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Cisco Service Club Holds Regular Monthly Meeting

The Cisco Service Club met Thursday, May 28, in the Community Room of the First National Bank for its regular monthly meeting.

Hostesses were Jan Turner, Diane Yowell and Butch Zellman. Other members present were Terri Childress, Linda Cozart, Sherry Kimbrough, Christine Langford, Sandy Langford, Barbara Parker, Jessie Pippen, Hattie Weathers, Debbie Whitley, Gina Winnett, Velda Witzsche and Sandra Woolley.

Debbie Whitley, president, presented roses to last year's officers. A silk flower arrangement was presented to Debbie Whitley, outgoing president. Other outgoing officers were Carla Arnold, first vice president; Joy Worley, second vice president; Velda Witzsche, secretary and Charlotte Speegle, treasurer.

Awards for perfect attendance were presented to Lin-

da Cozart, Barbara Tollett, Hattie Weathers, Debbie Whitley and Velda Witzsche.

Announcement of the Outstanding Club member of the past year was made during the evening of the Centennial play on May 21st. Sandra Woolley was the recipient of this special award and was presented a plaque. Sandra was truly deserving of the award for her many hours of hard work and planning as chairman of the Centennial Quilt project.

The next meeting will be on June 25 and the hostesses will be Terri Childress, Sandy Langford and Barbara Parker.

Teenage Girls

Softball Tourney

To Be This Week

The Cisco Softball Association will host the Teenage Girls Fast Pitch Softball Tournament June 18, 19 and 20, at the Whitley Field. There will be four games scheduled Thursday and Friday night beginning at 6 p.m. Saturday will involve games all day starting at 8 a.m.

The Association will have the concession stand open during the games with a special menu for Saturday, consisting of Fried Chicken plate at \$2.75. Homemade cakes will be raffled during all three days of games.

There will also be a one day tournament for 10-13 year old girls fast pitch team on June 27.

Public Library

To Show Films

Thursday At 3

A film will be shown Thursday, June 18, at the Cisco Public Library from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. for children ages 3-10. Mrs. Nanette Maxwell has been showing the films. The film showing is under the direction of Mrs. J.J. Porter, librarian.

The showing last Thursday was well attended with 81 kids. Mrs. Gertrude Besselaar, director, took 34 children from the Day Care Center to the showing.

Mangum Baptist

Church To Have

VBS June 22-26

Mangum Baptist Church will be having Vacation Bible School during the week of June 22nd thru 26th. VBS will be for children from the ages of three to teenagers. Everyone is cordially welcome to attend. The school will begin each day at 9:00 a.m. and will be over at 11:30 a.m. On Wednesday night, June 24th, the school will observe Family Night. Homemade ice cream and cake and cookies will be served. That special event will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Bridal Shower

A bridal shower was given June 4, 1981, in Clyde for Cindy Dodson, bride-elect of Gary Walker. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dodson of Clyde. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Seabourn of Cisco.

Hostesses were Deborah Dodson, Cathy Clement, Linda Foster, Kathy Mikeska, Mary Ledbetter and Terri Dodson.

Relatives and friends attending were Ozella Ross, Ruby Flanary, Freda Hill, Mrs. Bobby Ross, Joyce Hendricks, Becky, Peggy and Melani Bland, Debra and Terri Ledbetter, Madilene Graves, Katherine McCarty, Ann Dodson, I'ola O'Dell, Adele Seabourn, Andrea Seabourn, Misty Seabourn, Joan Dodson, Tammy Bentley, Marty Dezern, Sandy O'Dell, Gayl McCarthy, Mary Ledbetter, Marie Dodson, Carla Colfer, Carla Ross, Sandy Agnew, and Stella Pekarz.

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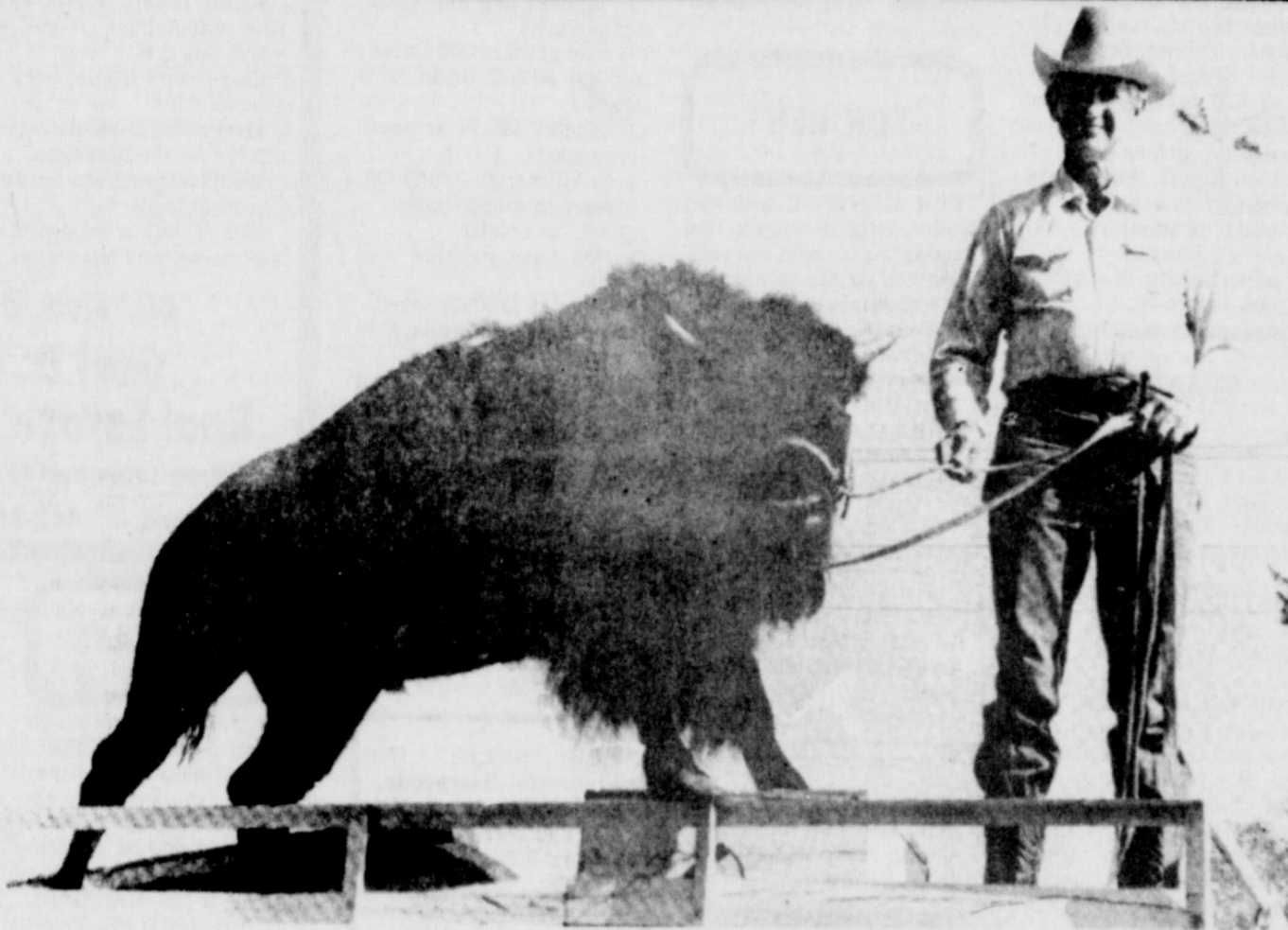
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1981 Ranger Jaycee

Rodeo Set For July

It's almost here time for the 1981 Ranger Jaycee Rodeo! July 9, 10 and 11 are dates everyone can hardly wait to arrive. The Ranger Jaycees have opened the Ranger Rodeo Queen Contest and are accepting entries from now until July 7. The Contest is open to all women, single or married, between the ages of 14 and 25 who reside in a 25 mile radius of Ranger. An entry fee of \$5.00 is paid by the contestant's sponsor, who also must reside within a 25 mile radius of Ranger.

Contestants are expected to ride in all three performances of the Rodeo and in the Parade on Thursday, July 9. They are judged on Horsemanship, Personality plus Appearance and Attire.

Chairman for the Queen Contest is Mrs. Polly Alexander who has successfully developed the contest into one which promotes friend-

ship and mutual understanding among its contestants. She gives special attention to each entry and puts her whole heart into running this very popular Queen Contest. Jaycee Ronnie Guess will be aiding Polly with the contest this year and they both are anticipating an outstanding and exciting Rodeo Queen Contest.

