' is there are no set rules.

During the upcoming 91 year of bassin' the state of Texas alone will be the host of no less than 1,500 bass fishing events. These contests will have an average 1st place prize valued at around \$1,300.00 and draw around 117 entrants. The average entry fee paid for these events have climbed to \$30.00 per contestant. This is an increase in entry fees from 1990 of about \$5.00 per person. These figures go against the current inflation, the cost of tournament anglers expenses are rising and the entry fees should be coming down.

Fishing has to many anglers become simply a cast for cash venture, no longer the enjoyment of "Fishing Outdoors." But for those who still place enjoyment first, even the financial rewards are increasing due to less pressure.

For the tournament minded angler there is perhaps no better way to stay abreast of the upcoming events than subscribing to the "Tournament Angler News" published from Marble Falls Texas. This collection of tournament news is complimented by the directory which list the tournaments for the 1991 prices of these two must have items for your angler you may call (512) 693-7956 and be sure to let them know you heard about it hear.

Texas trappers and hunters will continue to have difficulties this year as the fur market continues its downward trend, a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department official said.

The harvest of wild furs the past three years have resulted in too many on the market. Commercial fur forms have

continued to add large numbers of furs on the market.

The supply continues to exceed the demand and that is where the problem lies. European markets have been slow in showing any kind of increased interest in American furs. This is due to an overabundance of furs and the influence of anti-trapping movements in Europe and the United States.

Jose Cano, Wildlife biologist from Clifton said raccoon pelts will bring \$4-5 maximum at the beginning of the season. Grey fox prices will range from \$5 to \$7 and red fox pelts will bring \$8 to \$10. Bobcat pelts will still sell for about \$10 to \$30. The coyote market is almost nonexistent, bringing \$4 to \$8. Prices may vary depending on where they were taken.

The trapping season for fur bearing animals is Dec. 1 to Jan. 31 except for muskrat, Nov. 15-March 15 and nutica (no closed season). A valid trappers license for \$10.75 is needed to take fur bearing animals in Texas.

Till next week stay warm and dry, hypothermia is a boaters nightmare.

Terry L. Wilson

Read The Classifieds

Delta Kappa Gamma Holds Meeting In Baird Nov. 29

The Beta Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International met at Baird High School Nov. 29, 1990. The chapter is composed of women educators in Eastland and Callahan counties.

Linda Caton from West Texas Utilities demonstrated some ideas for Christmas gifts. Recipes of cookies, candies and cakes were made and combined with practical gifts. Christmas decorations were also shown.

Christmas carols were led by Linda Boose and accompanied by Davene Jeffcoat. Several members brought cherished Christmas ornaments and told why they were so special to their family.

Mrs. Lela Lloyd reviewed a section from the book The Best Damn Teacher. Elizabeth Abernethy shared a story about a student who turned out well, partly because a

teacher was so interested in him.

The meeting, led by President Kathi Stapp, was adjourned about 8:30 p.m.

Refreshments were made from recipes in the WTU Christmas cook book. Hostesses were Johnnie Allen, Azalee Womack, Juanita Shaw, Billie Ruth Loving, Marie Stambaugh and Francis Tyson.

Members in attendance were Bettie Hood, Wanda Pruitt and Lisa Boose from Eastland; Ruth Stewart, Ruby Lee Pirtle, Carolyn Page, Lela Lloyd and Davene Jeffcoat from Cisco; Juanita Shaw, Billie Ruth Loving, Azalee Womack and Marie Stambaugh from Cross Plains; Elizabeth Abernethy, Johnnie Allen and Kathi Stapp from Baird; and Marie da Rocha and Barbara Jones from Ranger.

Railroad Commission Names Three To Key Positions

The Railroad Commission has named a new executive director and directors of its Oil and Gas and Transportation/Gas Utilities Divisions.

Walt Washington, a 28-year Commission veteran, was named Executive Director for Internal Affairs. He had served as acting executive director since February 1989. Washington has also served as acting director of the Surface Mining and Reclamation Division and the Transportation/Gas Utilities Division within the past year and has held positions in several other divisions during his Commission tenure.

David Garlick was named director of the Commission's largest division, the Oil and Gas division. He had been

serving as the division's interim director since April. Garlick has served as Director of Data Processing for the Commission and as Director of Planning and Administration for the Oil and Gas Division during his 12-year Commission tenure.

Jerry Martin, a 16-year Commission employee, was named director of the Transportation/Gas Utilities Division. His prior assignments have included positions as auditor in Transportation Division field offices in Houston, Midland, and Lubbock, and service as the Assistant Director of Auditing. With the merger of the Transportation and Gas Utilities Divisions in 1988, Martin became Assistant Director, Field Operations for the combined division.

Holiday Safety Tips

Dry Christmas trees, faulty electrical wiring and unsafe travel can make for a dangerous holiday season.

Dr. Kenneth L. Mattox of Baylor College of Medicine in Houston says that common accidents can be prevented if precautions are taken inside and outside the home.

"Many accidents such as burns and electrocution occur during the holidays," said Mattox, a professor of surgery at Baylor and chief of staff at Ben Taub General Hospital. "Children especially need close supervision."

He suggests parents set aside extra time to make their home safe for young children. Each year more than one million children are treated for burns, many of them preventable.

Dry Christmas trees are one of the biggest hazards. Faulty electrical wiring and outlets can burn the trees by setting off sparks. Mattox advises that the base of the tree be watered regularly.

Twinkling Christmas tree lights also pose serious injury to curious children. "We see toddlers with burns on their mouth as a result of chewing on light cords," Mattox said. "They do not know the lights are not a toy."

Another common holiday accident is food poisoning caused by the salmonella bacteria. If left unrefrigerated all day, traditional holiday foods like turkey can become contaminated by the bacteria and cause an upset stomach, diarrhea and even death.

The car trip home after the holidays can also be dangerous. Travelers should be well rested and avoid alcohol when driving.

Mattox offers these holiday safety tips:

*Turn off Christmas tree lights before going to bed or leaving home. Consider purchasing a fire extinguisher.

*Wash and thoroughly cook fresh meats, fruits and vegetables to prevent salmonella poisoning. Refrigerate uneaten foods.

*Buy toys that specify the ages for which they are considered safe. Be certain there are no small pieces that could be swallowed and cause choking.

*Buckle up your child and yourself while driving even short distances. Most auto accidents happen within five miles of home.

