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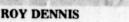
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Chamber Of Commerce Officers For 1985



WM. E. AUSTIN, JR.

served.



Goodfellows Help 184 Persons

The Goodfellows organization of Cisco distributed food to 53 different families here on Saturday, Dec. 22, and toys were given to 59 children (between the ages of 0 and 12 years) on Monday, Dec. 24.

In the 53 families there were 84 adults and 100 youths for a total of 184 persons

Firemen Will Item Saturday

As a public service, Cisco Volunteer Firemen will be

The local organization distributed approximately 275 pounds of turkey and 295 pounds of ham, along with 2,500 pounds of produce (potatoes, onions, apples, oranges, cabbage, celery, and lettuce). They also gave out 2,000 cans, jars and boxes of food, as well as 1,160 pounds of sugar, flour and meal. Dried beans were distributed in the amount of Deliver Surprise 950 pounds and bread in the amount of 187 pounds. Toys which retailed at

\$1,200.00 were passed out on Christmas Eve. The Goodfellows Board of Directors wishes to thank

Allsup's (Pat Swiney at Eastland) for turkeys, all at

cost. Cal/Texas Produce Co. (Jack L. Ray) for all produce at cost plus 10 percent. In addition, they donated grapefruit and radishes, which probably put the actual cost of all produce at cost.

Mrs. Baird's Bakeries (James Parten) who charged one-half of wholesale.

Cisco Intermediate School (Bob Lindsey, principal) which donated approximately 500 cans of food from all grades, 3 thru 6.

If anyone has a sewer pro-

water leak on the weekend or

during a holiday, please call

the Cisco Fire Department

at 442-3078 (non-emergency

number). They will then

relay the message on to the

appropriate personnel that

are available to address the

problem. Police emergen-

were released to their

The boys and their parents

were reportedly questioned

about the burglary and van-

dalism before the youths

The boys were arrested by

officers Randy Haskins,

Chris Key and Frank Thum-

suden after they were

allegedly seen crawling out a

window of the house.

Haskins reportedly said

several thousand dollars

parents.

town trip.

were released.

house.

Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. for

of toys.

manager) for a discount from already reduced prices baskets.'

Western Auto (Harold Reich, owner) for toys at one-half price, cost on some, and some which were donated.

LINDA COZART

JOE COOPER

Munden's Discount Store (Stewart McCoy, manager) for a 25 percent discount on all toy purchases.

Persons receiving food and toys also expressed their appreciation to the Goodfellows organization, and especially the donors, through the following notes of thanks:

"Thank you so very much

Another card reads, 'Thanks so much for the

PATSY HOGAN

IVAN WEBB

A thank you note addressed to the Goodfellows and the Church of Christ was also received stating, "I wish to thank the Goodfellows for the nice basket of food that was given to me for Christmas. I was happy to share with seven other familys.

"I also wish to thank the I-20 Church of Christ for the Aice basket of food they gave me. May God Bless each and every one. GOODFELLOWS

DONOR LIST

New Year's Day Is National Holiday

Tuesday, Jan. 1, will be observed as a holiday by virtually all Cisco area business firms, according to a survey Friday. New Year's Day is one of the holidays that local firms observe each year. City and county offices, financial institutions, and retailers will be open as

usual on Monday, the last

day of the year.

New officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce will officially assume their duties Jan. 1st but the first meeting of the new year will be held Tuesday, Jan. 8. The CofC board normally meets on the first Tuesday of each month but with the meeting date falling on a holiday, the organizational meeting will be delayed a

week, Manager Randy Speegle reported.

New officers were introduced at a meeting of the membership on Wednesday, Dec. 19, as follows: Wm. E. Austin, Jr., president; Shirley Hargrave, Joe Cooper and Ivan Webb, vice presidents; and Roy Dennis, Linda Cozart and Patsy Hogan, new directors.