Any eligible person desiring to enter the contest should contact Mrs. Polly Alexander after 5 p.m. at 647-3493 or write 806 Cherry Street, Ranger, Texas 76470. Ronnie Guess can be reached at 647-1515 before 5. They will both be happy to assist interested persons in becoming a part of the famed Ranger Jaycee Rodeo Queen Contest.

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CISCO SOFTBALL SCHEDULE 1981

First Game 6:00 p.m. Second Game 7:30 p.m.

June 18-Little Builders vs Oil Riggers
Panthers vs Bar-B-Cuties
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Rebels vs Broncos
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Broncos vs Bar-B-Cuties
June 25-Little Diggers vs Little Builders
Rebels vs Panthers

July 1 and 2 open for make-up games
City Championship July 3

Scores of games that have been completed will be posted in the paper next week.

Keep in mind that Whitley Softball Field also schedules adult games at night under the supervision of Skeeter Stewart, 442-3215.

Let's all go out to the ol' ball park for rest, relaxation, fresh air and a hot dog!

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Dash Crofts Jams in Cisco

By WILLIAM WHITAKER
Entertainments Editor

Dash Crofts, the local half of the internationally known Seals and Crofts duo, took part in a jam session last weekend in Cisco, but attendance was limited, and very few in town knew about it.

In fact, Crofts, though besieged by fans in large cities throughout the United States, never seems to attract much attention in town. He's just part of kin, in a way, said his father, Sutton.

A longtime resident of Cisco, Sutton Crofts saw his two sons Dash, 42, and Bob, return home last weekend for a family reunion on the occasion of Bob's 48th birthday.

Like Dash, Bob lives in the Los Angeles area, but because they are parted by 50 miles, they don't see each other too often. Bob, retired from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, now works for the state of California.

Mary Crofts, Sutton's wife, was there, as were the two Crofts daughters, Dorothy (Dot) Mittel of Arlington and Carolyn Webster of Fort Worth.

"They had a big jam session with the grandsons," said Sutton later, recalling the visit, "but it was just a family affair." He said Dash's appearance doesn't cause too much of a stir in town.

"Not really - not in Cisco, anyway," said the 74-year-old Sutton. "That's one reason he likes to come down here. They know who he is, and they leave him alone."

Much of the rest of the world knows Dash Crofts also, but, as his parents discovered when they attended a Seals and Crofts concert in Boston, the fans elsewhere can become somewhat suffocating.

"After that thing was over, there were 500 kids out there trying to get autographs," Sutton recalled. He said his son remained behind an hour, just trying to get to them all.

Seals and Crofts, of course, were quite popular in the 1970s, but from what Crofts tells his father, the entertainment duo has seen its heyday and is now content to enjoy life a little more.

"They've kind of had their end of the thing already," said father Crofts of Seals and Crofts' place in the music business. "and they're ready to take it easy and be with their families."

Dash Crofts has indicated he may do a little more recording, since that is their "main thing," the elder Crofts said. "But they're sort of coasting along."

Crofts and Jimmy Seals no longer live close to each other. Crofts continues to live in the Los Angeles area, but Seals lives in Costa Rica on a "coffee farm," said Sutton Crofts.

Geographic distances don't keep the two from communicating frequently, though, and the elder Crofts shudders to think what the phone bills are.

Crofts himself maintains a home in Mexico but has been reluctant to move there because of the problems the Mexican government has given him on everything from furniture to banking.

Seems the Mexican government wants to put a 100 percent duty on all the furniture Crofts wants to move down there. The government also wants him to put a considerable sum of money in its banks.

Sutton Crofts remains one of his son's biggest fans. Recalling his son's youth, he says, "When he was growing up, he

was in one band and then another. He was at the keyboard when he was 3."

Dash was about 18 and playing in Abilene when he attracted the attention of a Los Angeles-based group, The Champs, which had just lost a guitarist and a drummer.

The group persuaded Crofts to join them for the rest of their tour. He and Seals, from Iraan, Texas, played with the band several more years until they wound up the only ones left.

The two attracted many new listeners with their unusual harmonies woven in an almost oriental fashion, supplementing a curious blend of jazz, rock, country, blues and classical modes.

Hit songs have included "Summer Breeze," "Hummingbird," "Diamond Girl" and "I'll Play For You," the latter a song dedicated to the Seals and Crofts audiences.

As Seals and Crofts, they've seen a very successful career, but now all that is winding down, and more concern is centered on Dash's children - a son, Faizi, 5, and daughter, Lua, 8.

The children were named for figures from Dash Crofts' Baha'i religion. "They (Dash and his wife Billie) talk about it considerably, but I'm a diehard Methodist."

"I guess it's all right, but not for me." Happily, success doesn't seem to have spoiled Dash Crofts, even though he could afford to be "heady" since Seals and Crofts recordings have earned nine gold and five platinum records.

"He's the same old Dash he always was," said the elder Crofts, recalling his "mischievous" but shy son. "We're pretty proud of that. It hasn't gone to his head."

Local Citizens Hear Four Ambulance Service Plans

Committee members of the Chamber of Commerce presented four ambulance service plans to the citizens of Cisco on Monday evening, June 15, at the Corral Room.

After the presentations, pros and cons of each of the plans were discussed, consensus opinion gathered and questions posed for further investigation.

It was common opinion that two of the plans Brown County Emergency and West Emergency of Fort Worth would place a heavy burden on the city budget. Brown County's Service carries a monthly subsidy of

\$3750 with first and last month's payments due July 1, 1981. West of Fort Worth carries a \$3000 per month subsidy as well as station quarters.

The two remaining plans are the E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital of the Cisco Hospital District and Pafford Ambulance Service which is currently under trial by Eastland. Graham's ambulance service carries a \$1086.31 per month subsidy estimate which includes financing a 1974 ambulance for 36 months.

Pafford has two plans: the first for a flat \$425 per week

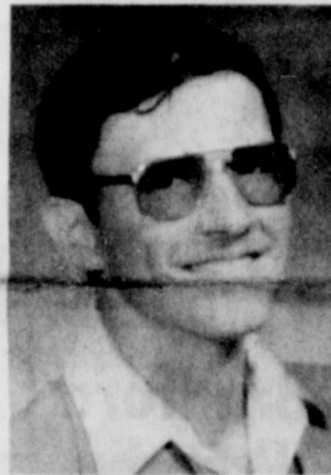
for one ambulance and crew for a one year contract, and the second for \$36 per year family membership enrollment which would cover free ambulance service within a 60 mile radius.

Pafford's second plan, family membership enrollment with a goal of 850 members stirred the group's interest and will be further investigated. If anyone has any input to offer on the two plans, Graham or Pafford, call Neeta Jacobs, 442-3358.

Thirty-one people attended the meeting.

Mary Woods

Mike Sherman To Receive Lone Star Farmer Degree



MIKE SHERMAN

Mike Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Sherman, will

receive the Lone Star Farmer degree at this year's state convention. The convention will be held in Dallas July 15-17.

Mike is a recent graduate of CHS and was an Ag student all four years in high school. He served as chapter officer for three years, serving as president his senior year. Mike was on the parliamentary procedure teams for four years and one of these teams placed second in the area. Mike also served on the FFA Dairy judging team. Mike's FFA project each year in high school was hogs.

Other honors for the student include King Lobo

nominee and National Honor Society.

The Lone Star Farmer degree is the highest that can be awarded on the state level and only two percent of the total state membership are eligible.

Scramble Golf

Tourney Played

At Country Club

A team captained by Kelly Moore of Abilene scored a five-under par 63 to win the monthly golf scramble tournament at the Cisco Country Club last Saturday afternoon. Second place went to a team headed by Bernard Campbell with a score of 64.

Playing with Moore were Gene Abbott, Ernie Rice, Ed Wende and Jim Sitton of Midland. Campbell's team members included Letha Schaal, Fred Wende and Pat Owens.

There were two other teams in the scramble event. Carrel Smith's team, posting a 65, included Joe Sitton, John Schaal and E.L. Jackson. The James Cotton team, with a 68, included Roy Gevara, Jim Yowell and J. Ross.

Rotary Club

To Have Ladies

Night June 24

Coincident with a change in administrations, the Cisco Rotary Club will complete its year with a Ladies Night program to take place at the Colony Restaurant Thursday evening, June 24. The program will be in charge of Dr. Norman Wallace, retiring president.

Members of the club and their wives and other guests will greet a new administration headed by Armo Chambers which will take over direction of the club for the next year at that time.

