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HALL OF REMARKS

BY HERREL HALLMARK

I HOPE you are enjoying the warmer temperatures we have been experiencing these past few days. Even though the winds are still nippy, the days do not seem as cold following the below freezing weather of the past few weeks.
It seems as though it has been quite a while since our house was warm enough for us to turn down the gas fires to be comfortable, but this weekend we were actually able to turn off a few stoves. Let's hope all the water leaks can be fixed before any

more really cold weather hits this area.
1984 WILL hopefully be a better year for everyone we know and for the city of Cisco and its citizens. We are thankful for all the blessings we received in 1983 and hope and pray for our continued health and freedom in the United States in this new year.
We hope that everyone will join us in praying for peace and love towards everyone in the world.

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Andrews Given Probated Sentence In Garcia Case

Brenda Gail Andrews, 22, of Rising Star was convicted on charges of criminal conspiracy and given a 10-year probated sentence by Judge Jim Wright in 91st District Court last Friday afternoon in the Garcia murder case.
The woman's trial had been scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. Tuesday in the 91st Court but she was permitted to plead "no contest" to second degree felony charges as part of a plea-bargaining agreement worked out by her attorney, Bill Buckner, of Georgetown.
Mrs. Andrews had been indicted by an Eastland County grand jury for capital murder in the death of Debra Jo Garcia, 29, Cisco convenience store worker in November, 1981. Two men, Charles and Thomas LeFlore, had previously been sentenced to terms of 65 and 50 years, respectively, on murder charges in the case.
The original capital charges against Mrs. Andrews was later reduced to murder after she spent several weeks in the county jail. She had been free under \$10,000 bond.
Attorney Buckner told the Press, after the Friday trial, that he would make only one statement: "She was indicted for capital murder and convicted of criminal conspiracy."
The trial began at 3:10 p.m. and Mrs. Andrews appeared subdued and spoke in a soft voice that was barely audible in the court room. The judge and attorneys asked her if she understood each phase of the proceedings and she answered in the affirmative. Only a handful of people attended the trial, which came as a surprise to observers.
Mrs. Andrews was sane and was not under the influence of any type of drugs, her attorney told the court. He said that under the charge of criminal conspiracy, she could receive from two to 20 years in prison and a fine up to \$10,000 for the second degree felony.
In a stipulation of evidence, which Mrs. Andrews signed, the court was told that she understood that what she was doing was the same as making a confession. The judge informed her that she couldn't appeal the proceedings without his agreement.
District Attorney Emory Walton read the document, which stated that Mrs. Andrews, Charles LeFlore and Thomas LeFlore "did agree mutually to aid and abet Charles LeFlore and Thomas LeFlore in the flight and secreting of the body of Debra Jo Garcia" who was shot by one of the LeFlore brothers.
The document continued, quoting Mrs. Andrews, that she aided and abetted in the "unlawful suppression of evidence," such as hiding the gun, which has never been recovered, and disposing of Mrs. Garcia's body.
After the document was read, Mrs. Andrews testified that the statement was true as read by Mr. Walton and that she had not been mistreated in any way by officers conducting their investigation nor had she been pressured to make Friday's agreement.
Mrs. Andrews said she had no criminal record other than a simple assault, which is a misdemeanor.
Informing his client that he was "going to behave like the district attorney" in questioning her and informing her of the rules of proba-

tion, Mr. Buckner said: "No more assaults, no more bad checks, no more drinking, no more partying... If the judge gives you probation, is it true that an uncle in Woodson has a job for you?... You must pay court costs of about \$247 and probation fees... If you can't live up to the rules of probation, perhaps it would be better if you went to prison for two or three years. Which do you prefer?"
Mrs. Andrews answered, in almost a whisper, "probation."
The district attorney warned her that she must stay away from people with bad reputations and people on probation. He informed her that she must be a good mother to her two children, ages 2 and 4.
Some 20 minutes after the proceedings began, Judge Wright pronounced the defendant guilty of criminal conspiracy and "I sentence you to 10 years, suspended, and place you on probation," he said.
"You have been found guilty of criminal conspiracy. If you violate any of the terms, if you commit any offense against the state—if you violate any one thing, it won't take me three seconds to send you to prison."
Mr. Buckner told the court he wanted to make one final statement, in which he pro-

posed Eastland County law enforcement officials. "If there had been one scintilla of evidence of murder on this
No Word From Arrest Warrant
Cisco police had not heard anything from or about a local man who was named last Friday in an arrest warrant charging him with enticing a minor after the disappearance of his 11-year old son from the parked car of the man's ex-wife.
LeRoy Kirby, 32, was named in the arrest warrant issued by Cisco police. He had telephoned police from an Abilene attorney's office soon after the boy's disappearance and indicated they they would be returning to Cisco. The incident occurred in downtown Cisco.
Sgt. Lonnie Knight said the warrant had been sent to Abilene police but they had not heard anything further in the case.
Police Chief Billy Rains said the boy's mother, Mrs. Sharon Carlton of Eastland, advised him that the boy was returned to her by his father on Sunday.
Mr. Rains believed the man has returned to Azle where he has been working.