County Officials Take Over Duties January 1st

Two county, one district, one regional and six precinct officials who were elected in last November's general election will take over their duties at 12:01 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 1, 1985

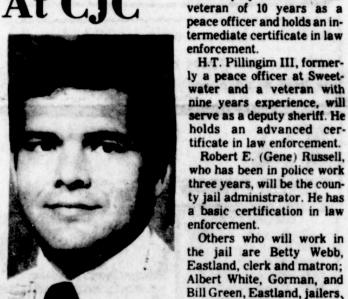
Don Underwood, who lives south of Eastland in the Pumpkin Center community, will take over as sheriff of Eastland County. Nancy Trout, reelected to a 4th

Football Coach Resigns At CJC

Robert L. (Bob) Keyes, head football coach at Cisco Junior College for the past three seasons, has resigned that position to accept a position as an assistant coach at Abilene Christian University, according to an announcement here.

term as county tax assessor and collector, will take a new oath of office for four years. District Judge Jim Wright and Appeals Court Judge Rawleigh Brown will begin new terms. Five constables were elected to four-year terms, including Ted Parrish of Cisco, Gene Hicks of Rising Star, Gary Keesee of Gorman, Jesse Brown of

Ranger and Bill Hunter of



Eastland. Jim Field is the justice of peace who was taking office at Ranger.

Mr. Underwood, who is confined to his home with a liver ailment, was sworn in late Wednesday, Dec. 26, by County Clerk JoAnn Johnson. He told this newspaper that he was prepared to assume his duties although he was not expected to be released from his home by a doctor by Jan.

Mr. Underwood announced that Jerry Heflin of Eastland would be named chief deputy sheriff. He is a veteran of 10 years as a peace officer and holds an intermediate certificate in law enforcement.

H.T. Pillingim III, formerly a peace officer at Sweetwater and a veteran with nine years experience, will serve as a deputy sheriff. He holds an advanced certificate in law enforcement. Robert E. (Gene) Rus

Both Mr. and Mrs. Under-

wood grew up in Eastland

County. He began work in

law enforcement 18 years

ago as a DPS trooper in

Sweetwater. He returned to

Eastland in March, 1983, to

work for the City of

Eastland's police depart-

ment. He holds an advanced

certificate as a law enforce-

delivering a surprise item here Saturday, Dec. 29, from a local merchant. To be left at each household in Cisco, the deliveries will begin at 10 a.m.

Pickups will be identified as Cisco Volunteer Firemen who will be making the deliveries.

the following: Quickway Grocery (Roy Dennis) for arranging to obtain all dry groceries and hams through C.D. Hartnett Company of Fort Worth and Weatherford at his cost and

eggs through Abilene Poultry below his cost.

En caro ano como como HALL OF REMARKS BY HERREL HALLWARK some come come

ONCE AGAIN I am going to "borrow" something from the First United Methodist **Church newsletter because it** pertains to the time of year we are approaching. The article is as follows: A NEW YEAR

He came to my desk with quivering lip,

The lesson was done. "Have you a new leaf for me, dear Teacher?

I have spoiled this one!" I took his leaf, all soiled and blotted And gave him a new one, all unspotted. Then into his tired heart I smiled: "Do better now, my Child!"

I went to the throne with trembling heart,

The year was done. "Have you a New Year for me, dear Master? I have spoiled this one!" He took my year, all soiled and blotted And gave me a new one, all unspotted, Then into my tired heart he smiled: "Do better now, my Child!" -Selected

MAIL BOXES at the Cisco Post Office will be moved from their new location along Avenue E, back to their old location at the corner of West 6th and Avenue F. The reason for moving them back is the fact that construction is underway for

CISCO KID CAR WASH 3rd St. and Ave. E Where Most People Wash. Wash your venetian blinds, throw rugs, motor. c-52

the new drive-thru facility at the Avenue E location. Since the area is to be barricaded off for the construction workers, the boxes are being moved back to their original location for

customer convenience on a

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temporary basis. It is estimated that the new drive-thru facility will be finished in approximately a week, if the weather holds out, and the boxes will be placed in a permanent position along Avenue E.