At the luncheon Thursday of this week Tony White, club secretary, read a letter of thanks from Miss Lou Ann Pugliese, recipient of the annual Rotary Scholarship award. The award pays tuition at Cisco Junior College.

White, one of the retiring officers of the club, will hand the secretaryship to Billy Reynolds after a record 28 years of service in that capacity.

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Failure Of Medical Practice Act Will Not Affect Doctors, Hospital

If Texas does not have a Medical Practice Act on Sept. 1, you wouldn't be able to notice the difference, the Health Freedom Council believes.

People would continue to go their usual doctors. Hospitals, clinics and physicians' offices would continue to function normally. "There would be no 'panic in the streets,' despite what the Texas Medical Association has been saying," declares Gene Mithchel, president of the Austin-based, consumer group.

The medical association has stated that "hospitals will close and doctors will not be able to write prescriptions" if a special session of

the legislature does not pass a new licensing law by Sept. 1.

"This is not true," said Mitchell. "The TMA is just using 'scare tactics' on the public in hopes of pressuring passage of the same law that was rejected by the legislature last week."

Doctors' licenses would not automatically expire just because the Board of Medical Examiners, licensing agent for the state, had ceased to exist, said Mitchell.

"Also, if any problems were to develop, we could expect the courts to make a reasonable interpretation of the intent of the legislature (in allowing the medical board to die) and therefore the courts would provide for continuation where needed of vital medical services," he said.

If there is no longer a state board to license doctors after Sept. 1, Mitchell believes that a new, private system would soon take its place.

"The mechanism is already proven," said Mitchell. "Some 22 or more private medical specialty boards now operate very successfully throughout the U.S., certifying the training and competence of the physicians who qualify. There 'Another big plus would be that practitioners specializing in prevention of disease would be on an equal level simply because another such board, this one certifying basic Texas medical practitioners.'"

The public would greatly benefit, he said, because quality assurance under the new, private system would be based on consumer acceptance and satisfaction, com-

pared to the present method which, based on the police power of the state, is subject to discretionary enforcement and abuse.

"Consumers could then be assured of the training and competence of any health practitioner they might want to choose—yet they would also have a broader choice, unrestricted by government, of any therapy that seemed to work for them," said Mitchell.

footing with those who specialize in the cure of disease."

As for "quacks" and "frauds"—those who might try to take advantage of the new freedom by, for example, posing as a "certified physician"—those people could be prosecuted for fraud under already existing Texas law.

The reason the Council fought the re-approval of the medical board, which was going through the state's "sunset" process—is that the proposed legislation failed to outlaw several abusive practices and failed to apply standard checks and balances required of all other state agencies, said Mitchell.

"And if the TMA is concerned over what might happen if they fail to get the law they want by Sept. 1, they should also worry a little about what would happen if they were to get such a law—a law that I believe would be sure to come under attack in the courts on constitutional grounds," Mitchell added.

In anticipation that the battle over a Medical Practice Act will be re-fought in a

special session of the legislature later this summer, the Council is gearing up to carry its "freedom of choice in health care" message to the public in a series of informational meetings that will be held in cities throughout the state in the next few weeks, including Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Tyler, El Paso, Amarillo, Beaumont, and many others.

Barlow Traveled Longest Distance To Homecoming

Long Branch Baptist Church had their annual homecoming May 31, 1981. The turn out was a little smaller than usual as threatened by rain, but all present had a nice visit and a wonderful meal. The person coming the longest distance to the homecoming was Louise A. Barlow from Denver, Colo. The speaker for the occasion was Bro. Lee Fields from Carbon. They had a wonderful message and singing service. The homecoming date has been changed from the years to come as the first Sunday in May. Following is the names of the persons registering at the homecoming:

From Rising Star: U.S. and Nell Cooper, Shirley Tucker, Loula McKinney, Irene (Sheffey) McKinney, Pauline (Harvey) Howard, Aileen Lane, Effie Duncan, Maxine Tarver, Charles and Barbara Murphree.
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Paul Kennedy, Dublin; Jackie (Foley) Hornsby, Midland, Inez Watson, San Angelo, Louise A. Barlow, Denver, Colo., Eunice Kinard, Kermit; Mrs. S.E. Carter, Eulless; Ray and Minnie Jo Evans and Mistie Lee.

BASS CLUB

The Eastland County Bass Club held its invitational tournament on Lake Leon on June 7, 1981. The weather was hot but other than that was nice. Donations for the tournament were given by many local businesses. The donations are very much appreciated. The businesses are Quick-way Grocery, Delores Sharpe Bookkeeping, Philpott Florist, Thrift Mart #1, Thrift Mart #2, Ted's and Rex's One Stop, Heidenheimer's, S&M Supply, Reynolds Manufacturing, Gibson's, Ranger Meat Co., Ranger Frozen Food, Adams Grocery, Caraway Auto Parts, Sneed's Premeir Station, Brown's Drug Store, Eastland Parts and Service, Fullen Motor, Bill White's Tire Service, Will's Bait and Tackle and the White Elephant Truck Stop.

The winners this year were first place Odell Taylor. Second place went to Terry Wilson. Third place and big bass went to Clyde Barbee. Fourth went to James Fullen.

The big bass for the month of May went to Sandy Boyett with six pounds and five ounce bass.

The Bass Club is going to have a jackpot night tournament on Lake Cisco on June 20, Saturday, which start at 7 p.m. and last till 12:00 weigh in.

Anyone is welcome to come to the tournament.

There will be a three fish 14 inch limit. There will be a \$5.00 entry fee paid back to the top three places. There will also be a \$3.00 calcutta for big bass. Sign in will be on the point at Lake Cisco.

The next meeting of the Eastland County Bass Club is July 2 in the Community Room of the First National Bank in Cisco at 7:30 p.m.

Club reporter,
Bruce Sellstrom

Thursday,
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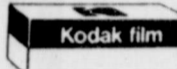
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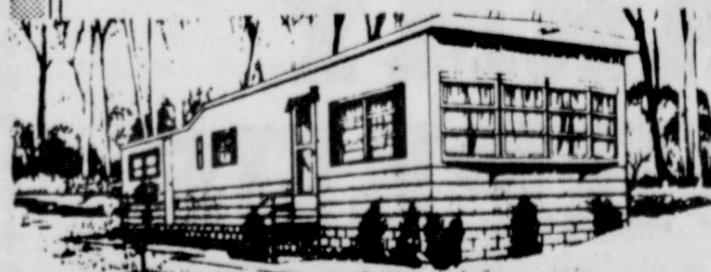
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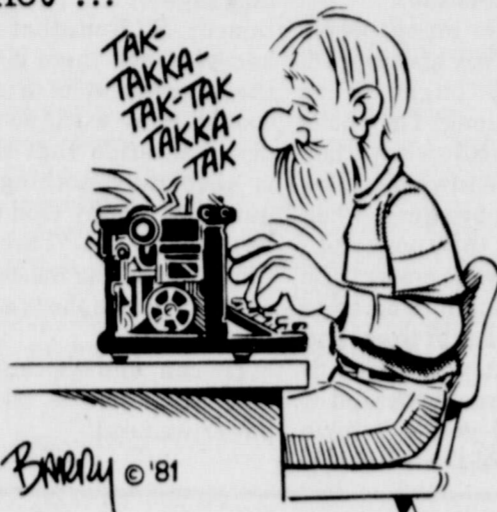
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'Bill' - Not 'Will'...

IWU Reflections in Perspective
By: L. W. Ussery

Yes, Elizabeth, there is a Santa Claus (to paraphrase that priceless excerpt from the "New York Times"). But no, Elizabeth, there is no such person as "Will I. Ussery". Yes, child, that is your grandfather's photograph, but the name belongs to someone who insofar as I know is a figment of the fertile brain of the newspaper writer.

Then why, you ask, was the picture and the article accompanying it identified as that fictitious individual? Honey, I can only explain that perhaps it is the manner in which writers play with reckless abandon with the names of people. But perhaps it is my fault, after all.

You see, little one, when your grandfather was born (I cannot escape the feeling that I've told you this story before...but one of the prerogatives of age is that of repetition) he was christened "Isaac Weldon Ussery". And actually, my dear, he was never any attempt to change that name. Nor is he living under an assumed name...nor an alias. It is just one of the tricks of fate that names sort of get themselves changed around...even set aside in favour of what may be considered by one's associates to be a more befitting monicker.

