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# RITAIN CLAIMS GREAT NAZI NAVAL LOSSES

## Retreat Before Invading Germans



Danish troops, shown above in recent war maneuvers, retreated before invading Germans.

## HS CHORAL CLUB ENTERS MUSIC MEET

The high school choral club, under the direction of Miss Ella Andres, will enter the contest sponsored annually by the Texas Music Educators at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, Friday and Saturday. Dr. Alfred Bain, director of the famed NTSTC a capella choir, will judge the competition.

The trio, Misses Lillian Spears, Marilyn Shertzer and Billye Cole, and soloist, Miss Cole, will compete Saturday. Miss Alice Slicker is accompanist for the chorus, and Miss Cole will be accompanied by Hjalmar Berg.

The Cisco club will enter Class B competition, according to the enrollment of the high school. This is the same class to be entered by the Lobo band in their spring contest.

The contest numbers were presented in chapel at the high school this morning.

## Football Game at Chesley Field Friday

## PAY TAXES TO HELP SCHOOLS CLUB IS TOLD

There will be an intra-squad football game at Chesley field tomorrow afternoon at 4:30, weather permitting. Coach J. T. Petty of the Lobos, now in spring training, announced today.

Petty said these games, part of the spring training program, will be played each Wednesday and Friday, according to present plans.

Fifty boys have been issued equipment and the squad, strongest in prospect in many years, although there are only five lettermen back from last season, has been going through workouts with plenty of fight and enthusiasm.

Petty said Coaches are well pleased over the looks of the squad.

## TOURNAMENT PICNIC IS POSTPONED

Contestants in the scotch golf tournament were requested to complete their matches as soon as the weather permits. The picnic which will climax the match play between the "reds" and "blues" will be held some evening next week, at the conclusion of the tournament.

The current tournament has invoked much enthusiasm among club members and others interested in golf. Match play was not restricted to club members.

The picnic, to be furnished by the losing team, is open to all Cisco golfers, their wives and husbands. Those who attend the picnic, however, who are not playing in the tournament, are asked to bring their own basket lunch.

## Friday Program Is Announced

Activities of the Cisco Recreation project for Friday will include a scheduled program at the following locations:

Recreation center—2 to 8 p.m.—Open to the public.

East ward school grounds—3 to 6 p.m.—General playground activities.

\*Fee Esta park—2:30 to 6 p.m.—Playground activities.

West ward school grounds—3 to 6 p.m.—Soft ball practice.

City hall (music center)—1 to 5 p.m.—Instructions in harmony, including violin, guitar and piano, for men, women and children.

Smithville (colored)—2 to 6 p.m.—Open to the public.

Special activities will include: The Junior Boys Lions Club from 8 to 10 p.m. at the recreation center.

## Weather

EAST TEXAS: Cloudy with rain, much colder in interior Thursday, and colder on the coast Thursday afternoon or night; Friday cloudy to partly cloudy, rain in south and extreme east, colder in east and south.

WEST TEXAS: Showers in north, turning to occasional light rain Thursday morning and with showers beginning in central and southwest Thursday afternoon; cold in north Thursday; Friday clearer in north; cold in south.

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## COLD WAVE SWEEPS OVER THIS SECTION

### Near Freezing Weather Is In Prospect for Tonight

Continued cold with clearing skies was in prospect for Friday as the latest cold wave, bringing memories of 1938's disastrous April freeze, descended upon this section early today. Temperatures dropped from 66 degrees at 3 a.m. to 45 degrees at noon today with forecasts that they would go near freezing point tonight.

A dash of rain accompanied the squalls which early this morning brought the belated cold wave sweeping out of the northwest.

Little fear was expressed that the temperatures would be severe enough to damage fruit. Rains have left buds and new shoots sufficient wet to protect them against any out extreme cold, it was pointed out.

### German Raid on Scapa Flow Is Beaten Off

LONDON, April 11 (AP)—Waves of German bombers last night attacked Scapa Flow in what observers described as the "most murderous raid yet made" on that Great Britain naval base, but the raiders officially were reported beaten off with costly losses.

He discussed the high standing which the Cisco system enjoys with the high accrediting agencies of the country, and he told how this standard had been maintained despite great difficulties, not the least of which was the declining revenue from shrinking school district valuations during the last 19 years.

Four big black warplanes were shot down, the British said, and two others were so riddled that they probably failed to get home.