party, she would stand trial next week for murder," he said.
"She stands now in front of the eyes of the community and the state not guilty of murder, but guilty of criminal conspiracy, which is a very serious offense and she is guilty of that."
"This is a poor, ignorant, little girl with two children who, in my opinion, has been hounded, not by the police, courts or prosecutor, but by certain members of the press. If ever, any one of the press alleges this little girl is a murderer, they will be brought into court by me," he concluded.
After the proceedings, Mrs. Andrews left the courtroom and reported to the county probation office.
Both Charles and Thomas LeFlore, who were sentenced after pleading guilty to murder charges in the case, were returned to the Eastland County Jail on Dec. 15th as court authorities prepared for the third case. Sheriff Johnny Morren reported that they would be returned to Huntsville on January 4th.
Court authorities told this newspaper that they were not ready to write "closed" on the Garcia case after the third trial ended. It was indicated that investigations would continue.



WATER REPAIR CREWS of the City of Cisco were working in 700 block of Conrad Hilton Avenue last Friday afternoon on one of numerous water leaks. The city crews are continuing their work of repairing water leaks during warmer weather. (Staff Photo)

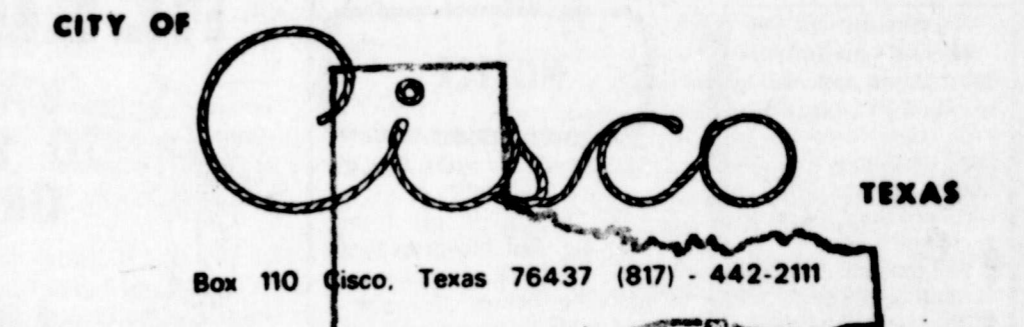
Pump Problem Causes Water Pressure Drop

Problems with pumping equipment at Lake Cisco and at College Hill resulted in city water pressure dropping to near zero for some 10 hours Monday. City Manager Mike Moore reported. The water pressure stood at about 40 pounds, about half of normal, at the fire station early Tuesday.
An electric valve at the Lake Cisco pump station failed to open Sunday night and this resulted in the College Hill reservoir being pumped empty, Mr. Moore said. When the problem was discovered, workmen began looking for the trouble.
One of the two pumps at College Hill, which send water to the overhead storage tower in South Cisco, **Scranton Won't Hold Musical**
The regular monthly musical program will not be held in January at the Scranton Community Center due to lack of water caused by the recent freezing weather, according to an announcement. The center hopes to have service restored for activities to be resumed next month.

also became inoperative, dealing a crippling blow to efforts to supply water to customers.
The pumping trouble, along with leaking water lines, resulted in the zero pressure situation. City water work crews were on the job all day Monday, throughout Monday night and were continuing Tuesday in efforts to repair leaks.
Mr. Moore said the thawing weather was proving to be about as much of a problem as the severe freezing weather, and the old and brittle pipes were rupturing about as fast as workers could repair them.
An Abilene pump repair concern had been recruited to join city employees Tuesday to solve the electrical problems with Lake Cisco and College Hill equipment, the city manager said.
"We are doing everything we can to repair our damaged lines and equipment," Mr. Moore said. "Our men are working long hours and we have recruited extra help in our efforts to restore ser-

vice. With improving weather, we are hopeful that water service will improve a bit every day. Bear with us... we're doing the best we can."
Cisco Man Held In Shooting Case
Buford Glen Whitehead, 26-year old Ciscoan, was in the Eastland County jail Tuesday as the result of a shooting incident at 2:05 p.m. Sunday at the Fontaine Apartments, 215 West 8th Street, in Cisco.
Jerral (Bo) Anderson, 22, of Wichita Falls was in stable condition at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene after undergoing surgery Sunday for removal of a bullet from his stomach. He was the victim of the shooting incident, according to Police Sergeant Lonnie Knight.
Whitehead was charged with attempted capital murder and for attempted murder in the incident, and bonds totalling \$65,000 were set by Justice of the Peace R.G. Lyerla of Eastland. Authorities said that bond was also denied on a warrant for the renovation of Whitehead's probation in another case.
Sgt. Knight reported that Anderson and his wife, Margaret, 20, had gone to the apartment to recover belongings of Mrs. Anderson when they discovered Whitehead there. Mrs.