Throughout my growing-up years, and for quite some time thereafter I was known to kinsmen and friends alike as either "Ike" or "Weldon". When, a few years before the birth of your father, William J. Ussery your grandmother and I moved away from the environs in which we were born and brought up, I became known for the past part by only my initial. Yes, child, that would make it "I.W." I was also known in some circles by the then quite appropriate nickname of "Slim". And one courageous group even tagged me with the

name (never used in my presence, but which was not a source of annoyance) of "Bear Tracks".

And then your father was born. He was about the friendliest little tot you could imagine. Accompanying me on my rounds of the oil patch in my work car, he smiled and gurgled and giggled to every man who approached the vehicle, however oil-smeared. And your father, my dear, was known from the day of his birth simply as "Bill."

Now people have a way of arriving at conclusions. Someone...a District Superintendent under whom I worked at one time, as I recall...assumed that your father was a "Bill Junior" and began referring to the two of us as "Big Bill" and "Little Bill". And when Little Bill was not along, it became simply "Bill". That calling name stuck, and either followed or preceded me for the following years. For more than forty years, that is; the most of my remaining adult life.

It was a name which was easy to spell, to remember and to pronounce. I made no attempt to change it. After all, it was a name which had been used by my father and by his father...and which would be borne by my son. An honourable name, it was. I rather liked it. So; "Bill Ussery" became the name by which I was known to people on four continents and in more countries than I can remember, offhand.

It would seem that a certain publisher, feeling that the name of "Bill" could do with a degree of dignification changed it to "Will". No fault in that. Everyone, regardless of his name can do with a trace of dignity. And most especially if that introduction of dignity constitutes an improvement. Again; I file no protest.

While I continue to answer, with all the respect I can muster to the names of "Weldon" (to the few of my early-life friends who are still around), "Bill", "Bill Sahib", "Agha e Bill", "Senor Beel", and even on rare occasion "Tio Guillermo"; the Certificate of Appointment which shall adorn the wall of my newly-acquired office will identify me as the same person whom you've known for all your life: "L.W. Ussery". But what's in a name, other than a means of identity? I once knew a very prominent citizen whose wife was named



Congressman

Charles W. Stenholm

Congressional Comment

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Volumes seem to have been written concerning the problems of the marginally-employed worker and the need to protect the employee from the abuses of the employer.

Little thought has been given, however, to the multitude of problems facing the employers of such labor, whether that employer runs a household and depends on a part-time housekeeper or a hamburger stand and hires teenagers after school.

The inclusion of such workers under the minimum wage law creates the first set of problems, with many employers simply unable or unwilling to hire workers at the standard minimum rate.

Even if the federal minimum hourly wage rates are met, the employer may well find himself in the position of the case outlined in the publication, The Exchange, recently. The retired businessman, a widower, told of his experiences in trying to hire a part-time housekeeper. The employee had medical problems that would make it difficult to find employment elsewhere and really needed the job. And even though the employer met federal wage standards, in order to employ her legally, he was required to fill out and file 13 different state and federal forms, plus pay a total of \$442.35 a year in Federal Social Security taxes and state and federal

unemployment insurance taxes.

All of these problems were encountered, I might add, after the man had found someone willing to do the work. Many potential employees turned down the minimum wage job to live in government-subsidized apartments at low rentals and subsist on welfare or Social Security payments, bank interest and other types of minimal income. Their desire and will to work have been destroyed by the federal largess, he believes.

No wonder that many employers and employees now agree on wages paid in cash from hand to hand, with such income never reported. I am not justifying breaking the law, but I do understand the frustration that can lead to such a practice.

Federal rules and regulations have reached the height of the ridiculous. If I have work to be done and am willing to pay you to do that work; if you need work and are willing to perform the task I advertise for the pay I offer, to what degree does the government have the right to interfere? That is the question.

I sometimes think government has been determined to legislate and regulate common sense right out of the picture and has become far too successful.

We now have a golden opportunity to make significant changes in the way government affects us.

64 attended 4-H Camp

There were 64 4-Hers who attended the Eastland County 4-H Camp June 12-13 at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood. Camp started at 2:00 p.m. on the 12th with registration of the 4-Hers and adult leaders. Cynthia Foster from the Nimrod 4-H Club and Beverly Underwood from the Gorman 4-H Club helped with registration. Once the 4-Hers were registered the swimming was open for them. At 4:00 p.m. Jerry Choate, an adult leader from Cisco, gave a program on water safety. There was a general assembly at 5:45. The schedule of events were read the rules for conduct at camp were discussed. The assembly was conducted by Donna White and John Blair. Supper was served at 6:00 p.m. and from 7:15 to 8:15 the 4-Hers were organized by the adult leaders and older 4-Hers present. When it was 11:30 everyone was in the process of getting ready for bed.

On June 13th, at 7:30 a.m. breakfast was served. From 8:30 to 9:30 Larry Wiese gave a program on deer management. Programs for 4-Hers were conducted from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. Each 4-Her was able to enroll in 2 out of 4

program. The programs were Small Engines by Harold Stein, Plant Program given by Gordon Woolam, Firearm Safety given by Bobby Lewis, and Child Care given by Cisco 4-Hers and leaders. Then from 11:00 to 12:00 there was time again for swimming. Lunch was served at noon followed by a Bingo game from 1:00 to 1:30 p.m. Clean up was from 1:30 to 2:30 after which everyone was released.

Now that 4-H camp is over, there are some people who need to be thanked for all the hard work they did. These people are the adult leaders and the older 4-Hers who helped keep everything rolling along. Camp was enjoyed by those who attended. The next Eastland County 4-H event scheduled is the 4-H Wildlife Field Day on July 7th.

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Roy Benavidez Named 'Texan of The Year'

Texas-forever proud of its heroes of the glorious past - lacks not in present-day heroes, among whom is Master Sergeant Roy P. Benavidez (Ret.) of El Campo who performed some of the most spectacular acts of bravery under fire in the Vietnam War.

For his heroism he received the nation's highest honor for personal valor, The Medal of Honor, presented by President Reagan earlier this year.

The Texas Press Association will present to him, with gratitude and pride, its most prestigious honor, The Texan of the Year Award, during special ceremonies at the association's 102nd summer convention June 26 in Fort Worth.

Sergeant Benavidez will be the 12th Texan in the association's long history to be so honored.

Benavidez will be accompanied to Fort Worth for the June 26th event by his wife, Lala, and their children, Denise, 14, Yvette, 11 and Noel, 8.

Participating in the ceremony will be TPA past president, Fred Barbee, publisher of the El Campo Leader-News, and TPA's current president, James Roberts, publisher of the Andrews County News in Andrews.

Over 400 Texas publishers,

families and guests will be on hand for the red, white and blue event at the Cowtown's new Hyatt Regency Hotel.

Benavidez, though retired after spending 22 years in the U.S. Army, is now spending most of his time talking to youth groups and schools, promoting pride in this nation and trying to rekindle "good, old-fashioned patriotism."

Benavidez has never lacked this particular patriotism, as ribbon upon ribbon on his uniform attest.

The act directly responsible for his receiving The Medal of Honor was his remarkable courage, physical stamina and selfless determination to save a 12-man Special Forces Reconnaissance Team, all of which had been caught in ambush on a jungle battlefield in 1968 in South Vietnam. Benavidez was with the 5th Special Forces (Green Berets) Group. He alone volunteered to try for what seemed to be an impossible rescue - and was wounded again and again, but managed to pull at least eight of his comrades, some also wounded, from enemy fire and get them into a second pickup aircraft which flew them to safety. The first helicopter, directed to the area by Benavidez, had been shot down by the enemy.

Most Medals of Honor are given in the field or immediately thereafter. But in the aftermath of Benavidez actions, he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross, the Army's second highest decoration.

However, a number of years later, when buddies - and Publisher Barbee - recalled his special heroism, they pushed for the highest. It took a few months, but when buddy after buddy stepped forward to hail Benavidez as their life-saver under the most dangerous circumstances, Reagan, in an emotional presentation earlier this year, presented him The Medal of Honor. The President broke prece-

dent in recounting the entire saga of his jungle heroism and read the complete Medal of Honor citation.

Subsequently, Benavidez was honored by both houses of the Texas Legislature and Governor Clements declared a "Roy Benavidez Day."

TPA's other Texans of the Year, equally famous, but none of them a war-time hero of great acclaim, include the following: Earl Campbell, football great; Paul Richards, noted baseball manager; Van Cliburn, renowned pianist; Dan Blocker, T.V. star; C.B. (Tex) Thornton, industrialist; Phyllis George and Shirley Cothran, both Miss Americas; Dale Evans, entertainer/philanthropist; Allen Ludden, TV personality; Ray Berry, football great; and Alan Bean, astronaut/moon walker.

