

COURTHOUSE RECORDS

- Oil & Gas Leases
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The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week: Glen Brashear to E. C. Johnston, rat. of oil and gas lease...



TAKING IT EASY—Actress Joan Blondell, her husband, producer Michael Todd, and their children relax at Miami Beach, Fla. Left to right are Michael Todd, Jr., 20; Norman Powell, 15; Ellen Powell, 11; Miss Blondell and Mr. Todd. The youngsters are offspring of former marriages.

Lone Star Awaits Outcome Of Lime Test In Dennison

Vandell Weather Becomes Fourth Cisco Youth To Be Eagle Scout

The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

ACCORDING TO some dope we were reading the other day, you are well qualified to be a gentleman and a scholar if you don't get boiling mad at people for the following ten reasons:



Vandell Weathers, 17-year-old high school senior, became the fourth Cisco youth to receive the coveted Eagle Scouting Award...

Johnston Moving In Heavier Tools In Lake Prospect

The outcome of a drill stem test in the Ellenburger lime formation was being awaited today by Lone Star Production Co. before determining their next step in the J. W. Dennison No. 1, wildcat oil test five miles southwest of Cisco.

The Ellenburger drill stem was expected to begin around noon today. The formation was topped at 3,932 feet Monday afternoon and some 74 feet of Ellenburger was drilled before tools began being arranged for the test.

The bottom — 4,006 feet — was still in the Ellenburger. It was understood that drilling would continue if no salt water showed in the test.

If water shows, officials indicated that extensive tests, including electrical log surveys, would be run to determine the best possibilities for completion efforts. If nothing better is indicated, Lone Star was expected to seek completion oil in the upper Caddo lime where gas and oil cut mud were encountered on an earlier drill stem test.

Operators were still in trouble today at the E. C. Johnston No. 1 Eppler, Lake Sand prospect two miles southeast of Cisco. Tools became wedged in the hole last week due to strong and unexpected gas pressure during completion work with a cable tool.

It was reported today that the cable tool equipment was being moved off to make way for heavier tools before continuing the work.

The well was regarded as a good Lake Sand prospect. It offsets a Hickok Producing Co. discovery well.

Funeral Services Held For Ranger Accident Victim

Funeral services were held today at 10 a. m. in the Ranger Church of Christ for Edwin George, 54, who died in a hospital at 11 a. m. Sunday of injuries received in an auto-train crash last Monday.

Mr. George never regained consciousness after suffering a basal skull fracture in the downtown collision of his car and an east bound T & P Railway Eagle in Ranger.

After service in World War I he moved to Ranger and took a position in the Farmers and Merchants Bank. In 1928 he was prominent in the organization of the Commercial State Bank and had been active as a director until the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, one son, one daughter, three brothers and three sisters. Mrs. A. Z. Myrick of Cisco is a sister-in-law.

Clyde Alsup Is Graduate Of Tech

Clyde J. Alsup, 1942 graduate of Cisco High School, recently was graduated from Texas Tech and is now employed as a teacher in a consolidated school near Lubbock, his mother, Mrs. J. E. Alsup, reported today.

After finishing high school, Clyde attended Cisco Junior College. He spent two years in the U. S. Marine Corps. Finishing the junior college work here, he went to Tech for two years to complete his work for a B. S. degree in math.

Mrs. Clyde Alsup was employed in Lubbock by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. while her husband finished his college studies. They were recent visitors here with his mother and family.

Midgets Win Consolation Prize In Moran Basketball Tourney

In a special called assembly at Cisco Junior High School Monday Coach Bill Sledge and his Midget basketball team presented the school with a trophy given them Saturday night as winner of the consolation bracket of the Moran tournament.

The play began Thursday night and the Midgets dropped the opening game to Scranton by a 13-12 score. Scranton went on to wind up in second place, losing to Albany by one point in the finals.