Previously two Heinkel bombers officially were reported shot down at Moray Firth, extreme north Scotland, in an attempted attack on a convoy. Two others may have been destroyed in the same engagement, bringing the possible German losses over Britain to ten during the day.

The Germans staged their attack on Scapa Flow in force while the allied fleet was spread-eagled German naval units in Scandinavian waters.

#### Drop Many Bombs

Circling over the Orkneys in large and small formations, the German bombers dropped many high explosive bombs in the anchorage and machine-gunned the towns of Kirkwall and Stromness. One man was wounded.

One witness said the bombs fell "miles wide" of the warships, although few splashed near some trawlers. The official report said no ships were damaged.

Kirkwall is a contraband control port where many neutral ships are taken for examination of their cargoes.

The one casualty was a service man, whose foot was grazed by a bullet.

Circling in large and small formations, the bombers ran into the heavy fire of anti-aircraft batteries which shot down three of the four victims.

Inhabitants saw British pursuit planes engage in spectacular dog fights, the pursuers streaking across a moonlit sky to chase the bombers into the barages of hot metal from the anti-aircraft guns.

The meeting will be devoted to a discussion of all matters pertaining to fire inspections and fire investigations as a means of reducing fire losses. Many questions of importance in fire prevention work are arising daily,

Hall said, and all of these will be fully discussed and suggestions offered as to their solution.

An ex-officio state fire marshal, Commissioner Hall said fire investigations and the prosecution of arson cases in particular would come in for full discussion.

Gene Sanders, fire prevention chief and assistant state fire marshal, will be in charge of the meeting.

"Preservation of human life is an important factor in fire prevention," Hall said. "We realize that the sacrifice of 400 lives annually in Texas by fire is far too great in number, and suggestions will be offered at this gathering on how to bring a reduction in the number of deaths by fire."

A feature of the Albany meeting will be a discussion of liquified petroleum gases. Safety measures and regulations will be recommended.

Those interested in the league were urged to be present promptly at 7:30.

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## Theater of War Moves North



Europe's new theater of war is shown in the above up-to-the-minute telephoto map.

## COMMONS TOLD OF VICTORIES BY CHURCHILL

Credits Hitler With Mistake Equal to Napoleon's

LONDON, April 11 (AP)—Winston Churchill told the house of commons today that "great losses have been suffered by the German navy" in the continuing air and naval battle launched by Germany's invasion of Norway.

"We have greatly gained by what occurred in Scandinavia in a military sense," he said. "Hitler has made as great a strategic and political mistake as Napoleon made when he invaded Spain."

Premier Reynaud, speaking in Paris, declared 18 German ships, including four cruisers, have been sunk in Norwegian waters, in which the allied losses were only four warships.

(Reynaud listed the German losses as four cruisers, representing one-tenth of the total German fleet tonnage, two smaller warships, a submarine, a destroyer, and 10 transports.)

Churchill announced, "We have not occupied Norwegian ports." He said Norwegians "in their mountainous country" should be able to maintain prolonged resistance against the Germans.

Stockholm said a radio message from the Norwegian commander at Bergen reported that seaport had been recaptured.

Reports said that Norwegians were blasting bridges to make German advances difficult. Norway, ordering her troops to cooperate with the Allies, was hastily fortifying every defense point and arming workers.

The Norwegian government said the Germans, trying to advance toward Elverum, temporary seat of the Norwegian government, have been repelled at Eidsvold.

Churchill announced that Britain is occupying Denmark's Faroe Islands, midway between the Shetland Islands and Iceland. They will be handed back to Denmark when she is liberated from German aggression, Churchill said.

The first lord of the admiralty said the destroyer Gloworm was apparently lost in an encounter with two German destroyers Monday. She had a normal complement of 145 men.

Churchill said the cruiser Renown had crippled two German warships and put them to flight. The Renown was slightly damaged.

The air ministry announced that 19 of the German aircraft had been destroyed since Sunday. The British lost six planes.

## BRITISH GUNS POINTED AT OSLO

LONDON, April 11 (AP)—British warships, pounding again and again at the German invaders of Norway, were reported last night in dispatches from the north to have pointed their big guns at Oslo, demanding the surrender of the city by its Nazi garrison, during proud and bitter day of sea battle from one end of the "Hitler-protected" Scandinavian kingdom to the other.

Two Norwegian cities, Bergen and Trondheim, already were reported, without confirmation, to have been taken by British parties after one day of German occupation.