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musical shows, runs the movie projector, and plans bingo games, card parties and other activities.

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Winning The War Against Fleas

DALLAS—Fleas seem to be making it big in Texas. Over the last five to seven years, fleas seem to have become more and more of a problem, particularly in urban and suburban areas. Cat fleas which infest dogs or cats and readily attack

humans are the most common, says an urban entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Flea bites are extremely annoying and generally become increasingly sore

and irritated over a period of a week or more, explains Dr. John M. Owens. Fleas most often bite people about the legs and ankles.

A small red spot with a light colored center appears where the mouth parts of the adult flea enters the skin. Applying cooling preparations such as carbolated vaseline, menthol, camphor, calamine lotion or ice will help relieve itching. Severe allergic reactions or infections should be treated promptly by a physician.

Although fleas can transmit bubonic plague and murine typhus, these diseases are rare. How do you control these irritating pests?

Flea control must include treatment of the pets and thorough treatment of the entire premises—indoor and outdoors. These three areas should be treated simultaneously to break the "flea-cycle" and get effective control, emphasizes the entomologist.

Insecticides containing carbaryl (Sevin), dischlorvos (DDVP), pyrethrin, rotenone, malathion, methoxychlor or propoxur (Baygon or Sendran) are labeled for use on animals. Dusts or powders are generally preferred over sprays for treating pets and should be used at three to four-day intervals when infestations are heavy.

Rub the dust into the animal's fur by hand. Be especially thorough around ears, between legs and around the tail. Try to avoid getting dust into the eyes, mouth and nostrils. Flea collars which contain propoxur appear to be superior to

those which only contain dichlorvos. Be sure to read the label before using any of these products and consult a veterinarian if questions arise.

Spray all infested outdoor areas such as the yard, porches, garages and out-buildings with chlorpyrifos (Dursban), diazinon, propoxur or carbaryl. Be sure to treat areas used by pets, and let the spray dry before pets or children are allowed to use treated areas, says Owens. Repeat the spray at two-week intervals until fleas are controlled.

Inside the home, begin control measures with thorough cleaning. Vacuum all floors and upholstery and dispose of sweepings immediately to prevent flea escape and subsequent reinfestation. Also, launder all pet bedding.

Apply an insecticide spray of chlorpyrifos (such as Rid-A-Bug) to all floor areas, under and around upholstery cushions, and to pet bedding areas. Also spray moldings, baseboards and draperies to a height of one foot above floor level. Try to avoid further vacuuming and cleaning for 10-14 days after treatment.

While this insecticide should give three to four weeks of effective residual indoors, it will not rapidly knock down adult fleas. In conjunction with the residual spray indoors, homeowners might also use a non-residual insecticide applied as a total-release aerosol or fogger, suggests the entomologist. Products containing pyrethrins, resmethrin (SBP-1382) and dichlorvos are available to

provide quick relief from indoor fleas. Again, be sure to read and follow all label directions and precautions with these products.

One final place which may require insecticide treatment is the family car, especially if your pet is a frequent rider, adds Owens.

Disease Attacks St. Augustine

Gordon Woolam Recently a St. Augustinegrass lawn was investigated and found to be infected with Gray Leaf Spot. This is an important leaf disease of St. Augustinegrass caused by a Fungus, *Piricularia grisea*. This disease will also frequently attack Bermuda grass. This is a particular threat due to all the recent wet weather.

The disease is recognized by irregular brown to gray spots on the leaf blades. The common symptom is the depressed blue-gray centers of the spots that have irregular brown margins surrounded by a ring of chlorotic tissue. Lesions may also occur on the sheath and spike of infected plants.

The disease develops rapidly with abundant moisture and temperature from 70 degrees to 80 degrees F. Disease severity increases with increased Nitrogen fertilization. Newly sprigged or rapidly growing grass is more susceptible than well-established.

Gray Leaf Spot control includes watering during the day so foliage will not remain wet overnight and avoiding excessive Nitrogen fertilization. Effective control of Gray Leaf Spot can be accomplished with applications of Fungicide, including Maneb, Captan, or Chlorothalonil (Daconil).

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1980 Texas Crop Sales Generally Stable

COLLEGE STATION-- While the 1980 drought devastated crop yields in Texas, cash receipts remained generally stable due to higher prices.

Although final figures are not yet in, Texas Agricultural Extension Service estimates show cash receipts from crops at about \$3.8 billion, down only slightly from 1979. Total receipts from all agricultural commodities for 1980 are pegged at just over \$10.1 billion, almost the same as the previous year.

"These cash receipts, however, don't show the severity of damage that production levels underwent or the squeeze on net income," says Dr. Carl Anderson, Extension economist in marketing.

"Drought and higher production costs have placed serious financial hardships on many farmers. Young farmers and those depending heavily on credit or capital are under considerable financial strain. Record-high interest rates have added to the burden."

According to Anderson, hot dry conditions severely damaged crop production and caused subsequent price increases.

"Prices went up because of the small amount of crops that were available after the summer," explains Anderson.

Despite weather problems, last year's crop receipts should have an agribusines impact of about \$16 billion on the Texas economy, he says.

As far as receipts from different commodities are concerned, cotton alone brought in \$1.4 billion.

The South Plains of Texas brought in the bulk of cotton receipts with an estimated \$665 million. South Texas (mainly the Rio Grande Valley) had the second highest cotton receipts at \$163 million.

Wheat and grain sorghum ran a close race for second place among crop sales at

about \$450 million each. Wheat, a winter and spring crop, generally escaped the drought's wrath. The Panhandle area led the state in value of wheat produced with \$164 million while North Central Texas was second with a wheat crop of more than \$85 million.

The Panhandle also boasted the highest cash value from grain sorghum in 1980 at \$174 million. Second was the Coastal Bend with a sorghum crop valued at \$116 million.

Corn ranked fourth on the list of estimated cash receipts from crops for 1980,

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totaling about \$349 million. Top producing areas were the South Plains at \$213 million and the Panhandle at \$76 million.

Rice ranked fifth in estimated cash receipts, totalling more than \$274 million. The Upper Coast is the state's major rice-producing area with receipts of \$260 million. The remainder of the crop is grown in the Coastal Bend.

Other crops that contributed much to 1980 agricultural receipts were vegetables, about \$250 million; nursery stock, \$225 million; soybeans \$104 million; peanuts, \$83 million; and hay, \$45 million.

Bullock Gives City Sales Tax Report

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Thursday, Texas cities collecting the one percent city sales tax have received \$310.7 million in rebates during the first six months of 1981.

Bullock said the June sales tax rebates to cities totaled \$28.3 million, compared to \$24.9 million during a comparable period in 1980.

Sales tax rebates through June of 1980 totaled \$266.9 million, according to Bullock.

Cisco's sales tax through June of 1980 is \$10,470 bringing that city's year-to-date total to \$87,417.

Eastland will receive a \$6,710 check pushing the city's total for this year to \$76,427.

Gorman will not receive any money this month but the year's total is \$13,906.

Ranger will receive \$3,430 this month bringing the city's rebates for the first six months to \$57,269.

Rising Star will not receive any money this month so their year's total still remains at \$8,410.

Driver's License Office Closed

The Drivers License Office will be closed Friday, June 19 for Emancipation Day.

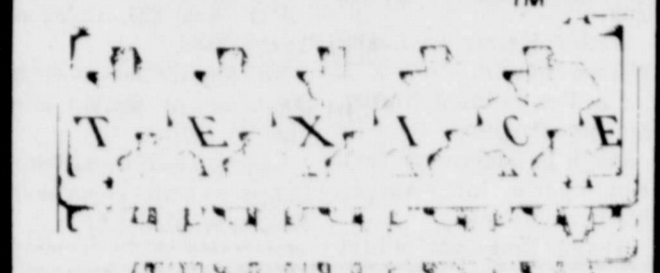
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Fleming To Head Texas Hospital Assoc.

Dallas-George M. Fleming, Ed.D., FACHA, Executive Director of San Jacinto Methodist Hospital in Baytown, Texas, was installed as Chairman of the Texas Hospital Association (THA) during ceremonies held Wednesday, June 10, 1981, at the Association's 52nd Annual Convention and Exhibit Show. He succeeds Alton Pearson, President of Hillcrest Baptist Hospital in Waco, Texas.