In their first consolation match the Midgets defeated Carbon 20 to 11 and beat Putnam in the finals, 30-11.

The trophy was the first ever won by a Junior High School basketball team. It is a 12 inch silver basketball atop a pedestal with an engraving showing the details of the presentation.

Making the trip to Moran were Bill Smith, Ray Stone, George Callerman, Freddie Hayes, Jimmy Reynolds, Coleman Alsup, Louie Meltor, Harold Hammett, Buddy Deen, Bobby Bonnie, Don Curtis, Tommy Reynolds, and C. W. Keller.

This weekend the Midgets will enter the Olds tourney and have drawn Carbon in the opening contest Thursday night. The local First Baptist R. A. team has also entered and will play Desdemona in their opener Thursday night. Rising Star and Scranton have also entered the tournament.

Plans to hold a grade school tournament in the local gym are being discussed and will be announced later, according to Roy Killingsworth, junior high school principal.

NEW AUTO BANK LOAN RATE \$4 Per \$100 Per Year 1ST NAT'L in Cisco—Mbr. F. D. I. C.

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Wranglers Ready For Decatur Tilt At Gym Tonight

An opportunity to conclude the basketball season in a tie will be afforded the Cisco Junior College Wranglers at 7:45 p. m. today when they met Decatur Baptist College at the Community Gym. The game was moved here from Decatur by agreement.

If the Wranglers can beat Decatur, they will finish the season in a tie with Ranger. In the event of a tie, a three-game series between the Wranglers and Ranger probably will be played.

The Wranglers defeated Decatur by a large score early in the season. The Baptists, however, have shown considerable improvement, defeating the strong Ranger team last week.

A large crowd is expected at the gym tonight.

First 1950 License Plates Sold Here

A. C. Lane of Cisco became this city's first purchaser of 1950 automobile license plates as the new tags went on sale today at the Chamber of Commerce. He bought License No. 5300 for a 1950 model Willys Station Wagon.

Tax Assessor-Collector Neil Day placed 1,000 sets of tags on sale at the Chamber of Commerce. The new tags must be on all cars by April 1.

Lobo Queens And Band To Play In Scranton Benefit Tonight

Members of the Cisco Lobo Band and the Queens A and B basketball teams will play in Scranton tonight on a special program in the Scranton gymnasium.

The Cisco girls will meet the Scranton teams in both A and B games.

The band will present a musical program during the half. The Cisco group is repaying a visit

4-H Club Meets To Name Officers

The newly organized Cisco chapter of 4-H Clubs met last week in their first regular meeting since the club was formed recently and elected officers to serve for a one year period.

Sonny McCrea was named president and James Ray Thurman was elected vice-president. Leon McCrary was made secretary and Gerald Tucker was elected reporter. C. L. Thetford was chosen as song leader.

The group plans to hold regular monthly meetings and at the next meeting work plans for the year will be discussed.

EASTLAND IS AMONG 23 TEXAS COUNTIES IN NATIONAL SURVEY

Eastland County is among 23 counties in Texas which are to be included in a national survey being made by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. This is the first nationwide survey of farm housing under the act of 1949. The work will begin in Eastland County on Monday, Feb. 20. Mrs. John Love of Ranger has been selected to interview farmers in the areas to be visited in Eastland County.

The survey will provide a record of farm construction and will also show the housing quality and facilities as related to the farm family income. Reports will be obtained from about nine thousand farms throughout the U. S. Such information will be treated confidentially and used

Civil Service Will Conduct Job Exams

The Civil Service Commission has announced examinations for filling vacancies in the positions of engineer at entrance salaries ranging from \$4,600 to \$6,400 per annum, library assistant at entrance salaries ranging from \$2,450 to \$3,100 per annum, and librarian at \$3,100 per annum.

Employment will be with various federal agencies in the state of Texas. Application forms and additional information may be obtained from the Cisco post office.

only in combination with that from other farms to obtain state and national totals. The final results will be used by government agencies, state colleges, and agricultural groups interested in improving farm housing and farm service buildings.