Anderson had been living there for some time before reconciling with her husband recently.
The Andersons requested Cisco police to accompany them to the apartment, Sgt. Knight said. When they entered, the officer said that Whitehead grabbed a .22 caliber pistol that was under a couch cushion and shot Anderson.
The gun was then turned on Policeman Lynn Johnson and Policewoman Risa Biggs and it jammed. The police were able to subdue him. Police had a warrant dated Dec. 28 for the arrest of Whitehead on probation violation.
District Attorney Emory Walton was expected to present the shooting case to a 91st District Court grand jury this month.
Abilene hospital spokesmen indicated that Anderson's condition was satisfactory. The Andersons are the parents of a three-year old daughter.
In other weekend activities, police arrested a man for public intoxication and another for disorderly conduct.



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December 30, 1983
Editor
The Cisco Press
Cisco, Texas 76437

Dear Editor:
Today I received in the mail a copy of a Letter to the Editor written by Mr. Stanley Pirtle, along with a check to the city in the amount of \$100.00. Both were in appreciation of the city employees who worked in extremely bad weather conditions on Christmas eve and Christmas morning to repair the broken main line which brings the city's water supply into town.

This was a very generous gesture on the part of Mr. Pirtle, and we sincerely thank him. I think his suggestion that others in the city might show their appreciation to those who gave up a Christmas eve and Christmas morning with family so that our townspeople could have water that day is a very, very good idea. My company and I are following Mr. Pirtle's lead by sending our check to the City to be distributed among these loyal city employees.

Certainly we all are grateful beyond words to these gentlemen who worked so tirelessly all night long, in temperatures down near zero and a wind-chill factor 25 or 30 degrees below zero. I would encourage others who are inclined to do so to show their appreciation in this manner.

Once again, hats off to a fine city water crew for not only the Christmas eve emergency job they did, but for the hard work they are yet continuing to do in repairing all the water main leaks throughout the city which were caused by the unusually cold weather of the past two weeks.

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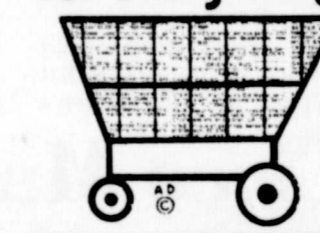
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Drilling Bits

Flowing 108 barrels of crude per day, a new producer has been finalized in the Ivadell Field by Ensearch Exploration Inc. of Bridgeport.

The location is in a 44-acre lease in the Stephens County SP RR Co. Survey, nine miles southeast of Breckenridge. Well's designation is the No. 5 Stovard Unit 5.

With tubing pressure of 475 PSI, the well was perforated to produce from an interval 4,375 to 4,420 feet into the hole. Total drilling depth was 4,646 feet, and the pay zone was entered at 4,375 feet.

Flowing natural gas at the rate of 223,000 CF per day on a 6/64-inch choke, the No. 2 Morse is a new developmental well in the Stephens County Munnerlyn Field. Thomas C. Canan of Wichita Falls is the operator.

The well exhibited absolute open flow potential of 780,000 CF. Location is in a 251-acre lease in the T & P RR Co. Survey, about 15 miles southeast of Breckenridge.

After entering the pay

zone at 3,996 feet, the well bottomed at 4,086 feet and will produce from a set of perforations ranging from 3,996 to 4,023 feet into the hole.

AMV Operating Inc. of Lawton, Okla., has staked location for a pair of 1,995-ft. oil or gas wildcats five miles southeast of Eastland. The wells are designated as the No. 1 Terrell, located in an 80-acre lease in the McLennan School Land Survey, A-367, and the No. 2 Hazard "A," located in a 160-acre lease, same survey and abstract.

Pumping 93 barrels of oil and 125,000 CF gas per day on open choke, the No. 2 L.R. Pearson Jr. has been completed in Eastland County's REB Field, five miles north of Eastland.

Lee Roy Pearson Jr. of Ranger is the operator.

With bottomhole at 3,907 feet, the well will produce from a perforated interval in the Marble Falls Formation, 3,505 to 3,535 feet. It is in an 80-acre unit in the H&TCRR Survey A-1896.

Two 1,000-ft. gas wildcats are scheduled for spudding in Eastland County within the city limits of Mangum. With Regal Operating Inc. of Eastland as the operator, the wells are designated as the No. 1-A and No. 2-A H.L. Smith. They are in a 181-acre lease in the North Rosseau Survey A-425.