*Make sure homes you visit are as safe for your children as your own home.

Season's Greetings

Desert Shield: Largest Overseas Mailing Operation

The interest and support for our soldiers in Operation Desert Shield has created the largest overseas mailing in the history of our country.

Between now and Christmas, the Postal Service expects an additional 30 million pounds of mail for Desert Shield Operation alone. We've seen everything from banana cakes to literally tons of cookies, plus thousands of audio cassettes, sun glasses, comic books, hard candy and American flags. Mail volume is currently averaging about 300,000 pounds per day which is equivalent to about 1.2 million pieces per day.

To date, over 12 million pounds, (or 50 million pieces) have been delivered since early August.

The Postal Service, with its infrastructure of 700,000 employees is making an extraordinary effort to get mail to our troops.

We've rented additional facilities, hired more employees, arranged for additional air transportation and added more distribution points around the nation; for example Dallas now handles APO mail for 51 Desert Shield locations mailed from the southwest portion of the United States. That mail is separated by ZIP Codes and trucked to Tinker Air Force Base for air-lift to Saudi Arabia. Every effort is being made to separate these volumes from our regular Christmas mail volume, so that service for each runs smoothly and efficiently.

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AREA FRONT PAGE

Comanche And Eastland Counties To Hold Peanut Bake Show December 20

A Peanut Bake Show will be held in conjunction with the Comanche-Eastland County Quality Show on Thursday, December 20. The Peanut Bake Show will be held at the DeLeon City Hall.

All Eastland-Comanche County Adults and 4-H age youth may enter the Peanut Bake Show. Registration of baked goods will be from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. There will be a noon luncheon at which time winners will be announced.

The baked goods must

contain whole peanuts or some form of peanuts i.e. peanut butter as part of the recipe.

All entries must be on disposable containers and covered with clear plastic wrap. The recipe of entry is requested.

Food Show categories are: Pie, Cake, Candy (enter 6 pieces), cookies (enter 6 pieces), nut bread, and peanut snacks.

Each division will be judged and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place ribbons awarded. Overall Grand Champion of youth and

adult divisions will be awarded plaques.

All Bake Show entries must be picked up between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m. on December 20th.

The show is being sponsored by the Comanche-Eastland County offices of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and the Eastland County Extension Homemakers Council.

Read The Classifieds



Winners in the Pecan Centerpiece Contest in the Eastland County Pecan Show were Jeremy Castleberry (1-r) of Cisco in the Youth Division and Mrs. Janette Bureson of Eastland in the Adult Division.

Arleta Shirey Named Outstanding E.H. Club Woman Of The Year

Arleta Shirey of Pleasant Hill Home Extension Club was named "Outstanding E.H. Club Woman of the Year" at the countywide extension homemakers Christmas luncheon and awards program held at the Redeemer Lutheran Church Parish Hall in Cisco on Wednesday, Dec. 5.

Arleta is always ready for

anything that needs to be done, baking, sewing gowns and bibs for the nursing home, hosting birthday party are just a few of the things we can always count on her to do. She also found the time to go to the TEHA State Convention this year in October.

Arleta was presented with an engraved silver tray.

Result Demonstration Cooperators Recognized

Result demonstrations are an important method to show new technology. Local producers make result demonstrations possible. At the Annual Extension Program Council meeting held December 10, eight cooperators were recognized for their work in result of demonstrations this past year.

The cooperators and the result demonstrators were:

Kenneth Moutfort - Low Energy Precision Application, Irrigation on Peanuts
L.E. Singleton - Lime on Peanuts

Harold Reich - Range Weed Control

Freddy Anderson - Mesquite Control

Herbert Wende - Greenbriar Control

Billie Sinclair and Sandy Doss - Prescribed Burn

Billie Sinclair - Total Ranch Management

Cisco Junior College - Herman Glueck - Fruit Orchards

Result demonstration work is the basis for which the Cooperative Extension System was established. The first demonstration took place in 1903 on the Walter C. Porter Farm near Terrell, Texas in Kaufman County. The educator who started it all was Dr. Seaman A. Knapp, an agent of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Result demonstrations conducted in a county allows local producers the opportunity to examine how something may work in their operation. Many times result demonstrations are the center of program such as field days and tours.

The information collected from result demonstrations is also distributed through newsletters, news release and radio programs. Once a year the result demonstrations are written up in a booklet called "Results of Agricultural

Demonstrations.' This booklet is available to all interested persons.

Like all Texas Agricultural Extension Service programs, the result demonstrations conducted in Eastland County are identified by local program area committees. These programs area committees are made up of people with an interest in the area for which the committee is working.

Ideas for the result demonstrations come from a variation of people. Many of the new products or new technology type result demonstrations come from Texas Agricultural Extension Service Specialist or industry people. Some of the result demonstrations conducted begin with a producer asking, what if we try this.

No result demonstration would be possible without the cooperation of local producers. Many times they will have

to change plans for a field so a demonstration will work. All result demonstration cooperators will have to put the county Extension agent calling or coming by wanting to know when their going to do this or what they are doing now, where the demonstration is being conducted.

The result demonstration method of bringing new technology to producers embodied Knapp's philosophy: "What a man hears he may doubt, what a man sees he may possibly doubt but what he does himself he cannot doubt."

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.



Pecan Bake Show winners at the Eastland County Pecan Show included (l-r) Mrs. Patsy Sims with Reserve Grand Champion candy, Mrs. Twila Leew with Grand Champion cake, Kimberly Reich with Grand Champion pie, and Michael Rabb with Reserve Grand Champion cookies.



Champion (foreground) and Reserve Champion (background) winners at the Eastland County Pecan Show are (l-r): COMMERCIAL DIVISION Lorene Jennings with Mohawk and Dan Childress with Western; CLASSIC DIVISION James Alexander with Schley and Charles Walker with Podsednik; and NATIVE DIVISION James Alexanser and T.E. Robertson with natives.



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Rescue Line For Women

Ruth Stewart, M.Ed.

Q. Many teenagers are experimenters. Which phase most accurately describes this group?

A. Moratorium is the universal idea of what teenagers are like. The Moratorium girls are considered daughters of crisis. In this group are women who have left their churches, marched in anti-war protests, criticized their parents, and experimented with morality issues - and felt guilty.

Moratoriums gave responsiveness to social problems and a closeness to great philosophical questions.