The survey will secure information on the number of farm houses built during 1949 and will provide a basis for determining the amount of expenditures on houses and service buildings for new construction, major improvements and repairs. At the present time no information is available on the number and cost of farm houses and farm service buildings built each year.

The Housing Act of 1949 passed by the 81st Congress established a program of technical services, financial aids, and research for farm construction activity. It also directed that the Dept. of Agriculture report on the housing situation and progress being made toward meeting the farm housing needs. The survey that begins on Monday will provide some of the information requested by the Congress.

New Coffee Shop Opened Monday

Downie's Coffee Shop opened for business for the first time Monday and served more than 500 cups of coffee. The new restaurant is located in the Daniels Hotel Building on 8th Street.

The coffee shop has new fixtures throughout and has accommodations to seat 41 persons. Their specialty will be home-cooked foods.

Operators are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hebert and Mr. and Mrs. George Downie. The Heberts came here several months ago from St. Paul, Minn., where he formerly was food controller for a large hotel. They have had 15 years experience in the restaurant business.

The new cafe operators recently sold the steak house back of Norvell and Miller Grocery on 10th Street.

Wesley Methodists Surprise Olden In Junior League

In the Junior League basketball tournament at the Community gym Saturday morning, one major upset surprised league sponsors and players when in a fast game the Wesley Methodist of Cisco defeated the Olden Baptist team by a score of 31 to 12. The Olden group is very strong and was doped to win by a large score.

Playing for Olden were: Hilliard, Coburn, Norton, Fox, Hall, Rodgers, and Everett.

The Wesley Methodist group consisted of Redwine, Miller, Tulljes, McMurry, Jackson, and Edwards.

The Cisco First Baptist defeated the Lutheran five by a score of 42 to 8. Playing for the first Baptists were: Hammett, Hayes, Smith, Strickland, Emsley, Curtis, Houston, Strickland, Adams, Cheves, Ewell, Moorehouse, and Kring. Playing for the Lutherans were: J. Weiser, J. Newman, R. Dunning, S. Lanham, J. Lanham, W. Fricke, and Stephens.

The First Christians defeated the East Cisco Baptist team by a score of 36 to 18. For the East Baptist team: J. Reynolds, Rumsey, H. Hamilton, Farmer, Gryder, and Gilmore. Hamilton was high point man with 10. The Christians team was composed of: Brogden, Pippet, Reynolds, (high point man with 14), Lisenbee, Branton, Strong, Choates, Alsup, Fletcher, Watts, and Shockley.

The Scranton Methodist defeated the Cisco First Methodists by a score of 42 to 8. For the Cisco group Deen was high man with four. Other team members were Anderson, Davis, McCanlies, Cluck and King. For the Scranton team: Starr and Statton tied for high point, each having 18. Other members were Reese, Harris, McCorkle, Speegle, Johnson, Rice and J. Speegle.

MUSIC CLUB TO MEET

The Cisco Music Club will meet at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday in the club house, it was announced by Mrs. C. E. Paul. Every member was requested to attend.

27 Churches Represented At Rally Here

Membership rolls of Baptist Churches in the Southern Convention are waterlogged with names of people who never go to nor support their churches, Lawson H. Cook, of Nashville, Tenn., told a District 17 Brotherhood rally here Monday night.

Speaking at the First Baptist Church, Mr. Cook, who is Brotherhood secretary for the Southern Convention, urged churches to "clean out your rolls; dignify church membership; make it mean something."

He told the group that the Brotherhood movement now embraces 142,000 members in 4,133 Southern Baptist churches, representing a 20% increase during the past year. Cook outlined plans for the

forthcoming simultaneous revival planned by all churches of the convention west of the Mississippi River. He described this as "the greatest religious endeavor in the history of the church."