Cisco-based EnRe Inc. has filed for permit to drill the No. 1 Wallenberg "490" in Eastland County's DRS Field, 10 miles northwest of Cisco. Carrying permit for 4,300-ft. total depth, the well is in a 320-acre lease in the SPRR Survey A-948.

Two new producers with combined potential to pump 80 barrels of oil per day have been completed in Eastland County's Nimrod Field, seven miles south of Cisco. Au-Na Oil and Gas Inc. of Eastland is the operator.

Designated as the No. 14 and No. 17 Texas, the wells are in a 160-acre lease in the H&TCRR Survey Sec. 94, Blk. 3.

Both wells bottomed at 1,367 feet. Production intervals will range from 1,321 to 1,335 feet into the hole in the Cross Cut Formation.

Ridge Oil Co. of Breckenridge has completed the No. 1 Abbott-Reynolds in the REB Field, pumping 62 barrels of oil per day on open choke along with 45,000 CF casinghead gas.

The well is in a 42-acre lease in the H&TCRR Survey Sec. 50 Blk. 4, seven miles northeast of Cisco.

It was taken to a 4,050-ft. bottom and will produce from a set of perforations in the Marble Falls Formation, 3,478 to 3,488 feet into the wellbore.

The No. 1 Charles Murphree is scheduled to be drilled in the Eastland Regular Field by Twin Drilling Co. of Rising Star. It is slated for maximum depth of 1,500 feet and is aimed at either oil or gas pay. Location is in a 40-acre drilling unit in the H&TCRR Survey Sec. 58, Blk. 3, about one mile north of Romney.

EASTLAND

Eastland County Judge Scott Bailey has written a letter to U.S. Senator Lloyd Benson, U.S. Senator John Tower and U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm asking the legislators to consider the reauthorization of the Older American Act. This Act concerns Federal funding of programs such as the Nutrition Project. A portion of the Judge's letter reads as follows: "It has been my observation on a county, regional and state-wide basis, that this act has benefited as a wide segment of our growing number of older Texans."

On Jan. 7 starting at 9:00 a.m. there will be four workshops on Dairy, Beef, Swine and Sheep projects for Eastland County youth. The workshops will deal with selection, feeding, groom, and showing. All new 4-H and FFA members who are showing livestock projects are particularly encouraged to attend this training.

Four promotions at Eastland National Bank have been announced by H.T. Wilson, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, and Grover Hallmark, President. Mike Perry has been promoted to the position of Executive Vice President, Pam White has been promoted to Assistant Vice President, Jean Flinn has been named Assistant Cashier and Auditor, and Lawrence P. Bertsch, Comptroller.

CISCO

Cisco Junior College Spring Registration will be held Jan. 16-17. Registration will be held in the Student Union Building from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. on both days. Night registration is scheduled for one night only, Jan.

16 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Classes will begin Jan. 18 at all locations, but late registration will continue through Jan. 27 on the Cisco campus.

The Directors of Kingdom Kids 1 and 11 announce that sessions will resume at the First United Methodist and First Evangelical Methodist Churches on Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1984. Children up to the 6th Grade are invited to join in this program of Christian activities.

RANGER

M.D. Underwood of Ranger, Justice of the Peace of Precinct 2, has resigned from that office. He will serve until a successor is named, probably around Feb. 1.

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Small Acreage With Homes

Very pretty place, a large 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home on approx. 10 acres. Located south of Cisco. 2 irrigation wells, good fences, big shop and barn. \$130,000

Outside Cisco, approx. 17 acres with very nice 3 bedroom, bath and a half, double wide mobile home. Large carport, big front deck. One water well and two tanks. 1/4 minerals. Owner financing available at 10%

In Carbon, 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath, rock home on 4 acres, shop, barn, fruit trees. \$31,500

In Carbon, 3 acres with a 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home. Small barn and pen. Pecan and fruit trees, some coastal. \$13,000

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Morton Valley, approx. 4.9 acres with a 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home. 2 car detached garage, 3 storage buildings, water well, stock tank, and butane tank. City water to house. \$28,000

Farms And Ranches

131 acres southwest of Cisco with 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath frame home, cultivation and timber, 4 water wells, barns, some minerals. Owner financing available. \$160,000

40 acres off 2526 out of Carbon, nearly all in love grass, some minerals, \$900 per acre.

40 acres located south of Cisco on 183, native pasture with scattered pecan trees, one well and tank, fenced (3) sides. \$42,000

Near Eastland and Lake Leon, 49.6 wooded acres with six tanks and spring, on FM 2214, good place to hunt and fish, assumable loan. \$55,000

Near Lake Leon, a 20 acre tract of land. Some cultivation and good hunting area. \$30,000

320 acres located between Carbon and Gorman. Some cultivation but mostly wooded. Good fences and hunting, some minerals included. \$500 per acre. Owner financed at 9%

5 acres near Eastland. 1-20 frontage. \$5,000 per acre. Terms can be arranged.