Moratoriums are attuned to options, knowing that they could design their own lives, but often wanted to choose both sides of contradiction.

The Moratorium Phase is one of testing and searching for new identities. These women are usually very interesting lively and engaging. But Female Moratoriums do not show the positive adaptive personalities as their male counterparts. Female Moratoriums behave like Diffusions. They show lower self esteem and greater anxiety than do Identity Achievers and Foreclosures.

Moratorium women value exploration above commitment.

SOURCE: *Finding Herself* by Ruthellen Josselson

Questions should be addressed to:

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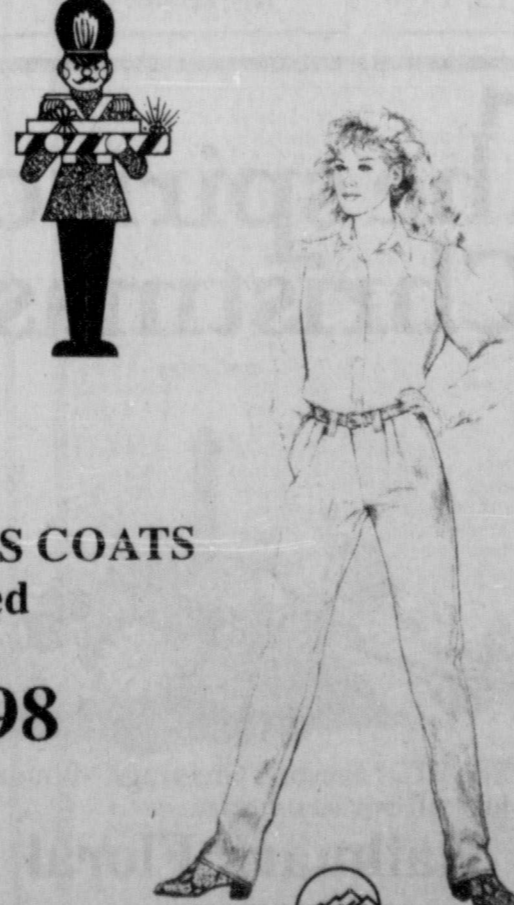
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Obituaries

Rudolph 'Doc' Haile

GORMAN - Rudolph "Doc" Haile, 85, died Thursday, December 6, 1990 at a DeLeon hospital.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, December 8 at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. James Haynes officiating, assisted by the Rev. Rawlyn Richter. Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery.

Mr. Haile was born near Gorman, had lived most of his life in Gorman except for 20 years in Austin, where he

operated Haile Airport.

He was a commercial pilot, had multi-engine rating and was licensed mechanic. He belonged to numerous flying organizations and was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Tommie Haile of Gorman; two daughters, Erin Klappenbach of Gorman and Gerry Rodgers of Little Rock, Ark.; a son, Rudy Haile of Fort Worth; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Lonnie Bussell

STRAWN - Lonnie Bussell, 77, died Saturday, December 8, 1990 morning in a Weatherford nursing home.

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Monday, December 10 in Davidson Cemetery between Strawn and Mingus with the Rev. Fred Keese officiating, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

Mr. Bussell was born, graduated from High School and lived most of his life in Mingus. He moved to Strawn in 1962; he worked for General Dynamics for 33 years, retiring in 1974.

Survivors include three stepsons, Jerry Ray Flora, Michael Paul Flora and William and David Flora, all of Fort Worth; and four grandchildren.

William Larry Fuller

STRAWN - William Larry Fuller, 50, died Friday, December 7, 1990 in an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, December 10 in First Baptist Church in Strawn with the Rev. David Stapp officiating. Burial was in Mt. Marion Cemetery in Strawn, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

Mr. Fuller was born in Strawn and was a 1959 graduate of Strawn High School. He served in the U.S. Army.

He worked for Texas-New Mexico Power Co. for 10 years, after which he was employed by an insurance company in Breckenridge. At the time of his death, he worked as a cashier for the Bar-B Truck Stop.

Survivors include his mother, Edna Fuller of Breckenridge; two brothers, James Fuller of Clifton and Don Fuller of Bakersfield, Calif.; and several nieces and nephews.

A. W. Triplitt

WEATHERFORD - A. W. Triplitt, 78, former Abilene resident, died Friday, December 7, 1990 in a Fort Worth hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, December 10 in Oakwood Cemetery in Cisco, directed by Galbreath Pickard Funeral Chapel.

Mr. Triplitt was born in May and was a resident of

Parker County for 17 years. He was a retired gauger for Exxon, a member of the Christian Church and the Masonic Lodge in Cisco.

Survivors include his wife, Frankie M. Triplitt of Weatherford; a son, Teddy Allen Triplitt of Midland; a sister, Byna Grace LeMaster of Arlington; a brother, Robert Joe Triplitt of Torrance, Calif.; and two grandchildren.

Virgil Aaron Ables

CISCO - Virgil Aaron Ables, 90, died Monday, Dec. 10, 1990, in Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 13, at Calvary Baptist Church with Rev. Ronnie Shackelford, pastor, and Gary Montgomery, Church of Christ minister, officiating. Burial will be in Murray Cemetery in Carbon directed by Cisco Funeral Home.

Mr. Ables was born Nov. 28, 1900, in Tom Green County.

He married Velma Petree Dec. 28, 1918, in Carbon. She preceded in his death in 1971. He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Survivors include a son, Virgil (Buster) Ables of Priddy; two daughters, Nema (Shorty) Phillips of Cisco and Robbie Louise Barnett of California; a sister, Alta Mae Walker of Gulfport, Miss.; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Oren Speegle

CISCO - Oren "Speck" Speegle, 67, died Saturday, Dec. 8, 1990, in an Abilene hospital.

Funeral services were at 10 a.m. Monday, Dec. 10, 1990, in Kimbrough Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. David Leach, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Born March 24, 1923, in Eastland, Mr. Speegle grew up in the Scranton community. He was a veteran of

World War II, serving as a U.S. Navy pilot in the Philippines. He was a retired farmer and a member of Wesley Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by a son, Terry Speegle.

He married Mildred Cooper Dec. 31, 1948, in Cisco.

Survivors include his wife, Mildred Speegle of Cisco; a son and daughter-in-law, Randy and Charlotte Speegle of Cisco; a daughter-in-law, Nancy Speegle of Cisco; and two grandchildren, Lori Ann Speegle and Mike Speegle. Cousins served as pallbearers.