Cook was introduced by L. H. Tapscoff of Dallas, state secretary of Baptist Brotherhood organizations. Mr. Tapscoff offered suggestions for improving brotherhood bodies.

An entertainment feature was a men's quartet from Hardin-Simmons University. Other talks were made by Rev. H. D. Blair, association missionary, Rev. J. O.

Connell, of Denton, Callahan County, J. H. Little, missionary, and D. C. Hamm, Ranger. Rev. Otis Strickland, Cisco pastor, gave a short welcome address. Shobal Houston of Cisco presided over the meeting, and L. G. Ball of Cisco directed serving of the group.

Guests were registered from Denton Valley, Leuders, Bowen, Caddo, Dallas, Cross Plains, Rising Star, Clyde, Abilene, Ranger, Moran, Gorman, Admiral, Pleasant Hill, Breckenridge, Carbon, Houston, Albany, Eastland, Sabanno, Cisco, Cottonwood, Calvert, Baird, and Putnam.

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TAX THE TAX-EXEMPTS --

Virtually everyone in Washington who has anything to do with the tax policies of the Government -- even the Administration, itself -- has publicly stated that if business-depressing wartime taxes are repealed or substantially reduced, the revenue must be replaced with new income. Considering the present condition of the Federal Treasury, burdened with a staggering deficit, that is a reasonable attitude.

What is completely unreasonable, however, is the fact that so far the Congress has not taken action to obtain that new revenue from a very obvious and plausible source, namely: presently tax-exempt commercial business en-

produce more than \$1 billion in new revenue, more than enough to grant excise tax relief. Action to require all commercial business corporations to pay Federal income taxes is overdue and the situation with regard to repeal of excises merely highlights what is, and has been, a bad condition for a long, long time.

Income tax exemptions to such business enterprises as cooperatives, foundations, trusts and educational institutes engaged in profit-making operations are an anachronism today. They grew up when not very much Federal income tax on not very many individuals and corporations produced more than enough revenue to support the Government. At that time an exemption of a corporation or an individual was thought of as the reasonable generosity and free-handedness of a Congress with ample resources.

But today the Government must exploit just about every tax source it can find in order to balance its heavy expenditures. Consequently it has become very clear that the exemption of any corporation or individual means heavier taxes on everyone else.

The tax environment has completely changed in the last 35 years, but the exemptions have not.

It is high time that Congress took a realistic look and eliminated these out-dated exemptions, using the additional revenue to bring about what everybody



FLASHBACK--Reminiscent of the gay nineties, this undergarment is done in nylon lace over satin, with elastic sides. The strapless garment is boned from bosom to hip and fitted with stocking supporters.

wants and needs -- the repeal or reduction of the wartime excise taxes on everyday needs and minor luxuries.

LETTERS

Editor: I read Mr. Watson's letter and also the Editor's note. I agree with Mr. Watson that the Union people have their rights and deserve respect, and I, for one, will gladly do almost anything to help them attain those rights--anything, except, as you said, this "if you don't see it my way I won't let you look" attitude or dictatorial methods. I think dictatorial methods by either Labor or Management is dangerous to our "American Way of Life."

Anything that might jeopardize our "American Way of Life" should make all of us stop and think. There is always a Stalin or a little Hitler waiting for a chance to seize or take advantage of that dictatorial power to his own selfish profit. I believe when Management and Labor both get away from that "self interest, me, myself" attitude and meet on a common ground of "what is best for all of us" attitude, and get away from that leadership of political domination, for it is not possible that the mediator might also be the instigator.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express thanks to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful during the eleven months of illness and passing of our loved one Mrs. Nannie Prickett. We especially want to thank the friends who furnished dinner Sunday and for the lovely floral offering. May God's richest blessing rest upon you everyone, is our prayer and we want to feel assured we will never forget you all. The Prickett Family