160 acres in Union Center area with large new beautiful 3 bedroom brick home, coastal, game, and good fences. \$180,000

248 acres located on old Abilene Hwy. west of Cisco, mostly cleared with some wooded acreage, good fences, 1/2 minerals with leasing rights.

100 acres between Lake Leon and Desdemona, all in cultivation and coastal. Good 5 wire fence and cross fence, shallow water. Owner finance at 9%. 800 per acre.

640 acres approx. 17 miles northwest of Breckenridge with 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame house, 175 acres cultivation with remainder in pasture. Some minerals with leasing rights. \$583 per acre.

160 acres off Hwy. 183 eight miles south of Cisco, 100 acres cultivation, remainder trees. \$600 per acre.

116 acres east of Cross Plains with large brick home, 90 acres cultivation, several out buildings, stock tank. (4) water wells. \$186,000

106 acres east of Cross Plains, 90 acres cultivation, barn, corrals, stock tank and water well. \$72,000

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Cisco Homes

CISCO HOMES

3 bedroom, brick home with CH/CA, new carpet, fenced yard, fruit trees and garage. Assumable loan.

Nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 brick home in good neighborhood. Has CH/CA, built-ins, fireplace, fenced yard, double garage and other extras.

Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home. New carpet, large rooms. Nice trees and shrubbery. Owner financing at 10%

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A nice 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, CH/CA, carpet, large rooms, also has a small apartment and storage building. Situated on 2 lots.

Assumable loan, large 4 bedroom, 3 bath brick home, carpet, drapes, CH/CA, fenced backyard, double carport with storage. \$65,000.

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Spotlights & Sidelights

Julie Worthy
How many New Year's Resolutions did you keep?

The ones from 1983? Well, I didn't either, unless "partly" counts. I made one "inside" resolution—the doesn't-show, no-one-else-knows kind. That

one fared well. Not perfectly, but well. Perfection is beyond me, and I don't know whether I'm bragging or complaining when I say that. The hundred pounds I was

going to shove into Limbo, or wherever unwanted lard goes, did not disappear. Obviously, it did not! "Partly." I'm too ashamed to admit what a small fraction it was/is, but regrettably--no, "remorsefully" is a stronger word--remorsefully, I admit I'm far short of the hundred pounds I meant to lose. There's no virtue in admitting this. Anyone who saw me last year knows I'm about as hefty as I ever was. Not quite, but definitely about.

Losing weight has always been a losing proposition for me. That sounds peculiar, but it's accurate. My grandmothers were great cooks, and I'm not sure Mamma wasn't better. I'm no gourmet, but I am appreciative.

I appreciate meat and potatoes, hot breads and gravies, chocolate cakes and banana cream pies.

I'm not a bad cook myself. To wind up in The Pizza House, surrounded by food, really is punishment.

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College graduation probably would have been an impossible dream if I hadn't sustained myself with innumerable grilled cheese sandwiches. Memories come rushing when a hot (what else, from a 550 oven?) cheese pizza is pulled. Or a Canadian Bacon. Or a hamburger. Or any of them. They're all floating on cheese.

"Punishment" is what it is. I hope I enjoyed whatever I'm being punished for. Probably eating.

Weight, or no weight, eighty-four has to be a good year. I will not weigh down (see, I can't get weight off my mind) New Year's Day with resolutions. I'll save them for my birthday...ummm, maybe one secret resolution for New Year's. I seem to do better with unannounced intentions.

It's a cinch no body breaks resolutions he doesn't make, but it does seem sort of antisocial not to make any...how about one for everyone: "Better than before, in nineteen, eight-four!"

Let's all have the best year ever!

Photo Club To Meet January 9

The Microplex Photo Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night, January 9, 1984, at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Texas Electric Reddy

Room, Eastland. All members and interested persons are urged to attend this important meeting as new officers for the year will be elected.

Each person attending is urged to bring a friend with them to generate more interest. An inner-Club competition will also be held with