THE POST Office will be closed on Tuesday, Jan. 1, for New Year's Day only. They will have regular business hours and delivery on Monday and it will resume on Wednesday.

MR. AND MRS. Wesley Smith of Cisco spent the holidays with their son and his family, Dr. and Mrs. William C. Smith of Las Cruces, N.M. and their two children, Tanya and Brad. The Smiths of New Mexico are associated with Lockheed there.

> SUBSCRIPTION A renewal Mrs. J.L. Sherman of Kerrville, Tx., contained the following letter: Dear Sirs,

> Enclosed is my check to renew my subscription to The Cisco Press.

> I was born and raised in Cisco. I was Norma Ghormley, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W.I. Ghormley. I have taken the paper

ever since I graduated from high school there in 1938. I look forward to every issue.

the house is currently look-I WISH you and yours a ing after the house, since the very HAPPY NEW YEAR. owner is in a nursing home.

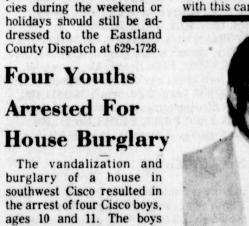
several cases of fruit drink. for the generous donation Kiwanis Club for sorting you shared with us. Thanks and delivering food. to you, our children will have Mott's (Ed Clark, a better Christmas. For that we humbly thank you. Also

City Hall Will through you we see the true meaning of Christmas and Be Closed On the kind of love that Jesus' birth was all about. May God Monday, Jan. 1 bless you for what you have done for so many. City Hall will be closed on

"May the blessings of Tuesday, January 1, 1985, in Christmas - LOVE, PEACE and JOY - remain with you observance of New Year's Day. There will be no garthroughout the year.' Another says, "Thanks to bage collection on that day

and the landfill will be closthe Goodfellows of Cisco for the fine basket of food that I received for Christmas." blem or wants to report a

"To the Goodfellows of Cisco, thank you all for helping us have a very Merry Christmas" was written inside a thank-you card which contained the following verse: Your kindness meant so much to us, that's why we want to say That our sincere and warmest thanks come with this card today.



RANDY SPEEGLE

They will remain in their **Speegle Resigns** parents' custody until the Eastland County juvenile officer returns from an out-of-As Chamber

Manager Jan. 1

Cisco Chamber of Commerce Manager Randy Speegle submitted his resignation Dec. 18, to be effective January 1st, 1985, at a called board meeting of the directors. The reason for his resignation is "to actively pursue personal interest in a growing business in Cisco." At this time. Mr. Speegle

worth of damage had been done to the interior of the would like to thank everyone who has helped make these A relative of the owner of past two years successful for the Chamber and he hopes to stay very active in the community and the Chamber.

Anonymous- \$20.00. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilson, In honor of Mrs. Ada Mobley of Seminole, Ok .-\$50.00.

Donations to Date --\$5,313.75.



The Christmas holidays have come and gone, and now we look forward to seeing what surprises 1985 have in store for us.

One of the primary things that each of us must be alert to, in 1985, is to maintain our health. This means that we must be conscious of our diet and plan "maintenance health", in other words take good care of ourselves, as we progress through the new year.

We encourage you to make a New Year's resolution, and that is that you will support the Cisco Senior Center and let us help you plan for a healthier year. Why not call 442-1557 and make reservations, now, if you are 60

potatoes, tossed salad with cheese, fruit cobbler, bread, butter and drink. Friday- Chicken pie, car-

rots, turnip greens, sliced peaches, bread, butter and milk

Dear Santa.

DEAR SANTA,

I have been a good boy. Please bring me a "Bigfoot' and Masters of the Universe set. Thank you.