While the navy guns were barking out across the North sea, British fighting planes defending home shores were credited with shooting down four Nazi planes which attempted a Wednesday night raid on Scapa Flow and perhaps four others, all Heinkels, in daylight engagements off Scotland. Two long-range Royal Air Force fighters flew over Norway, fired a refueling tank on a Nazi-occupied air base, destroyed a

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## Norway Proclaims Determination to Resist Nazis

LONDON, April 11 (AP)—A proclamation reaffirming Norway's determination and rejecting a German demand for recognition of a Nazi puppet government under Major Vidkun Quisling has been issued by Premier Johan Nygaardsvold, Reuters.

The government said he would not be eligible for the judgeship until September 1.

### Would Seek Re-Election

Mann has been mentioned as a possible future governor or United States senator. He announced two months ago that he would not run against Governor O'Daniel but would seek reelection as attorney general.

The attorney general wrote Governor O'Daniel as follows:

"Dear Governor:

"You have tendered me the appointment as chief justice of the supreme court of Texas. I have carefully considered the question of my eligibility and I have come to the conclusion that the constitution of Texas makes me ineligible to accept your offer.

"The constitution provides:

"No person shall be eligible to the office of chief justice or associate justice of the supreme court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this state and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years, and shall have been a practicing lawyer or a judge of a court, or such lawyer and judge together at least seven years."

"I shall not have been practicing law seven years until September.

"I am convinced that the phrase 'at the time of his election' means at the time of his selection x x x."

It was learned in Stockholm, meanwhile, Reuters added, that the German attacks against Norwegian forces yesterday at Elverum, 75 miles north of Oslo, were repulsed "all along the line" and that there had been no further clashes for more than eight hours.

The Norwegian government and army general staff were reported to have taken all their archives intact from Oslo to Elverum. The Bank of Norway was reported to have got all its gold and bank notes out safely.

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## Philathian Party Is Postponed

The "tacky" party which was to have been given by the Philathian class of the First Methodist church tonight, has been postponed, it was announced this morning by Mrs. W. W. Edleman, class reporter.

The party was postponed because of inclement weather and illness among the class members.

Sir Walter Raleigh's favorite vests were white, pinked satin.

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## SERIAL STORY

### K. O. CAVALIER

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VAL DOUGLAS — girl sports writer, shipped on a freighter to find excitement.

EDDIE CAVALIER — a prize fighter headed for the title, has a score to settle with Val.

CAPTAIN STEVE HANSEN — skipper of the Northern Belle.

DUFFY KELSO — Cavalier's manager.

YESTERDAY: The "Belle" runs into a storm. When Val disregards the mate's order to stay below, Eddie tries to stop her. She slaps him, dashes up on deck.

CHAPTER XIII

Foot by foot Val moved along the boat deck. A driving rain slanted into her face and almost blinded her. She put her head into the wind and discovered she could make better time.

The wind tore at her oilskins. She couldn't see three paces in front of her. She grabbed the life-line and hung on for five minutes while she caught her breath.

A brilliant fork of lightning blazed over the sky and showed her where the companionway was that led to the bridge. She released her grip on the rope and splashed her way through decks covered with water.

An oath escaped from Steve Hansen's lips when she closed the door behind her and stood there dripping, panting, but with a smile of conquest lighting her face.

"What in jenosaphat are you doing up here, and how in the great horn spoon did you ever get here?" Hansen boomed.

"Get a load of that, Charlie," Hansen roared to his helmsman.

"I'm not the thinkin' it's any jark," he bristled. "I haven't seen a wind like this in years. You shouldn't have come up here, Val."

"Why not?"

He exploded. "It's no place for a gal, that's why. More'n likely you'll have to stay here till morning. I ain't going to let you make your way back down there alone."

"Quit fussing, Steve. I can take care of myself." She winked at the helmsman and Hansen muttered something beneath his breath.

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May's Voting  
Strength Over  
in Primaries

number of poll taxes paid and county for the current year—1939 poll taxes—is \$1,194. O'Brien said.

It is estimated that

there are between 750 and 1,000

voters in the county entitled to

vote. The voting strength of

the county this year will be

approximately 7,700, which is

more than it has been in more

years.

The following are the numbers of

polls paid and "unders" ex-

empted in each voting precinct:

Precinct 1, Eastland, 944 polls,

exempted 10.

Precinct 2, Eastland, 704 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 3, Ranger, 683 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 4, Ranger, 509 polls, 8

exempted 1.

Precinct 5, Cisco, 381 polls, 8

exempted 1.