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Hospital Report

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Long Range Extension Program Announced

The 1991-1994 Long Range Extension Program for Eastland County was announced at a luncheon hosted by the Eastland County Extension Program Council on December 10th at the First Christian Church Fellowship Bible Class. This long-range plan will serve as the cornerstone for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service programming efforts in Eastland County during the next four years. Ronald Pope, chairman of the Eastland County Extension Program Council, presided over the luncheon.

The initial steps for the long-range Extension program began in January with the identification of leading citizens in Eastland County by the Council Executive Board to help identify critical issues facing the county. They were divided into four task forces, agriculture and natural resources, home economics, youth and community development based on their area of interest.

On April 26th, 41 Eastland County citizens met to identify critical issues facing the county. An introduction on the economic, environmental, and social status of the county was presented by Joe Taylor, vice president of the Eastland National Bank; Don Shepard, manager of the Cisco Cham-

ber of Commerce; and Mrs. Nannette Keith, social worker for the Texas Department of Human Services, respectively.

The group then divided into their respective task forces to identify critical issues. The task forces also classified each identified critical issue as an economic, environmental or social issue.

Identified as the 16 most critical issues facing Eastland County residents were:

ECONOMIC: Financial Planning and Money Management, Agricultural Profitability, Job Training and Education, Economic Development, Revitalization of Rural Communities, Marketing, Agricultural Diversification.

ENVIRONMENTAL: Water Quality and Conservation, Chemical and Waste Management, Lack of Weather Information.

SOCIAL: Strengthening Families, Nutrition and Health, Rural-Urban Relationship, Leadership Development, Positive Youth Behavior, Rural Crime Prevention.

The members of the agriculture and natural resources task forces were: Charles Walker, Franklin Cox, Mark Harris, Ronnie Ledbetter, Tract Hart, Leo Williams, Mary Webb, John Rodgers,

John Dyer, Bill Walton, John Gerhardt and Ronald Pope.

The members of the home economics task force were: Janice Williams, Marcia Hale, Peggy Roberts, Dr. Sandy Hazelip, Paula Collins, Celia Shackelford, Mary Montgomery, Eddie Gonzales and Anna Barnes.

The members of the youth task force were: Tommy Claborn, Ronnie Shackelford, Toni Hart, Shelly Bailey, Susan Crozier, Donald Hughes, Ken Diehm, Loys Allmand, Tammy Lyerla and Nannette Keith.

The members of the community development task force were: Baylis Pope, Don Hazelip, Joe Taylor, Dr. Charles Barnes, Brad Stephenson, Don Shepard, Benny Hagan, John Berry, Emma Watts and Peggy Hagan.

A description of the issue, background data on the issue, long-range objectives and accountability indicators were written up for each issue. A report was passed out to those attending the luncheon.

The most critical issues were identified by the Extension Program Council as impact programs for the County Extension Agents. Agricultural profitability is the critical issue which David Tunmire, County Extension Agent-Agriculture, will be focusing on. Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent, Home Economics, major

programs efforts will be in the critical issue of strengthening families. Major program efforts for Scott Hodges, County Extension Agent, Agriculture, will be in the critical issue, positive youth behavior.

A summary of the critical issues identified in the 1987-1990 Long-Range Extension Program was included in a report passed out at the luncheon. The report also included a calendar of programs scheduled by the Extension Program Council for 1991. Each program is based on the critical issues identified by Eastland County citizens in the 1991-1994 Long-Range Extension Program for Eastland County.

Many concerned people donated numerous hours of effort to identify these critical issues facing the citizens of Eastland County. Appreciation was expressed to all those who made the 1991-1994 Long-Range Extension Program for Eastland County. This report will assure that the programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Eastland County address the needs of the citizens of this county over the next four years.

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Service horticulturist, said that insects and drought are the major problems that limit quality, but disease and inferior varieties are also culprits. Often a small one-eighth-inch diameter hole appears in the shell of the pecan. These holes are caused by "red-heads," creamy white worms with red heads that are the larvae of the pecan weevil. The weevil larva eats the nutmeat, then bores an exit hole in the shell to escape to overwinter in the ground.

Pecan weevils can be one of the worst pest problems for pecan producers in this area. Many unsprayed trees have had heavy damage this year.

Pecan shucks that don't open or have trouble opening usually signal an infection of hickory shuckworms.

These small white worms are about three-eighths inches long; they tunnel into the shucks and cause extensive damage to the shuck tissue. This damage can cause the shuck to remain tightly closed, or to open partially if the damage is only at the base of the shuck.

Shuck damage results in poorly developed nutmeats. Properly timed insecticide sprays are essential for control, and infested shucks should be destroyed or plowed under to reduce the population or overwintering shuckworm larvae.

Shuckworms aren't the only cause of shuck damage. Stick-tight shucks gradually blacken as the nuts approach maturity in August and September. Affected shucks don't open, and the nuts are very difficult

to shake from the tree.

"Tree stress, both drought and heat, are associated with sticktight," Lipe said.

Insect damage also causes the kernel not to fully develop. Aphids sucking sap from pecan leaves during the summer and fall rob the pecans of nutrition. The black mold that grows on the "honeydew" secreted by the aphids blocks sunlight and thus photosynthesizes.

Vivipary, another problem limiting the quality of pecans, refers to nuts sprouting in the shuck. This is usually caused by drought stress as nuts develop in the fall. Certain varieties such as Burkett and Wichita have particularly bad sprouting problems.

Black spots or streaks on the nutmeats usually are associated with stink bugs and related sucking insects that feed on the nuts.

Insect feeding before the nutmeats gel caused the nuts to drop, but nuts fed on after the nuts reach the dough state (late August) remain on the tree and develop the black spots on the kernels.

These blackened spots sometimes have a bitter taste, but the recommended spray schedule for hickory shuckworm and pecan weevil will usually keep this problem at a minimum.

Moldy kernels, dark kernels and rancidity are problems that are caused by excess water. These problems can be easily cured by allowing the pecan to air dry in a well ventilated place for a couple of weeks.

Outreach Effort Looks For Older Women

Despite advances in the economic status of most retirees, older women, especially women over age 85, remain one of the most economically vulnerable groups in our society, Glyn Hammons, Social Security Manager in Abilene, said today. Social Security outreach effort will assist some of these older women.