Fleming has been active in THA for many years and has held various positions on the Board of Trustees. These include a three-year term as Trustee, followed by terms as Treasurer, Vice-Chairman and Chairman-Elect. Previously, Fleming had served on a number of THA committees and council, including the Council on Public Education and Committees on Association Research Programs, Mental Health and Mental Retardation, Shared Management Systems, Hospital Accreditation, Insurance and Pension Investments. He has also represented his region as a delegate to the Association's House of Delegates. Fleming's educational background includes a Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration from Arizona State University,

and Master and Doctorate degrees in education from the University of Houston.

Fleming began his administrative career with the Veterans Administration Regional Office in Houston. He then served as administrator of Galveston County Memorial Hospital, Texas City, for six years prior to becoming associate administrator of The Methodist Hospital in Houston in 1967. Three years later, he was named administrator of San Antonio's Santa Rosa Medical Center. Fleming has been in his present position with San Jacinto Methodist Hospital since 1972.

Other officers elected by the THA House of Delegates at their final meeting at the 52nd Annual Convention were: Gordon H. Russell, Administrator, Hi-Plains Hospital, Hale Center, Chairman-Elect; Jerry A. Howard, Administrator, Highland Hospital, Lubbock, Vice Chairman; and James J. Farnsworth, FACHA, President, Children's Medical Center of Dallas, Dallas, Treasurer. Alton Pearson was elevated to Immediate Past Chairman and Chairman of the House of Delegates.

Elected by the House of Delegates to three-year

terms on the Texas Hospital Association Board of trustees were: Charles C. Latham, Administrator, Medical Arts Hospital, Lamesa (1984); Ronald L. Smith, FACHA, Executive Director, Harris Hospital-Methodist, Fort Worth (1984); and Scott D. Evans, Vice President/Regional Manager, Lifemark Corporation, Houston (1984). These newly elected Trustees join the following members whose terms continue: Norman L. Knox, Administrator, Malone-Hogan

Hospital, Inc., Big Spring (1982); Frank Cheevers, Administrator, Memorial Hospital, Dumas (1982); R. William Warren, President, Memorial Hospital System, Houston (1982); David E. Rose, Senior Vice President, American Healthcare Management, Inc., Dallas, (1983); Mrs. Marcella V. Henke, Administrator, Lavaca Medical Center, Hallettsville (1983); and George E. Summerlin, FACHA, Administrator, Memorial Hospital, Palestine (1983). THA is the Austin-based trade association for hospitals with over 750 institutional and 4,200 personal members.

Eastland County Oil Report

Sunbelt Oil and Gas Inc. has completed two wells in Eastland County in the Regular Field.

No. 1-A Thompson was potentialed to pump 39 barrels of 38.5 gravity oil and no water. Total depth is 3,653 feet, plugged back to 3,463 feet. Perforations are from 3,238 to 3,380 feet.

Four and one-half inch casing is set at 3,463 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 3,076-1.

Drillsite is three miles northwest of Ranger, 4,830 feet from north and 400 feet from east lines of John P. Rohus Survey, A-415.

Sunbelt's No. 4 Thompson was potentialed to pump 24

barrels of 38.5 gravity oil and 60 barrels of water. Total depth is 3,360 feet, plugged back to 3,447 feet. Perforations were from 3,252 to 3,340 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 4,583-1.

Four and one-half inch casing is set at 3,436 feet.

Drillsite is 4,830 feet from north and 2,037 feet from east lines of the same survey.

Show Petroleum Inc. has completed its No. 1 Dillinger "B" in the regular field, six miles north of Gorman in Eastland County.

The well finished for 23 barrels of 46 gravity oil and no water on a 10/64 inch choke. Total depth is 3,199 feet. Perforations were from 2,950 to 2,950 1/2 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 2,696-1. Four and one-half inch casing is set at 3,189 feet.

Drillsite is 330 feet from north and 1,320 feet from east lines of Subdivision 22, McLennan County School land Survey, League 1. Safari Drilling Co. has completed its No. 3 Agnew "A" in Eastland County, eight miles northwest of Cisco.

The well finished for 60.67 barrels of 40 gravity oil and 5 barrels of water on an 18/64 inch choke. Total depth is 4,071 feet,

Focus On Person, Not Disability

"People with disabilities are on the move, out with the rest of us shopping, using libraries and learning at school," reports Dick Radley, Jr., Executive Director, Texas Easter Seal Society.

"New laws requiring public buildings and street curbs to be ramped for accessibility are part of the reason," Radley states. "Also, better medical care and more effective rehabilitation services have made it possible for a growing number of disabled persons to return to our com-

munity's mainstream.

"At first, some able-bodied people may be a bit uncomfortable when they meet a person in a wheelchair at the local supermarket, but by focusing on the person and not his or her disability, what's unfamiliar today can be turned into a new friend tomorrow."

The National Easter Seal Society has developed a handy checklist entitled "When You Meet A Handicapped Person..." Available from the Texas Easter Seal Society by calling Toll-Free

800-492-5555, "When you meet a handicapped person..." should help many people develop new ways to enjoy their neighbors with disabilities, Radley says.

"As with any new acquaintance, it's a good idea to explore mutual interests in a friendly way," Radley suggests. "A person with a disability may be a film buff, may enjoy painting or needlecraft, or may share an interest in your favorite soap opera. These are good points on which to build the new friendship.

"Let the new friend bring up the subject of his disability if her or she wishes. The problems anyone faces and the ways they solve these are often a natural part of our conversations," Radley points out. "But let the person with the disability lead the way.

"People naturally want to help, but the person using a wheelchair or other tool has

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learned how to use it," Radley cautions. "Let the person with the disability ask for help.

"Just about everyone has some disability. A lot of us wear glasses or may be just a touch hard of hearing. For a fast runner, the rest of us are 'disabled' in a race. The person who is unable to walk or who talks with some difficulty may be more disabled by our attitudes and physical barriers such as steps and curbs than they are by their disease or injury," Radley notes.

AARP

AARP of Eastland, chapter 2428, will have a picnic June 19, 1981 at 6:00 p.m. The picnic will be at the City Park in Eastland.

The program will be "Doors of Nature," Father's Day. The speaker will be Rev. Dwain Clower.

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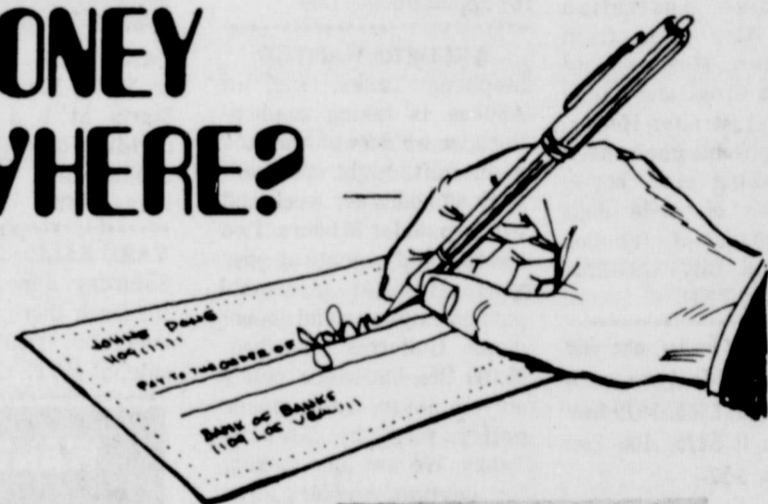
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THE CISCO PUBLIC LIBRARY — A DREAM THAT CAME TRUE

By Viola M. Payne
Residents of Cisco and visitors to the town enjoy browsing through the Cisco Public Library, located on Ave. G and 6th Street. The facility, which is owned by the Twentieth Century Club, opens on Tuesday, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 2:00 to 5:30 p.m. Mrs. J.J. Porter the dedicated Librarian offers a number of services to the public, including a special summer program for children.

This summer films based on popular children's books are being shown each Thursday afternoon from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. On a recent afternoon 81 children came out to enjoy the pictures.

The tan brick Library building, constructed in 1932, is included in a recently designated historic district of Cisco. Its timeless styling - actually Spanish in appearance - has lost none of its attractiveness over the years. And past the shady pecan trees and well-trimmed front lawn everything in the building seems to speak of quality. Quality books - about 1500 volumes in all - classic furnishings, and carefully

chosen decor.
There are two main rooms in the building, with smaller alcoves and numerous bookshelves. The room on the north is used as a reading room for Library patrons and a meeting place for the Twentieth Century Club, and cultural and Community Service organization. Mrs. M.D. (Louise) Allison is the current President of the group.

The southeast side of the larger room is arranged as a Children's Library, with scaled-down furnishings, bright pictures, and many inviting books. In one corner hangs an appealing painting of a boy named Paul H. Mitcham, who died at age 7. Paul was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitcham of Cisco, and the portrait was done by an artist named Macie Hytt.