Precinct 6, Cisco, 1099 polls, 27

exempted 1.

Precinct 7, Rising Star, 298 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 8, Rising Star, 167

exempted 1.

Precinct 9, Pioneer, 120 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 10, Alameda, 76 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 11, Kokomo, 65 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 12, Carbon, 303 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 13, Gorman, 562 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 14, Long Branch, 23

exempted 1.

Precinct 15, Okra, 85 polls, 1 ex-

empted 1.

Precinct 16, Scranton, 65 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 17, Nimrod, 40 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 18, Dothan, 37 polls, 2

exempted 1.

Precinct 19, Romney, 59 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 20, Erath, 23

exempted 1.

Precinct 21, Mangum, 27 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 22, Staff, 57 polls, 1

exempted 1.

Precinct 23, Cook, 24 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 24, Tudor, 21 polls,

exempted 1.

Precinct 25, Desdemona, 174

exempted 1.

Precinct 26, Sabano, 24 polls,

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**Star Gold Candidate**

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Ethel has received two 4-H club pins as awards for her outstanding work and was selected as the Rising Star Gold Star girl candidate for 1939. In the third year of her club work, Ethel is the council delegate and program leader for the club, and is trying more than ever for that most outstanding ward of "County Gold Star Girl."

**Court House--**

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of the Rising Star was the club candidate for Girl of 1939. Ethel said because of her outstanding work for the year in her third year of work. She was president of the club for two years, a very capable program leader for her club. Each year she was a club demonstrator. Ethel says, "I am a club demonstrator. This year's club work is fun. With the help of my garden, our garden was small, 8 in squares like a quilt. In the center is a pole of beans. This is pretty. From the garden we carried 47 quarts of vegetables, and mother and I carried 47 quarts together. We had enough to supply seeds. We sold \$3.50 worth of vegetables and gave it to the club. I carried eight quarts of vegetables to the fair and won first place in four categories.

After the fair I sold vegetables for 25 cent. During my first work I also completed goals. I made 100 dresses, three wool pair of shorts, and a pair of shorts, and I removed many garments and the family. This year Ethel was again a club demonstrator. She had poultry goals for the club. As the clothing Ethel completed all goals and made seven as one house coat and a dress with a pleated skirt. The closet was remodeled.

**HED**

or any Constable of County. Greeting:

Dear, administrator of Louverne Moore, having filed in our office his final account of the estate of said

Moore, deceased, number

the Probate Doggett County, together with application to be discharged

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V. GALLOWAY,

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By W. V. LOVE,

Deputy Clerk,

I certify.

S. WOODS, Sheriff,

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W. UNDERWOOD,

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DESDEMONA

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Addie Mae Horn visited her sister, Mrs. W. E. Morris, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jim Dillon visited Mrs. G. W. Horn and daughter Wednesday morning.

Mrs. R. N. Hazelwood visited Mrs. G. W. Horn and daughter Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Lasiter and children of Odessa, visited his sister, Mrs. Clyde Cooper, and family Saturday night, and Sunday he visited his brothers Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lasiter and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lasiter and family at Cisco, Sunday.

Juanita Rains visited her aunt, Addie Mae Horn, Tuesday evening a short while.

Addie Mae Horn was dinner guest of Mrs. Clyde Cooper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Horn, of Cisco visited her sister, Mrs. R. D. Vandervoord, Monday evening.

Jimmie Pollard of Cisco visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Vandervoord, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cooper and family and Mr. Cooper, brother Johnnie, and Addie Mae Horn and Margaret Boatman, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thamas and children at Bethel, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Clyde Cooper visited Mrs. G. W. Horn and daughter, Addie Mae, Monday evening.

Rex Pollard of Cisco visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Vandervoord, Thursday.

Farmers were proud to see the good rain. It filled the tanks.

Mr. R. N. Hazelwood visited in the Vandervoord home Monday morning.

Miss Millie Lasiter, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Cooper, and family, also visited her brother in Cisco last week, has returned to her home in Breckenridge.

W. E. Morris visited F. L. Raines Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickers and children of Big Spring were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Schaefer. Mrs. Rickers is Mr. Schaefer's sister.

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T. A. chapel of the high school, a large crowd of pupils of the high school and 7th grade of the grammar school, gathered to hear a review of the book "And Tell of Time," given by Mrs. C. W. Maltby. The junior class sponsored the entertainment and received half of the proceeds, and the "21" Study club received the other half. All who heard the review were delighted with the interesting story of Texas during and after the Civil war, and with the way in which Mrs. Maltby told the story. Mrs. Maltby was a teacher of expression a number of years ago, and her readings and book reviews are always enjoyed by those who are fortunate enough to be in the audience.