Because of differences in life expectancies, 70 percent of Social Security beneficiaries age 85 and older are women. Their benefits are usually lower than men in the same age group because historically women have had lower paying jobs or have taken time out of the labor force to care for their families.

Additionally, many women at 65 have savings and other resources which are gone by 85, Hammons said. Their resources may be depleted by a husband's final illness or

the increased living expenses of living alone as a widow.

SSI provides an income floor for many older people with low Social Security benefits and reduced financial resources. Over 75 percent of the SSI recipients over age 85 are women, and advocacy groups believe many more older women may be eligible for SSI.

Social Security Commissioner Gwendolyn S. King has committed the Agency to an outreach effort to ensure that all individuals who are potentially eligible for SSI know about the program, know what the benefits of the program can mean to them, and have an opportunity to obtain benefits.

Information about SSI is available from Social Security, Hammons said. The Abilene office is located at 142 S. Pioneer. The toll free telephone number is 1-800-234-5772.

Three Area Students Listed In Edition Of National Dean's List

The total of three students from this area are among the 110,000 students included in the 13th Annual Edition of the National Dean's List just published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois.

Students are selected for this honor by their college deans or registrars and must be in the upper 10 percent of their class, on their school's Dean's List, or have earned a comparable honor. Listed students are eligible to compete for \$25,000 in scholarship awards

funded by the publisher and may also use a referral service for future employment opportunities. More than 2,500 colleges and universities nationwide use the publication to recognize their academically qualified students.

Local students selected include:

- Cisco: Deanna Parrigan, Cisco Junior College.
- Eastland: Chrystal Henley, Arlington Baptist College.
- Ranger: Kevin Love, Tarleton State University.

Bowling Report

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LADIES Nov. 7, 1990

Team Standings

1. J & W Kwik Stop 79.2%
2. Mitchell Electric 66.7%
3. LVI 60.4%
4. Beaty Travel Agency 49.7%
5. Freddy's Auto Parts 47.9%
6. RCG Leasing 45.5%
7. Thrift Mart 39.6%
8. First UMC - Cisco 37.5%
9. Breckenridge Affiliated 35.4%

Ind. Game

1. Glenna Clifton 188
2. Nickie Horton 187
3. Faye Boustead 184

Ind. Series

1. Nickie Horton 535
 2. Faye Boustead 529
 3. Glenna Clifton 522
- Team Game**
1. LVI 1038
 2. Beaty Travel 974
 3. Freddy's Auto 968
- Team Series**
1. LVI 2918
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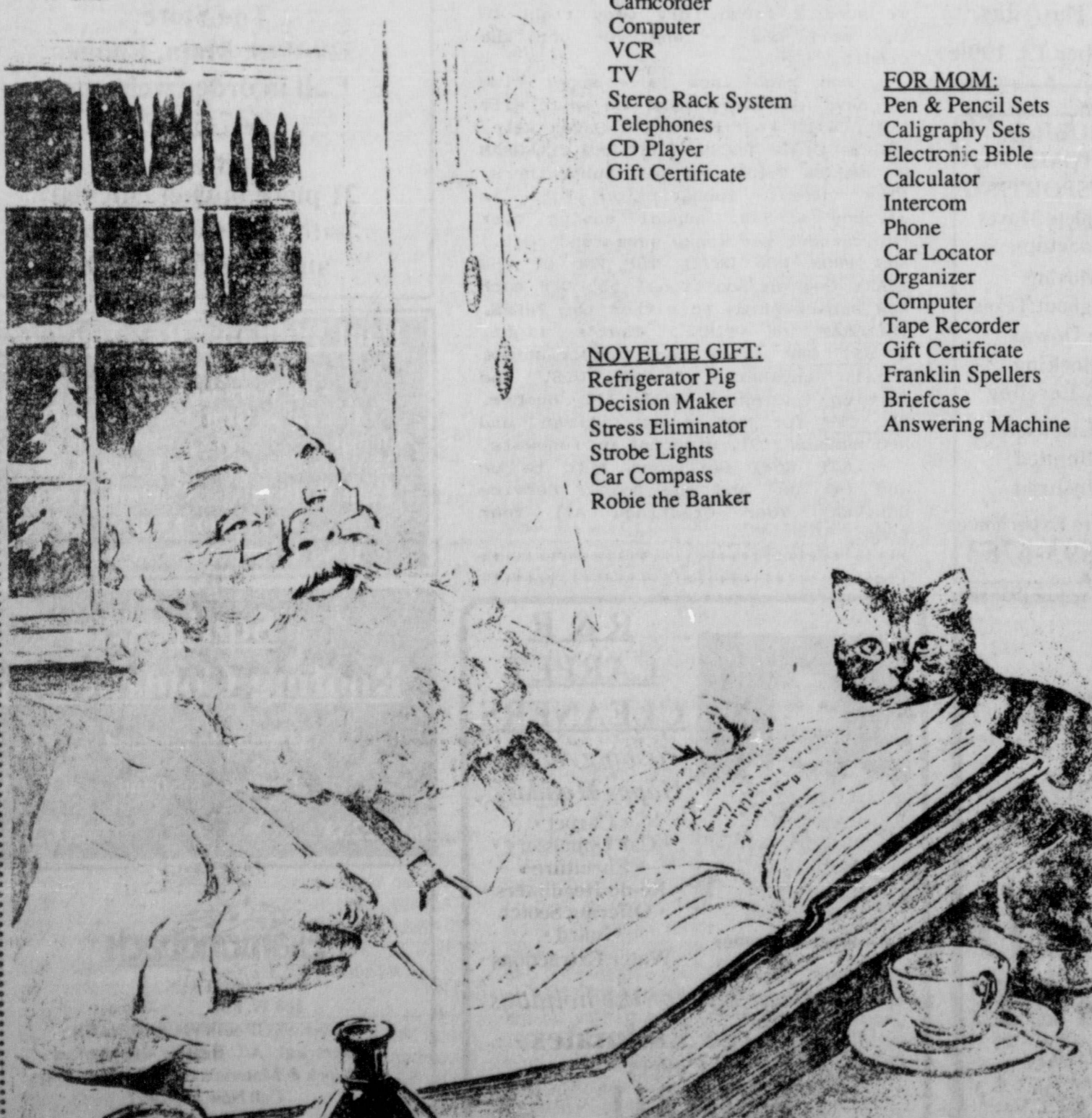
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The Mottermen, a singing group based in Breckenridge, brought good cheer to the Eastland Music Club's Christmas Program.