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- 120 ACRES South of Cisco, 2 bd. Brick home. HA1
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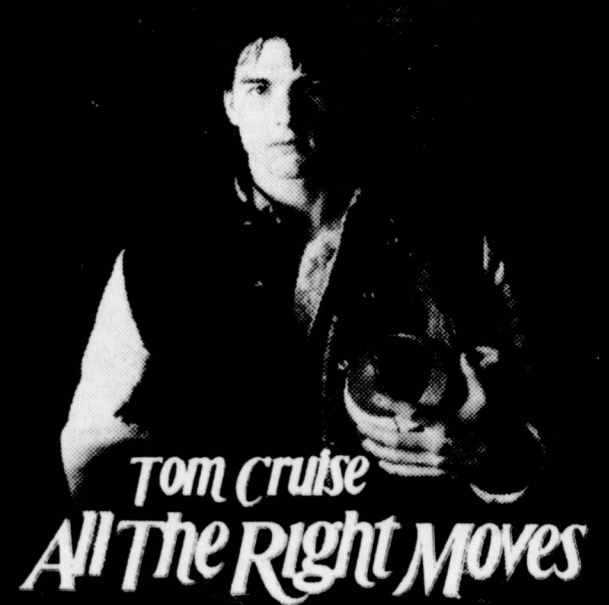
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This extremely cold weather which started about the 15th or 16th of December, 1919, reminded me of the cold weather we had in November, 1919, in

Pioneer, Rising Star and Cross Plains. I, Ruby Curry McCowen was 18 years old at that time and I'm sure many events of that year are gone

from my memory, but how can I forget the birth of the first brother I had, there being six of us sisters already? Very important things were happening which were to fix the weather picture firmly in my mind.

I do not know how long that cold spell lasted but it seems it was worse than we are having now. It snowed, it sleeted, it rained, then sleeted again and froze over until we were "iced in." One could skate all over the frozen mass and my sisters and I made good use of the free skating. What else could one do? No school, no meetings of any kind, not even much work could be done, only cooking and washing dishes.

In the midst of this "hey day" my sisters and I were having, a sinister something began taking shape. The stork began hover-

ing over our house. It would happen at a time like this.

Our good family doctor lived about a mile west of Rising Star. Many will remember Doctor Robert Dill. He and my dad were friends of long standing, having gone to college together and later on both residing in Pioneer for a number of years. Papa even named one of his daughters after Dr. Dill's wife, Gertrude. Doc called her Gertie and so did we. She is now Mrs. T.O. Powell of Cross Plains.

This good doctor had a certain date fixed in his mind concerning my mother's health and I suppose it was the 27th or 28th of that November. He was a kind and conscientious doctor, treating and caring for "would-be mothers" as though they were his own daughters.

The bitter cold and icy conditions were in full swing, come the 27th. Telephone lines were all down between Pioneer and Rising Star, so our doctor had no way of knowing how things were going at the Curry home, some nine or ten miles west of him. He felt very

strongly they were in trouble. And in trouble they were! Very serious trouble.

Papa finally got a call through to the Dr. Rump brothers in Cross Plains. Somehow they made it to our house and found that they were in trouble too. A dangerous situation had developed that they could not handle without endangering my mother's life. Papa must make the decision to settle the question of what measures to take.

With the heart-rending question involving his wife's life Papa knew there was only One who could help him. He went to our car shed and prayed to that One and came back with the right answer. The doctors administered the dangerous medication (but the only hope) and in a short time my first brother, E.M. Curry Jr., was born! It was the 29th day of November, 1919.

While all this was going on, I was babysitting my younger sisters down at my Grandpa Curry's house, just a few hundred yards from ours. I

worried and wondered why we were having to stay away so long, but after many long weary hours, they were able to come and tell us the good news.

The good people who were at my home to help out were Aunt Sid McClure, a good friend and close neighbor; Mrs. C.H. Akin, another good friend, (she was Mrs. Hiram Foster's mother; the Fosters live two miles east of Cross Plains at the present); and my sister Grace, who had already married. Grace recalls that she and I trudged through the snow to Aunt Sid's house and walked her back home with us before I went to Grandpa's. Friends and neighbors in that day really stood by one another when needed.

Meanwhile, Dr. Dill walked the floor and worried, hour after hour those two days and nights, knowing he could not make it in his car. When he could stand it no longer, he saddled up his big white horse, mounted and started for Pioneer at about three in the afternoon of Nov. 29. He came riding up to our house just before dark.

By that time the hopeless looking situa-

tion had been turned into victory. We were all back home by the fireside when we heard a slight noise outside. Papa went quickly to see what was going on. To his surprise and profound pity, there was poor Dr. Dill on the big white horse, nearly frozen.

Papa gently helped him down from the tired animal and into the house, sat him in a chair by the brightly burning fire, gave him some hot coffee, pulled off his shoes and washed his feet in warm water.

Then Papa tried to tell him how sorry he was that he could not get word to him when

he was so sorely needed, but that the good Lord had shown His mercy by sparing both mother and child. Dr. Dill was very happy to learn that all the danger, fear and worry had ended in victory for all concerned.

The doctor spent the night with us and the next day Papa paid him the full amount promised, perhaps more knowing Edd Curry.


Here's hoping there are still good doctors like Dr. Dill and many good fathers like my Papa.

Ruby McCowen

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"And not being weak in faith, he considered not his own body, now dead, when he was about a hundred years old, neither yet the deadness of Sarah's womb." Romans 4:19.