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- FOR SALE - Four door 1936 Plymouth sedan, good condition. cheap. Phone 1022-J. 1501 Avenue N. 61
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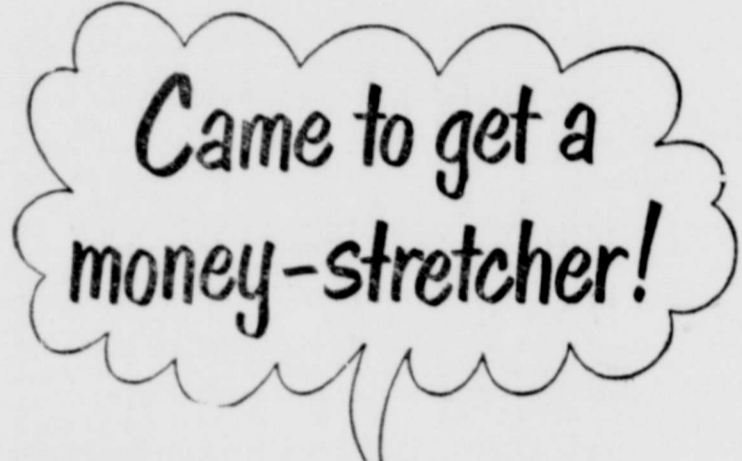
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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Women Of Country Hold Luncheon Of The Month Feb. 8

The monthly luncheon, sponsored by the women of the Cisco Country Club, was held last Wednesday, February 8. Thirty members were present and in the games which followed the luncheon, Mrs. Miller was winner in the bridge tournament and Mrs. Alan Withee won in the games of canasta.

The hostess committee included Mrs. James Carl Lamb, chairman; Bill Mitcham, Norman Huskins, Alex Spears, Zan Burroughs, J. A. Brown, C. H. Fee, Sterling Wright and Miss Helen Crawford.

The room was made very attractive with decorations honoring the birthday of George Washington. A rural scene depicting American life was observed with a log cabin in the background and a cherry tree, ruined by an ax; other trees of various fruit and nuts were seen in the

landscape which was enclosed by a rustic rail fence. The tables where members were seated while eating were centered with a cedar log, holding two candles; beside the log were a miniature cherry tree and a hatchet. An Italian meal with hot biscuit, coffee or tea was served which was much enjoyed by all partaking, and an appropriate dessert of cherry pie gave completeness to the well planned menu. After the meal, the games were played during the early hours of the afternoon.

Mrs. S. E. Simmons Hostess To J. O. Y. S. S. Class Thursday

The J. O. Y. class of First Baptist Sunday school met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. S. E. Simmons for the business and social meeting of the month. Mrs. T. E. Lisenbee, class president, was in charge and called the meeting to order for prayer by Mrs. W. W. Sawyers.

The business meeting was next held and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved; and the treasurer's report was given by Mrs. R. A. Turknett. Mrs. C. E. Reynolds reported that flowers had been sent to two sick members and that cards had been sent to others who are ill. A special prayer was offered for

Mrs. J. R. Burnett, the class teacher.

A nominating committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Harry Schaefer, Mrs. R. D. Guthrie and Mrs. C. E. Reynolds. The March meeting will be held on March 2nd in the home of Mrs. Bethel Gallagher at 7:30 p. m.

During the social period four members, Mesdames Bethel Gallagher, C. E. Reynolds, S. E. Simmons and Eldon Bint, whose birthdays are in February, were honored by the class. The "Four" were encircled and the "Happy Birthday" song was sung and a gift from the class was presented to each.

Delicious refreshments, with appointments emphasizing the valentine motif, and a plate favor of a dainty red and white corsage, were then passed by the hostess.

Members present were: Mesdames R. A. Turknett, T. E. Lisenbee, S. E. Simmons, W. W. Sawyers, C. E. Reynolds, Bethel Gallagher,

R. D. Guthrie and E. H. Cheves.

East Cisco Society At Church Monday

Women's Missionary Society of East Cisco Baptist church met Monday afternoon in the Educational building for the regular meeting with Mrs. H. H. Harrelson in charge. The meeting was opened with prayer by the president after which a short business session was held.