Music By The Mottermen Begins Holiday Season

Good food, good friends and good music made up the enjoyable combination of "Christmas With the Mottermen" at the Women's Clubhouse in Eastland Dec. 3.

The choral group was accompanied and directed by Harriet Motter, pianist of Breckenridge. Mrs. Motter is a member of the Eastland Music Study Club, sponsors of the event at the clubhouse. Around 65 people from Eastland, Cisco, Breckenridge and Ranger attended this special holiday performance.

The Mottermen consists of seven vocalists from Breckenridge: Robert Anderson, Allen Kimble, Virgil Moore III, Richard Shafer, Bruce Shepherd, Kevin Simmons

and Ward Veale, and one from Cisco: Wayne White. All are business and professional people, with music a big part of their lives.

Adding beauty to the performance was Nancy Frost, violin; Nettie Wilson, cello; a bell accompaniment by the Steven Zell, piano solos by Harriet Motter, and one piano duo combination with Carolyn Bolt.

The Mottermen is a well balanced chorus with clear, resonant voices. The program had a variety of numbers, ranging through religious, traditional, and folk songs. Spirituals were handled with reverence, and the French folk carols had distinctive modulations.

One of the program highlights was the number "Jesus, the Joy of Man's Desiring," by Bach. The combination of violin, cello and piano duet made by stunning background for the voices. This number was dedicated to the memory of Alice Frost.

Other special combinations included the violin, bells and voices on "When Christ Was Born of Mary." Equally beautiful was the violin and voices on "Fairer Lord Jesus."

After the performance Harriet Motter said that the Mottermen singing group began as recently as 1988 - as a kind of outgrowth of her piano studio in Breckenridge.

She was looking for music to add variety to her piano recitals, and asked some of the students: "Do any of you have fathers or brothers who can sing?"

The rest is history, with the Mottermen now performing at a number of functions in the area.

Program Leader for the Christmas Concert in Eastland was Mary Lou Frost. Hostesses were Virginia Russell, Beulah Beth Smith, Cletis Williamson, Millie Sayre, Frances Bishop, and Nettie Wilson.

The clubhouse was festive with holiday decorations, many in colors of red and gold. Large golden candlebra lit the room, and the head table was centered with glittering arrangement of wild plants festooned with red bows. Small tables were laid with red cloths and centered with gold foil and red candles.

A traditional Christmas dinner was catered by Braney and Evelyn Wheat of Cisco. This fine meal concluded the festivities.

Season's Greetings

Eastland Telegram - Ranger Times - Cisco Press
Thursday, December 13, 1990

Kokomo News

Zelda Jordan

It has been cold the last few days with the temperatures in the 20s and low 30s in the mornings. And the frost has turned the country-side into a pretty sparkling white sight. I sure hope that most of the peanut farmers are through with their crops. There was some light rain on Sunday.

The special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning was rendered by Leona Wilson, Helen and Woodrow Browning, Jimmy Little and J. L. Morrow with Glynda Bond at the piano.

Kelly Buchanan Calls From Saudi Arabia

I am happy to report that Kelly Buchanan was able to call his parents, Roy and Sylvia Buchanan and brother, Yancy from Saudi Arabia on Saturday. He and his group were taken from their place in the desert to the shore for a day of recreation. Among the things he enjoyed was a ride on a camel, and water skiing in the Persian Gulf. This was their first time out of the des-

ert since arriving there for "Operation Desert Shield." Kelly said that they had finally received tents to sleep in. They had just been sleeping on cots out under the stars. Kelly is in the U.S. Army, and is the grandson of Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

We certainly hope that this confrontation with Saddam Hussein can be settled peacefully and our military personal can be returned home soon. We want to say hello to Kelly and others from our area that are there, and let them know that we are praying for their safety.

The Roy Buchanans of Clyde visited with Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Sunday. Mrs. Hendricks attended the CJC basketball tournament in Cisco on Friday evening to see her grandson, Yancy Buchanan of Clyde play basketball. Yancy was high point scorer for that game, and was also the high point scorer for

the Clyde team in the game on Saturday night when the Clyde team placed second in the tournament, losing to Breckenridge in the finals. Our congratulations to Yancy and his teammates.

Liz Brinegar of Goldthwaite spent the weekend here with Jeff, Veronica and Kaci Seaton and attended Kaci's birthday party on Sunday. Veronica and Kaci took Liz home early on Monday morning and spent the day with Frank and Jean Brinegar and Larry for another celebration of Kaci's birthday with her grandparents. Kaci was two years old on Sunday, Dec. 2 and celebrated with a party at the home of her grandparents, Lester and Sue Seaton in Gorman on Sunday. "Happy Birthday" to Kaci.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow have been to Stephenville several times the past two weeks to visit with his sister, Mrs. Charles (Myrtle) Elston of Huckabay, who suffered a heart attack around Thanksgiving and has been in the Stephenville hospital where she received a pacemaker. She

is reported to be doing well, and expected to return to her home soon. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Glenn and Zelda Jordan visited with an aunt, Mrs. Dora Garrett on Sunday afternoon. Joe Fields and his daughter, Falyn of Bryan spent most of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lindell. Buster Johnson of Carbon spent Saturday with them.

Men In Service

Army National Guard Pvt. Jose L. Flores has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

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The private is a 1989 graduate of Gorman High School.

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Pharmacy Topics

By Bob Mueller

New complaint among frequently flying executives: neck and shoulder pain caused by luggage. Rehabilitation specialist in Royal Oak, Michigan, prescribes a luggage cart.

New periodontal treatment uses cosmetic surgery techniques. Instead of cutting away gum pockets, surgeon at Harvard University School of Dental Medicine scrapes the tooth root, then stitches the gum incision to heal back to normal.

Older patients who take tranquilizers may increase their risk of hip fractures -- depending on the type they take, say researchers at Vanderbilt University in Nashville. Drugs with a long "half-life" were associated with more fractures than shorter-acting drugs.

Fluoridation may cause a form of bone cancer -- if you drink the equivalent of 380 to 700 glasses of fluoridated water a day -- and if you're a rat. National Institutes of Health scientists still don't believe it could cause cancer in humans.