If God had revealed to Abraham that he must wait for years before the promised son would be given to him, there is the possibility that Abraham might have staggered and lost faith.

Jesus in His wisdom, Friend, conceals the future from us. He has His set time for everything. It is not well for us to know the future for our hearts may fail us. So in loving kindness and love Jesus strengthens His own one day at a time.

However, Abraham did not stagger at the promise of God but was strong in faith, giving glory to God. He was fully persuaded that what God had promised, He was able to do.

Look up, waiting one. Jesus will not disappoint you. Wait before the Lord and in Faith, you will not faint. You will even at times run and not be weary.

Thursday, January 5, 1984

God did not create the sunset or the rainbow in a moment of time. The obstacles must be removed one by one in order for you to receive the blessing you desire.

"Some glorious morn—but when?"

Ah, who shall say? The steepest mountain will become a plain. These things shall be on God's appointed day: It may not be tomorrow—yet it may."

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On December 25th Bill Ocker of Cason, Texas fishing in the power plant lake of Welsh, landed the largest black bass caught in public water in Texas, weighing in at 15lbs. 1oz. This ranks Bill's fish the second largest fish caught in Texas.

John Alexander Jr. of Richardson holds the pre-

sent state record at 15lbs. 8oz. from privately owned Lack Echo on Feb. 7th, 1981.

Mr. Ocker's fish was taken on a crawdad colored Rebel mini-R-crankbuilt. Ocker has over 6 fish to his credit over 7lbs., not to shabby.

While fishing Lake Monticello this past week we did not learn of any really big fish being caught, most anglers agreed the continuous cold weather was a deterrent. However, December did see a 11.89 and 2 fish over 10lbs. earlier in the month.

Water temperature was around 50 degrees, which is much cooler than has previously been recorded. 1984 will provide us with a new state record with catches already in December of this magnitude. Who will catch this fish. We can't answer that one thing for sure if your not out there plugin it won't be you.

And why not start now for those big fish, the joy of fishing with an organization concerned with fishing future. Dues for our 1984 season are due, and we will be holding our first meeting Thursday at 7:30 p.m. the 5th. Dues may be payed at this time. Everyone is eligible and urged to attend this meeting and learn more of our club functions. We shall be electing our officers for 1984 plus discussion on format for the coming year. Ya'll come and bring a friend. The Eastland County Bass Club wants to get you hooked on fishing.

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People n Things

THE HOLIDAY season 16 years ago wasn't a very cheerful time for Mr. Jerry McBeth of our town. He recalls that he was a patient in the U.S. Army Hospital's burn center at San Antonio, having suffered severe burns over 61 per cent of his body in a military accident. And half of the burns were classified as third degree.

Over the months and several years that followed, Mr. JMcB underwent major surgery 22 times for skin grafting and repair work to his face, ears and elsewhere.

Today, the McBeths live in their new home in Cisco and his health is reasonably good. He enjoys fairly normal activities and is a good citizen.

"I'm thankful every day," he says.

VISITORS IN Cisco last weekend were the Audie Woolleys, who were en route

back to San Angelo and studies at Angelo State University after a honeymoon to the ski slopes of Colorado. They found temperatures there around 30 degrees while his parents, the Dick Woolleys, were suffering with the mercury around 20 or below in Cisco.

Audie, who graduates from ASU in May, has just received a letter from Texas Tech University to tell him they were "pleased to offer you a 'top priority' position in the freshman class entering Texas Tech U's School of Medicine in August, 1981. Top priority places are offered to those applicants whom the admissions committee feels are exceptionally qualified and whom we would particularly like to have as members of our entering class, and we offer these positions prior to our acceptance of regular candidates."

Audie, who is a straight "A" student and has been since entering the first grade, plans to study medicine and has been taking pre-med courses at ASU. Texas A&M's Medical School has invited him there for an interview. Understand he has applications for admission to two other schools and hasn't decided where he wants to go yet.

In any event, Audie knows that he will have a place in a medical school after receiving the Texas Tech letter. Medical schools accept less than half of applicants these days.

HEARD AN announcer at a big rodeo in Abilene last week talking about Roy Cooper, a champion roper, as having studied at Cisco Junior College. Our scouts report that Cisco officials will be attending a number of important meetings regarding the Mobley Hilton this month. Many, many local folks have signed the petitions endorsing the candidacy of Congressman Charles Stenholm.

If you haven't and want to, call the CofC and see if they still have one that you can sign. The Donald Gorrs were in Brady last weekend at the bedside of her brother who was very ill. Mark Heidenheimer of Abilene,

visited his parents in Cisco en route to Big D and a New Year's weekend reunion with Steve Schultz of Houston. Both were good friends during their high school days here.