The Librarian's desk, across from the children's section, displays books by local authors. Nearby is a special bookcase containing memorial books given to the Library. These gifts, Mrs. Porter states, are always appreciated. Sometimes towns people also give cash memorial gifts in honor of a

loved one.
Most visitors to the Library are apt to view it in one dimension - that of how it looks and what it offers in 1981. But Mrs. Porter has spent almost 24 years as Librarian, and she has a perspective reaching backward to the obstacles covered and forward into hopes for the future.

She speaks, first of all, of the early Twentieth Century Club, and the dreams this group had for a fine Library for Cisco. By 1932 the Club had raised the money for the present building, and their wise choice of construction is evident today. The group also provided basic funds to keep the Library in operation.

By the summer of 1957, however, the Library had several problems. The hardwood floor in the main room was falling through, and the whole interior needed remodeling. And the Librarian, a retired teacher named Mrs. J.E.T. Peters, was moving away from Cisco and could no longer run the place.

Mrs. Porter, who belonged to the Twentieth Century Club, worked along with Clubwomen and other in-

terested persons to restore the interior. Before summer was over, a Twentieth Century Club leader was suggesting:

"Etta, why don't you take over as Librarian?"

At this time the last of the four Porter children was making plans to attend the University of Texas, so Mrs. Porter realized she would probably have some extra time. And her husband, a businessman, was civic minded and supportive of such a project.

So on August 1, 1957, Mrs. Porter began her work as a Librarian in the restored building. Since then there have been some changes in furnishings, rugs, and the heating and cooling systems.

"And I've lived through it all," Mrs. Porter chuckles.

From the beginning Mrs. Porter learned that the basic hours the Library is open are only the tip of the proverbial iceberg, as far as duties are concerned. There are reports to make, book ordering, research concerning books, and much correspondence. Some of this correspondence is in the field of public relations, where people want information about things in the area.

Visitors in the town or new residents often come to the Library as their first place of personal information and intellectual contact. The warmth and friendliness shown them by Mrs. Porter helps make them feel welcome in the community.

A Librarian, too, must attempt to keep up with current books and reading trends, and incorporate worthwhile material into the shelves. Mrs. Porter has always had a special interest in children's literature, and constantly orders the best material available for them. Summer is the time of year when children use the library the most and adults also follow this trend.

On a year-round average the Cisco Public Library circulates around 500 books per month. All books and services are free, with the exception of a small charge on very expensive current adult books.

The Cisco Library can obtain books on loan from the Abilene Public Library, or request books on loan for individuals. The Library is participating in a program from Austin in which "talking books" are recorded on a cassette or record for

persons who are blind or with impaired vision. The Librarian states that more persons with limited eyesight should request these recordings, for they are enjoyable.

Another service is involved with books the Library has on all Eastland County cemeteries, in which each grave is designated. People from out of this area who are searching for graves of family members are pleased to find this locating information available.

There have been a number of changes in reading tastes over the last years, but the number of persons interested in books and reading has remained high. The price of new books, however, has tripled during Mrs. Porter's years as Librarian, creating more expense. Add to that the unbelievable jump in postage rates on materials which must be mailed.

The continued devotion of the Twentieth Century Club to the Library and the assistance of local citizens and Clubs in helping support it has been noteworthy through all the years. Many persons have given time, labor, effort and money to help keep the Library functioning.

The year 1980, however, was difficult for the Library. Prices were rising on everything, yet there was no Community Chest (United Way) drive during the year to share an allotted portion with the facility. And the annual \$1,000.00 due the Library from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds was difficult to obtain from a City official. Fortunately the payment was eventually made, and is current to date.

The Twentieth Century Club looks forward to a bright future for the Library, as it keeps pace with the growth of Cisco.

"People tell me," Mrs. Porter says, "that a town is judged by its Library, and they wouldn't want to live in a place that didn't have a good one."

"We want to keep improv-

ing this one in every way possible. For some time the Club has been attempting to catalogue all the books, and this is proceeding - with volunteer labor.

"It is a huge job - but it will be finished."

She looks across the hundreds of volumes - books which concern every subject imaginable. It is like seeing life neatly condensed into

pages of paper.

"We need to work for the future, you know, just like those first Clubwomen did. And the children who come here - they are the future. And for them to develop a taste for good books - I suppose that's the most important thing that happens around here."

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Putnam News

By Mrs. R.B. Taylor

We are having wonderful weather. The past week not hot, a good breeze and cloudy but no rain, which is good for the farmers. The

dampness has kept the combines from working much but maybe the sun will shine and the grain can be harvested without too much loss. Gardens are flourishing, beans, squash, cucumbers, etc. Some places the grasshoppers are beginn-

ing to eat the gardens. They are very plentiful here. As well as rattlesnakes, there seems to be a lot of them. I do not think we have anyone on the sick list this week for which we are

thankful. The regular monthly country musical met at the school house Friday. A fair crowd attended. We thank Mr. G.W. Weeks and the other musicians who come and

make the musical possible. Mrs. Marie Maxwell ate lunch with her son, Bud and wife Ruth at Abilene Sunday. Maxie Solomon has had her grandchildren, Shannon and Sheila Solomon from Tomball visiting her this past week. They went to Mineral Wells to visit her daughters family, the Bud Taylors. Another granddaughter, Glenda Taylor came home with her for a few days.

and family of Houston have been visiting her family, the John D. Isehnowers and John Doyle and Meta Isehnower this week. Mrs. Fiore is the former Linda Isehnower.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maxwell and Andy and Belinda of Albany have been working on their house here this weekend. They have bought the Gunn house and are doing a lot of remodeling on it. We will be glad when they move back to Putnam.

Mrs. Opal McGregor of Abilene spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. I.G. Mobley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Rickster and three boys of Forney and Mrs. Dianne Heidelberg and Chris of Breckenridge spent several days with their grandmother, Mrs. Ollie Burnam.

Billy Wagley, Mrs. Nettles, Mrs. Stockton and Mrs. Bill Brandon accompanied nine boys to the Kendrick Diorama near Eastland Friday night. The Diorama depicts the life of Christ.

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And beginning at Moses and all the prophets, he expounded unto them in all the Scriptures the things concerning himself.

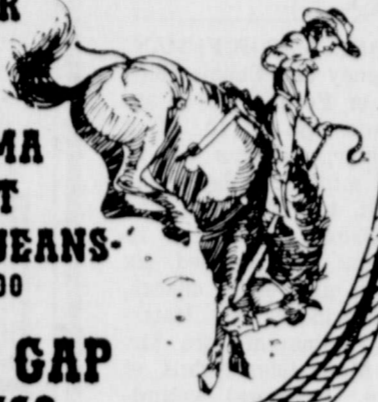
And he said unto them, These are the words which I spake unto you, while I was yet with you, that all things must be fulfilled, which were written in the law of Moses, and in the prophets, and in the psalms, concerning me.

Luke 24:27,44

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People n Things

CISCO IS fortunate to have a man of Mr. Douglas Fry's ability and reputation to become acting city manager. Those of us who have known Mr. Fry for many years are here to tell you that he is a good citizen who works hard at doing a good job every day of the year.

A former mayor, Mr. Fry is no stranger to city problems. Although he is busy as a rancher, Mr. Fry has answered a call from City Council to help by holding down the city manager's job until such time as a new official can be obtained.

Mr. Fry met with city employees at City Hall and at the city's street and water workers warehouse Monday to assure one and all he wanted and needed their help and cooperation. And we, as citizens, should stand ready to help any time we're called on.

MR. WILLARD Johnson of the fishing store takes his boat to Lake Cisco several times a week, and he reports that bass fishing has been picking up after the recent heavy rains. Plugging has been best in the area where rising water covered grass and weeds along the

shorelines.
Mr. Johnson says the lake is probably six feet higher than before the rains a week or ten days ago. City officials had put the figure at about four and a half feet. Lake Bernie was still running an 8-inch stream at mid-week.

GLAD TO HEAR that Mr. Wm. E. (Little Bill) Austin, Jr., has moved north from Houston and is now helping his dad operate Austin's Furniture Company in Cisco. Bill and wife Martha are presently living at Lake Leon. Martha, an employee of the State Health Department, has been transferred to this region.

Bill grew up in Cisco and graduated from CHS and CJC before going into the military and then returning home to return to college. They've lived in Houston for several years before selling their home recently so he could join his dad at the furniture store.