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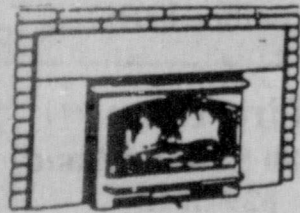
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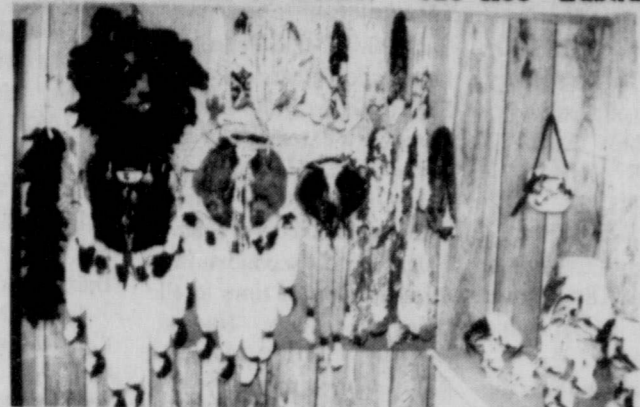
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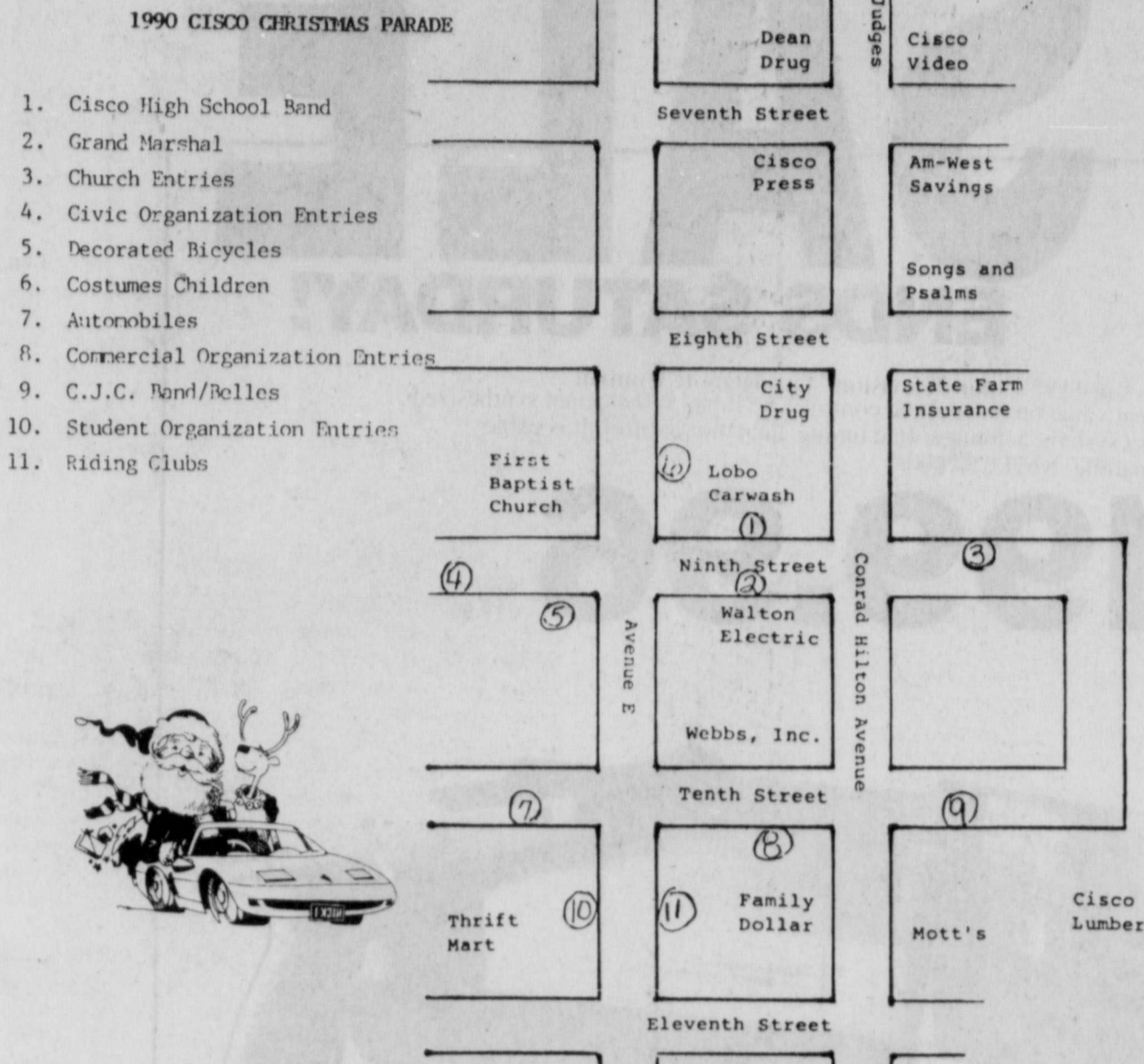
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The Rt. Rev. Robert Lee Pruitt, Presiding Prelate of the Tenth Episcopal District of A.M.E. Churches will be preaching and the dedication assisted by Presiding Elder I. C. Cooper of The Northwest District of which Smith Chapel is a member.

The Smith Chapel Church was organized July 14, 1920 by Rev. T. H. Smith, Walter Love, Sam Clements, Delcie and Hattie East, Ollie Gipson. Soon after organization of the

church, land was donated by Mr. C. L. Garrett and a parsonage was built, the parsonage has served as a resting place for many ministers, missionaries and strangers who needed a place to stay overnight.

In 1989 extensive remodeling was done by the faithful and dedicated members of the church, the work was done by the members themselves with the help of electrician, and plumber, they sacrificed and committed themselves to the task: Brother Ray Dunn and wife Mary did most of the carpentry work assisted Sis. Billie Washington, Queen

Esther, Daughtery Cynthia and Ray Dunn. Bro. Dan Washington assisted in helping restoring floors. Mrs. Ethel Hagler donated air conditioner and other equipment.

We invite and urge the Mayor, the Chamber of Commerce, Ministerial Alliance, churches and friends to

come and celebrate in this labor of love.

There will be a greeting to the bishop before the services between 2 and 3 p.m. The Bishop will be accompanied by Mrs. Mildred Lofton, Episcopal Supervisor, W.M.S., Presiding Elder and Mrs. I. C. Cooper.