The program at which question "How Christian is America?" was discussed, was next presented. Mrs. Marshall Ivie brought the devotion and program parts were given by Mrs. J. D. Hall, Mrs. J. O. Warren, Mrs. C. R. Hightower, Mrs. J. J. Livingston, Mrs. Elmo Hodnett, and Mrs. Harrelson. Prayer by Mrs. Warren dismissed the meeting.

Those present were: Mesdames R. O. Fenley, Elmo Hodnett, H. H. Harrelson, Marshall Ivie,

J. E. Smith, A. W. White, B. F. Thomas, J. J. Livingston, C. R. Hightower, J. O. Warren, J. D. Hall and J. E. Shirley.

Announcement Made Of Recent Marriage

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Nelle Louise Frost, daughter of S. M. Frost of Eastland, to Mr. Griffin Ward Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hart of near Cisco, which took place January 28, 1950, at 7:50 p. m. at the Methodist parsonage at Gainesville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Siagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart are making their home in Breckenridge, where he is employed.

REMEMBER WHEN

Taken from the Files of The Daily Press

FIVE YEARS AGO —

In the bouts held last night at the high school gym, Bob Cleveland, 65 pounds outpointed Buddy Seaborne, 65, in the first fight. Then Roger Henson, 107, got the

best of Billy Tabor, 110. The next fight between Don Johnson and Jacky Milner was stopped in the first round because Jacky got a particle of dust in his eye.

The feature bout was between Fred Neuhaus, 147, and Wayne Hayes, 148.

Miss Louise Cameron, daughter of Mrs. Ethel Cameron, and Stanley Honea, son of Mrs. Lora Honea, were married Monday evening at 6:30 in the home of the

groom. Rev. G. S. Westbrook conducted services.

Socks being knitted for the Red Cross by local volunteers must be turned in at once, says Mrs. Simon Coplin in charge of the work in Cisco.

Scientific tests have shown an adult male gorilla to be 10 times as strong as a trained athlete.

UT OPINIONS

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32" hvy.	20 Rod	6"	12 1/2"	13.25
35"	20 Rod	12"	14 1/2"	8.50
39" hvy.	20 Rod	12"	12 1/2"	11.50

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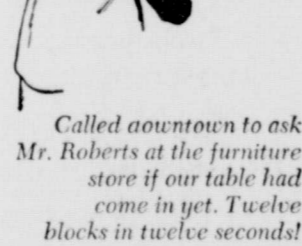
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Mrs. Berta Carmichael spent Sunday near Pueblo where she visited in the home of her long time friends, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Yeager.

Mrs. B. F. Thomas, Mrs. A. W. White, Mrs. R. E. McCord, Mrs. H. H. Harrelson, and Mrs. Elmo Hodnett were among Ciscoans going to Moran today for the Workers' Conference of Cisco Baptist Association.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cook visited in Abilene the latter part of the week with their daughter, Mrs. Charles White, who had been a hospital patient for several days, having undergone surgery. Mrs. White is reported as much improved.

Mrs. John Foy has returned from Abilene where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Maxwell, and family, the past week.

Mrs. Jack Higgins and baby daughter, Judy Starr Higgins, returned to their home in Fort Worth Monday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Starr.

Mrs. G. E. Berry is spending the week with her daughters, Mrs. Lee Allison of Sonora and Mrs. Horace Lintchicum of El-dorado, and their families.

Mrs. J. H. Latson, Sr., has returned from Fort Worth where she was the weekend guest of her brother, M. M. Scott, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Duda of Hillsdale, N. J., have announced the birth of a daughter, Wynema Jane, weighing 5 lb., who was born in a hospital of

that city on Feb. 12. The baby is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond of near Cisco. She was born on the birthday of her grandfather, W. G. Moon of Gra-ford.