Love. Chris Kleiner

DEAR SANTA, I want for Christmas is a Cabbage Patch doll and ruba-dub doggie. Love. Kristi

Merry Christmas Santa!

Mr. Keyes, who will be the ACU Wildcat staff's offense coordinator under a new coach named recently, will assume his duties at the Abilene school Jan. 1. He and his family were spending the holidays moving to Abilene.

Mr. Keyes, 36, was a fouryear letterman at ACU. He served as a team captain and won honorable mention as an All-Southland Conference lineman. He was an all-state center in high school at Seminole, and he received the ACU Best Blocker award in 1969.

Mr. Keyes holds a BS degree in physical education and math, graduating in 1970. He received a master of education degree in 1974 from ACU.

Before coming to Cisco in 1978 as a member of Coach Bill Anderson's staff, Mr. Keves coached at Graham, Round Rock, Hereford and Amarillo High Schools. He was named CJC head coach in 1982 and had a 19-10 record in three seasons at the helm of the Wranglers. His team had an 8-2 record in 1984 and was 7-3 in 1983.

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Keyes.

Doolittle, Mr. Keyes expected 20 or sophomore tackle on the more sophomore members **Cisco Junior College football** of the 1984 Wrangler squad to team, has signed a scholarreceive senior college ship agreement with the scholarships.

University of Illinois, accor-Writers Club ding to a report by Coach Bob Keyes of CJC. Will Not Meet Doolittle, who was named

to the JC Gridwire All-America team for the 1984 will not have their January season, weighs 310 pounds meeting in Tuesday, and is six feet and five inches January 1, due to the holitall. He plays tackle. He is a dav native of Abilene where he finished high school.

It was understood that Doolittle would transfer to the Illinois school for the spring semester.

Doolittle received offers of scholarships at Tulane, Wichita State, Ohio State, the Universities of Indiana and Ohio and has been approached by Southwest Conference schools and others, Coach Keyes reported.

BOB KEYES

Athletic Director Harold (Ace) Prescott said that it would be some time after the first of the year before selection of a successor to Coach Keyes would be named. Dr. Henry E. McCullough, president of the college, was out of town for the holidays.

recently had a change in

head coaches and the new

mentor has hired five new

assistants, including Mr.

The Cisco Writers Club

It will be held Tuesday,

January 8, at 7:00 p.m. at the

home of Lela Lloyd.

PTO Board

Will Not Meet

The regular monthly

meeting of the P.T.O. Ex-

ecutive Board will not be

held in January. The next

meeting will be February 5,

ment officer. "Bob Keyes had done a Mr. Underwood told this fine job for us," Mr. Prescott newspaper that "I am anxsaid. "While we hate to lose ious to begin work as the him, we appreciate the new sheriff of this county." He opportunity that has come said his doctor told him that for him and certainly wish he would be able to go to his him well in his new assignoffice in a week or so "and I'm looking forward." The Abilene university

District Judge Wright, who has served on the 91st court bench for five years, will be starting his second elected term. He was appointed to the post when Judge Earl Conner retired and was elected to the office four years ago. He was reelected for a new four-year term last November.

Eastland Court of Appeals, and he will begin a second term.

Mr. Parrish, who was appointed constable of the Cisco precinct when the late S.E. Parkinson passed away, was elected to a four year term. J.V. Heyser, who was elected as justice of the peace in the Cisco precinct, took office last month to serve the unexpired term of the late Carlton Holder.

At Rising Star, Mr. Hicks was re-elected to a second four year term. In Eastland, Bill Hunter was re-elected for his 4th term. Mr. Keesee and Mr. Brown begin new four-year terms Jan. 1.

Johnny Morren, who will complete six years as sheriff of the county on Dec. 31st, told this newspaper that he was undecided about his future. He said he was considering several oppor-

years of age or older. The menus for the coming week will be: Monday- Beef stew, tossand milk.

ed salad, apple sauce, gingerbread, bread, butter Wednesday- Swiss steak,