Memorials

Gifts received by the Cisco Cemetery Association during the month of November are as follows:

In memory of Charlie Ben Cagle from Cisco Senior Citizens Center.

In memory of Bess and C.W. Henry from Mary M. Austin.

In memory of Mrs. R.H. Love and Miss Ruby Love from Jack L. Blanton.

In memory of Mrs. Gene (Stella) Childers from Tim and Suzanne Jones and Willie Wheatley.

In memory of Jack Shrader from Reba Autrey.

In memory of Hurshall Penn from Verlie Baird and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clary, Eva Humphreys, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCanlies, The

42 Club Members, J.T. and Dorothy Richardson, Mrs. W.K. Riddle, Amy Wagley, Nada Thogmorton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Anton White, AARP Cisco Chapter No. 2447, J.W. and Janet Hounshell, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Johnston, Roscoe and Geneva Laird, James F. and Lanell Bond, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville L. Robertson.

In memory of Peggy Gallagher from Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Hammatt and Mary Ellen Sanders Ellis.

In memory of Georgia McEachern from Jane O'Pry, The 42 Club Members, J.T. and Dorothy Richardson, Trixie Whatley, AARP Cisco Chapter No. 2447, and Mayme Estes.

In memory of C.E. "Bill" Reynolds from John A. and Katherine Deere.

In memory of Margaret Jane Jones from L.B. Carlile, J.L. and Nancy Lauderdale, and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Carroll.

In memory of Laura D. Gleason from Mr. and Mrs. Anton White.

In memory of Ola McCanlies Bacon from Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCanlies and Mr. and Mrs. John L. McCanlies.

Contributions to the Cisco Cemetery Association may be mailed to P.O. Box 308, Cisco, Texas 76437.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,

When one considers the devastating effort of a closed hospital upon a community, a 50 cents tax rate to maintain the hospital is not unreasonable. If a town's hospital is in jeopardy, the very survival of the town is in jeopardy. Yet there are those among us who place more value upon dollars and cents than on the welfare of their fellow man or the future of their hometown.

No reasonable person can deny the need for E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital. In the town of Cisco there are some 4500 residents. In the outlying districts south, west and north of Cisco, there are approximately that many more people. Residents over 65 years of age comprise the largest segment of these numbers, and they are the ones who have the greatest need for a local hospital. A sizeable portion of them have no one to care for them and no means of transportation. A number of them live in Canterbury Villa Nursing Home. Another group are still able to enjoy low-cost meals and other taxpayer supported gratuities at the Senior Citizen Center. And surprisingly, it is some of these latter ones, who have joined the opposition to the hospital. WHY??? when they are protected against financial hardship from paying the hospital tax by a \$12,000 deduction on the value of their property before any tax is levied. A homeowner whose residence is valued at \$12,000 or less pays no tax. Renters pay no direct tax.

On the brighter side, there are those seniors among us who sacrificed to build E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital and are now doing their part to subsidize the hospital until

it can be reopened.

The second largest segment of the population includes the hundreds of public school and college students of the area. They, too, have a pressing need for a local hospital. It is the parents of these school children who have chosen to stay and work in their hometown who will make the greatest sacrifice in paying the 50 cents hospital tax. Yet their support of the hospital is almost unanimous because they want their children to have the same security afforded them by having a hospital nearby when they were growing up here.

The residents of Cisco are just as worthy of adequate health care as are the residents of other areas. We are our brother's keeper, and those who are most able to pay the tax which will help to provide doctors and hospital for the town surely can not begrudge their contribution to a worthy cause upon which rests the very future of our community.

Together, we can reopen the hospital, bring in doctors, and restore E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital to its former status as a fine hospital which served a widespread area of North Central Texas. Divided we will see our town, its services, and its economy go into a downward slide from which it may never recover.

VOTE! VOTE AGAINST the tax rollback!

PEOPLE FOR PROGRESS
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Dear Editor,
"Louise,
"Snake is dead." Let a dead dog lie.

"Why don't you let be done now that you have gotten a little more exposure and get on for something positive for Cisco like helping to keep our hospital.

"Let us see you get KTXS and Ramona Nye here for you really get something good for Cisco."

I received the above letter 12-4-90. Would you please print my message from whomever it came. I believe they have a problem.

My heart says "forget it" — my pride says "go for it." Like a thief in the night the letter came and I opened it, thinking someone wanted me to have an extra copy of the picture taken at the memorial to honor our law enforcement officers and a police officer killed in the line of duty. It was not signed, so who tried to steal the proud feeling a few of us had to know we did something to be proud of. When people write and do not sign but send it thru the mail, they must be trying to hide but steal something. People that wear masks have to hide their identity do they won't be found out. That's dumb and stupid! You are supposed to be a "big shot" in Cisco?

You said let "dead dogs lie" — No way! We that care about our country, state, cities and yes Cisco will never give up until someone is caught! Do you condone crime and drugs? Have you or yours been involved in drugs and you are trying to put on a big front? Sounds like it! Snake was a great asset to our officers.

You see, we people that help fight crime and drugs know preventive medicine is better than the treatment. By keeping drugs out of the hands of criminals, we don't need Drug Rehab places. I'm proud to be a part of that group. Was the ring that you drew around

my head in the picture a warning? He's dead, what about me? In your mind am I next? Let's get in on friend!

I don't have to toot my horn or brag or boast about doing something positive for Cisco, I'm sure I don't have to honor that stupid remark by telling what I have done but the people that care know, so if you don't, why bother. About the hospital, that's your "nightmare" not mine! The voters have spoken!

I do want to thank you for the write up you sent. I have a friend in Washington DC who is a four star general that will be proud of me for doing what I do to make Cisco a better and safer place to live. You see he's the one that pinned the Medal of Honor on me for helping make a lot of lives better! Do you have the Medal? I'll be happy to show you my scrap book! Am sending the write up to him.

So if someone robs your home, car or you, don't call our police. You have no respect for them. Call some of your friends that pop the pills or snort it up their nose or shoots it in their arm! They will be glad to feel sorry for you! But when you go to bed you can bet your life our police are out there to protect all of us and yes, even you! Have a good night, and I do hope you will let me know who you are so I can send you some flowers. Roses smell better than thorns or thistles!

I'm proud to sign my name.
Louise Nelms



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