Visiting in the home of Miss Fannie Stevens over the week end were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hock of Lorraine; and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hock of the Spade Ranch, near Colorado City.

Mrs. Mabel Kuykendall is spending the week in Dallas with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cur-rens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hogue have returned from Houston where he was called by business. He was accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Hogue who visited with friends.

The Word Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth at 408 Front Street.

Rev. Otis Strickland, Rev. C. W. Jones, Rev. Paul Stephens, and Rev. H. D. Blair, members of Cisco Baptist Association, were in Moran today attending the Workers' Conference of the asso-ciation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yardley and children, Linda, Charles, and Janey were visiting at Hamilton Sunday where they were guests



KIDS' PARADISE—Gathering around this candy vendor on the Piazza Navona, in Rome, Italy, are Roman children who flocked to the Square before Epiphany. Toys were also displayed to make the Square a children's paradise for a few weeks.

of Mr. Yardley's uncle and family.

Messrs. James Shelton of Abilene and A. F. Ashenhurst of Cisco spent Sunday afternoon at Eastland where they held a religious service in the jail.

Mr. and Mrs. Role Rosen, Mr.

and Mrs. U. E. Brown of Brady, and Mrs. Leo Clinton of Cisco visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. W. Brown at 504 W. 7th Street.

Mrs. A. F. Ashenhurst, Mrs. L. Keelan, and Mrs. C. P. Cole were among the group going today to Moran to attend the Workers' Conference of Cisco Baptist Association.

Mrs. W. F. Walker, Miss Willie Frank Walker, and Mrs. Charles W. Jones spent today at Moran where they attended the Workers' Conference of the Cisco Baptist Association.

County Court House

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Catheryn Lyman, divorce.

Orders and Judgments

T. M. Burleson vs Ina Mae Burleson, judgment.

N. T. Mulloy vs Petroleum Producers Assn., F. A. Cook, sole trustee, et al., judgment.

J. G. Hill vs E. E. Hill, judgment.

National Life & Accident Ins. Co. vs Jack Collins, et al., order dismissing appeal.

Jessie Mae Lambert Midkiff vs Vance Lamar Lambert, motion in contempt of court and Court's order setting hearing.

Livestock Show Is Scheduled At Ranger March 17

The Ranger Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the third annual Tri-County Livestock Show for both junior and adult exhibitors of Eastland, Stephens, and Palo Pinto Counties in Ranger on March 17 and 18.

More than \$500 in prize money will be given class winners in the junior divisions. Adults will compete for ribbons only.

Classes include beef steers, dairy cattle, fat barrows, breeding hogs, fat lambs, breeding sheep, angora goats, chickens, and a horse show. The horse show will have classes of quarter horses and palominos.

B. S. Dudley, Jr., Ranger vocational agriculture teacher, will be the general show superintendent, and Ranger FFA Chapter members will act as superintendents of the various show divisions.

Judges will be A. I. Edwards of Burkett, beef cattle and swine; Charles Bell of Brownwood, dairy cattle; Grady Richardson of Talpa, sheep and goats; and Jim W. Wilkerson of Breckenridge, poultry.

P-TA TO MEET

The West Ward P-TA will hold its regular monthly meeting at the school building at 3:45 p. m. Wednesday and all members were urged to attend. Membership cards will be delivered at the meeting and other important business will be brought before the group.

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County Judge: C. S. ELDRIDGE ("If at first you don't succeed, try, try, again.") LEWIS CROSSLEY (Re-election)
County Treasurer: H. A. (Hiram) McCANLIES JOE COLLINS (re-election)
County Commissioner: ARCH BINT J. E. (Ed) McCANLIES JOHN S. HART
Eastland County Sheriff: J. B. WILLIAMS (re-elected) JOHN C. BARBER
County Attorney: ELZO BEEN (for elective term)
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