MR. O.O. Mobley, who lives out at 1101 West 9th Street, is getting everything organized for a visit by his two daughters. They're due in soon from New Mexico and California for a reunion. Dr. Tommy Goleman, son of the Bruce Golemans of

Ranger and formerly of here, has located at Cameron, Texas, and his family medical practice is thriving, we're told. The F.B. Altman went to Las Cruces, New Mexico, last Friday to visit his brother, Jack Chambliss, who was ill.

Overheard Ranchers W.H. Cooper and Dalworth Jobe reporting that their stock tanks were full and running around for the first time in a long while. WHY WAS Emma Lee Donovan wearing a pretty corsage last Friday? It was a special day - the 24th anniversary of her marriage to Jibby Donovan that day at 8 a.m. in 1957. She's a veep at the First National Bank. The City of Cisco's check from the comptroller for sales tax money in May amounted to \$10,470 - up near \$2,000 from a year ago.

Mrs. Lloyd McGrew and daughters Mary Beth and Deanna and Charla Bradford got home last Saturday after a Girl Scout trip to Mexico.

FOLKS ARE saying that they can't remember the Cisco Country Club golf course ever looking prettier or greener than right now. Rains do wonders for fields and yards and gardens, huh? Met up with Mr. Dick Bennie of Sherman at the golf course the other day. He was here visiting home folks en route to Colorado for a vacation. Ed Young, the CHS band director, had his Stamford band at CJC last weekend for a couple of days of practice before the group goes to Phoenix for the convention of Lions International soon.

CISCO LADY golfers didn't bring home much bacon from participating in the West Texas tournament at Brownwood last week. Mary Ann Perry was runner up in the 3rd flight. Others who played included Flo Robinson, Dorothy Farnsworth and Letha Schaal. Mrs. Farnsworth and Mrs. Robinson played in the Baird-Clyde ladies tournament last weekend.

BY THE TIME you read this, your reporter (JWS)

will be in Guatemala to spend a couple of months or so working with a newspaper that asked the International Executive Corps to recruit them a retired man from the USA. Gene Abbott, Cisco CofC manager, observed that "anybody is an expert away from home, so you ought to do a good job."

This will be our fourth such venture. Previously, we've accepted IESC assignments with newspapers in Colombia, El Salvador and Panama. Mrs. JWS will join us in Guatemala soon after July 1st. She's currently in Duncan, Okla., where she is the administrator of her late brother's estate and hopes to have this accomplished in two weeks or so.

We'll report from Central America one day soon.

Notice of Meeting Of Cisco Hospital District's Board Of Directors

The regular monthly meeting of the Cisco Hospital District's Board of Directors will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 22, 1981, in the E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital's Conference Room.

- ORDER OF BUSINESS
1. Meeting called to order.
 2. Approval of minutes of previous meeting.
 3. Report of Chief of Staff.
 4. Report of administrator.
 5. Unfinished business.
 6. New business.
 7. Executive session.
 8. Adjournment.
- Ervin E. Addy, Jr., M.D. President of Governing Board

In Brief

Don Johnson of Athens and grandson, Dusty Goodwin flew in Friday after lunch. Don played in a golf tournament and he and Ralph Glenn won first place. He visited with his mother, Mrs. Edgar Johnson over the weekend. Also visitors were Mrs. Russell Johnson of Pecos and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Johnson of Lubbock.

In Brief
Guests in the home of Mrs. M.D. Bailey during the Bailey family reunion were Mrs. Charles Dabbs, Mrs. Gerald Wadleigh, In-

dianapolis, Ind.; A.C. Bailey of Auburn, Ky.; Maj. and Mrs. M.D. Bailey Jr. of Gilbert, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Edwards and son,

David, Col. and Mrs. Gayle Bailey, all of San Antonio; Mrs. Jesse Himmelsbach of Baker, Oregon; Dr. and Mrs. Jon Scott Bailey of

Tallahassee, Florida, and Judge and Mrs. Scott Bailey and children of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bahler of Oregon, Missouri.



REBECCA JO HUFFMAN
Rodney and Connie Huffman of Pecos wish to announce the birth of a daughter, Rebecca Jo, at 10:37 a.m. Saturday, June 13, at the Women's and Children's Hospital in Odessa. She weighed six pounds and eight ounces, and 20 1/2 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Nelms of Cisco. Paternal grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. G.L. Huffman of Cisco. Maternal great-grandmother is Velma Joyner of Cisco.

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OBITUARY

Services For Winnie Tichenor Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Winnie Mobley Tichenor, 79, of Austin, formerly of Cisco, were to be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Kimbrough Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. David Adkins, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, was to officiate. Burial was to be in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Tichenor died at 12:10 a.m. Monday in an Austin nursing home. She was born April 15, 1902, in Cyclone Bell County, Texas. She was a housewife and member of the Episcopal Church. She had previously resided in Cisco and Fort Worth. She was the daughter of Henry L. Mobley, builder of the Mobley Hotel, which later became the Hilton Hotel.

Services Held Wednesday For Frank R. Leach

Funeral services for Frank R. Leach, 87, of Stillwater, Okla., formerly of Cisco, were to be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Cisco Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Bill Weeks of First Presbyterian Church was to officiate. Burial was to be in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mr. Leach died Monday morning in Stillwater, Okla. He was born July 26, 1893, in Seneca, Ohio. He married Jewel L. Casey on June 1, 1929, in Eastland. He had been a driller for Gallagher-Lawson Oil Company and later worked for the Cisco Post Office until his retirement in 1959. He served in France in World War I and received the Purple Heart and Oak Leaf Cluster. He was a member of the Cisco American Legion for 60 years, and in 1960 received a 50-year pin from the Cisco Masonic Lodge. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church.

His wife preceded him in death May 15, 1980.

Survivors include a son, Franklin R. Leach of Stillwater, Okla.; two sisters, and six grandchildren.

Final Rites For Julia Westerman Held Monday

Funeral services for Julia Westerman, 89, a lifelong Cisco area resident, were at 10 a.m. Monday at the Cisco Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. John Clinton, pastor of the First Evangelical Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in the Rising Star Cemetery. Mrs. Westerman died at 7:30 a.m. Saturday in E.L.

Graham Memorial Hospital in Cisco after a long illness. She was born November 16, 1892, in Sabanno, near Cisco. She married the late Benjamin H. Westerman on November 24, 1906, in Sabanno.

Survivors include three daughters, Nellie Joe Melder of Tyler, Ima Jean Johnson of Eastland and Gladys Ricks of Cisco; two brothers, Charlie and Dick Hutton, both of Cisco; a sister, Neomi Hutton of Cisco; 14 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren and 13 great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Funeral Services For Preston Kelly Held Tuesday

Funeral services for Preston H. (Jack) Kelly, 80, of Cisco, were at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Kimbrough Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. David Adkins of First United Methodist Church officiated. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mr. Kelly died at 11:30 a.m. Sunday in E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital. He was born October 2, 1900, in Morgan. He was a veteran of World War I, serving in the U.S. Army, and was a retired division clerk for Exxon Corporation. He married Marcia Pettit on June 9, 1928, in Cisco. A member of First United Methodist Church, he was a member and past president of the Cisco Lions Club and was a life member of the Texas Lions League for Crippled Children.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Phillip of Houston and four grandsons, Matthew, serving in the U.S. Navy in Virginia, Thomas, Paul and Timothy, all of Houston.

Pallbearers were J.C. Fletcher, Carl Gorr, Truman Kirk, Archie Channess, Eddie McMillan and Jack Farleigh.

Honorary pallbearers were Dr. Ayres Cermin, Norman Houston and O.L. Stamey.

Services Held Monday For Mary Jane Walker

Funeral services for Mary Jane Walker, 39, of Bandera, were at 2 p.m. Monday at Ross Langham Mortuary in Corpus Christi. The Rev. Lester Roloff, a Baptist minister, officiated. Burial was at Seaside Cemetery in Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Walker was found dead here about 11 a.m. Saturday at her mother's home where she was visiting. Dr. E.E. Addy, Jr., ruled she died of natural causes.

She was born August 20, 1941, in Robstown. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include her mother, Nina Kirkpatrick of Cisco; and a daughter, Kelly Jane Walker of Kingsville.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAY MORNING: Everything south of 8th Street to the Interstate but everything east of Avenue D and the edge of town.

It will be necessary from now on for you to HAVE YOUR TRASH OUT BY 8:00 A.M. If it is not out when the trash truck comes by it will not be picked up until the next pick-up day.

INVITATION TO BID
The City of Cisco is inviting Grass Lease bids on the following City property:
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