IT HAS JUST come to our attention that a very unique box of candy came out from Connie's Candy Kitchen last month -- in time for Christmas giving. The box contains white or dark fudge in the shape of the map of Texas. The candy is some eight inches from side to side and looks very tasty, indeed.

Connie Warren, you know, has earned a good and growing reputation for the quality of her Cisco candies. If you need something for a belated gift to folks who have (or almost do) everything, drop by Dean Drug and pick up a Texas Map Fudge box.

MR. FRANK Young, supervisor of the city street department, tells us that he has never in his 31 years as a Ciscoan seen anything that will compare with the siege of cold weather that we've just gone through. He can't say anything but something good for the water department workers.

"You've got to take your hat off to men who will spend Christmas Eve night -- 12 hours of it -- in a ditch of

water, repairing a broken 16-inch main line," he said. The water crew had to go out on the Lake Road after the big line ruptured. The only water available to the city was that in the College Hill Reservoir and the Overhead Reservoir.

Frank says they had to go to Abilene that night and borrow that city's 16-inch pipe cutters because Cisco's wouldn't do the job. Last Sunday was the first day that city water repair crews took off since the seige began on Dec. 18th. As you know, there was 202 continuous hours of sub-freezing temperatures.

LET'S ALL HELP Mr. P.M. Ray, the unofficial mayor of Scranton, find his Christmas scarf. He wore it when he came to Cisco one day last week. He parked in the Sandler Square area and walked to a grocery store. When he got back home, he missed the scarf. It is brown with a touch of white in it. If you found the missing scarf, you can call Mr. Ray at 442-1425.

Mr. Ray reports that old Santa got to Scranton despite the severe weather and, as far as he can find out, everybody had a Merry Christmas.

THE WATER meter froze at the Roy Hathaway home and a new one had to be put in before water service was restored. The W.E. (Dizzy) Deans went to Mineral Wells on Monday to attend funeral services for an old friend. Their grandson, Steve Bailey of Austin, ate New

Year's Day dinner with them in Cisco. The Robert Millers of Plainview spent the New Year's weekend here with her parents, the Ed Bradshaws.

DRIVING ALONG the I-20 access road, north side, the other night we saw a very attractive home in holiday season dress. They had a Christmas tree outlined in lights on the side facing I-20, pretty candles in the windows and other decorations out front.

Driving by the next day, we learned that it is the home of George and Stella Childers, 1605 Avenue M. They are the parents of Mrs. Joe (Virginia) Wheatley and moved to Cisco some months ago. They've remodeled their residence and it's a very attractive place, indeed.

AND WE'VE JUST heard about an Aggie whose wife and son, like him, liked to eat only the legs of chickens. So he prevailed upon his buddies at Texas A&MU to develop a three-legged chicken.

After some trying times of trial and error, they finally came out with a three-legged chicken, hatched off a couple of dozen of them and sent them to the first Aggie.

It didn't turn out very well, however, because the three-legged chickens could run so fast that nobody could catch one. Guess they'll have to go back to the drawing board.

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Primary Classes Move To Church

The approximately 150 students of Cisco Primary School (grades 1 and 2) were attending classes at the First Baptist Church Tuesday because of water problems at their school building, school officials reported.

The water was off at the primary school because of a large line break back of the school, it was reported. Workmen were busy with efforts to repair the break. After repairs, school of-

ficials were to check the water lines in the building.

Classes resumed at the Kindergarten, near the Primary School, and at the Intermediate School and at the Junior-Senior High School buildings. Operations and attendance were near normal, officials said.

Geneva Webb is principal of Primary School and was in charge of the temporary classroom setup at the Baptist church.

Obituaries

Sewell Smith Is Buried Monday

Funeral services for Sewell G. Smith, 23, of near Carbon were conducted at 4 p.m. Monday at Kimbrough Funeral Home in Cisco with burial in Oakwood Cemetery.

The young man was found dead in his parked car near his home, which is located some seven miles southeast of Cisco, last Saturday. Justice of the Peace A.C. Holder of Cisco conducted an inquest and ruled that death was due to carbon monoxide gas. The young man apparently had been dead two or three days, authorities said.

The Rev. John Clinton of the First Evangelical

Methodist Church, Cisco, was in charge of funeral services.

Mr. Smith, who was employed at a local truck stop, was born Oct. 5, 1960, in Charleston, W.V. He spent four years in the U.S. Marine Corps and was discharged in June, 1982. He was married Dec. 20, 1983, to Cindy Abels in Cisco.

Surviving are the wife, one son, Sewell G. Smith, Jr.; his mother, Mrs. Bonnie Smith, Eastland; a grandmother, Mrs. Cinda McCallister, Cisco; one brother, Billy Ray Smith, Santa Anna; and two sisters, Mrs. Cindy Bale, Arkansas, and Mrs. Ruby Riggs, Abilene.

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