Born—On Monday, April 8, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watkins of Milburn, a son. Mother and son are getting along nicely at the Blackwell sanitarium at Gordon. Mrs. Watkins and her little son had been visiting here with her father, Rev. W. E. Anderson, the past few weeks and will return in a few days for a longer visit. Mr. Watkins is a teacher at Milburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morrow drove down to DeLeon on business Monday.

The school trustee election

which was held Saturday evening in the re-election of Joe Merrill and the two new members, Clayton Williams and Dick Ervin, who will serve in the places of Howard Williams and Ruby Miles, who would not allow their names on the ticket. Only the three names were on the ticket, but some voters wrote in names, though not enough to make the result very close. Mrs. W. H. Powers, was judge of the election, and the clerks were Miss Emma Genoway and J. H. Jackson.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Hugh Roe is improving after a few days' illness.

Miss Evelyn Moore is now able to attend school, where she is a senior, after having had a serious case of flu, which came very near being pneumonia. Her classmates were glad to welcome her back to school after her three weeks' absence.

L. C. Brannon, who is football coach of our high school, spent the week-end with his family on their ranch near Huckabee.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stewart and little daughter left Sunday for their home at Penwell, after a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baborn Wilcoxson here, and with his parents, who live near Jake Hamon.

On Tuesday morning at the P-

and son, Harold, and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Reich and son, Edward, visited Mrs. John Heilicher and family Sunday.

The many friends of Miss Bernice Salyer are sorry to know that she is seriously ill in a hospital at Cisco, suffering from paralysis of the face. For several months she had been attending college at San Marcos. Her mother, Mrs. Mary Salyer, has been with her several days since she was brought to Cisco.

The Methodist Missionary society met at the church Monday night and had the first chapter in the new Bible study book, the title of which is "Jesus and Social

Mr. D. J. Gorman and daughter, Betty Jean, of Cisco, and Jack Dillon of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dillon Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gannaway and boys of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kleiner and son Sunday evening.

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## DAN HORN

Thirty-one attended Sunday school April 7.

Mrs. Agnes Wilkins and son, Neil, of Ajo, Arizona, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Rossen.

Mrs. Charles Starr and son, Purvis, of Corpus Christi are visiting in the W. B. Starr home.

Mrs. W. H. Ervin and sons, Mick and Moltie, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Carrie Hull and son, George.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Walters made a business trip to Eastland Tuesday.

A cow owned by Mr. Smith was killed by lightning Friday on the Mize place.

Miss Johnnie Weed visited Miss Virginia Honea Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Bradshaw recently visited Miss Mollie Brown at Ranger.

Clyde Coats of Bluff Branch spent last week here with his sister, Mrs. Fred McCorkle.

Mrs. Jim Baird and daughter and Miss Jones were shopping in Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Walters and son, Ronnie, of Big Lake and Mrs. Sweeney spent in Cross Plains with their brother, Mr. Luther.

El Stanford spent Wednesday with Mrs. Mc-

Roberson of Ranger weekend with her partner, Mrs. Roberson.

Mrs. L. D. Stanford, Paton Dow and husband, were Sunday and Mrs. A. N. Mc-

Harelson of Romerson with Mrs. Mc-

TIS NEWS

We had an electric storm here Friday night. Lightning killed a cow and a hog belonging to W. D. Brecheen in the J. W. Brawley lot. We certainly are thankful that it was no worse.

Crops that are up are looking pretty. Some of the farmers think they will have to plant some of their small grain over, as it is washed almost level.

Mrs. O. D. Vowell's mother, Mrs. Jones, of Tahoka, came Saturday night to make an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Vowell.

Edgar Harris and daughter Maxine spent a short while in the S. L. Yeager home Wednesday evening.

C. R. Ball and son, Charlie, are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Raymon Holler, of near Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty McIntire and son, Joe Wayne, of Cisco, Miss Elizabeth and Charlie Bob McFadden, of near Garmon, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Donham and fam-

Kirkland of Iradell spent the weekend in the G. M. Walters home.

Bill Taylor and Sherman Ervin spent Sunday afternoon with J. W. Speegle.

Raymon Sandford of Moran visited home folk last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weed spent Sunday with Mrs. W. M. Weed and son, Ernest.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown of Cisco visited in the D. Brown home Sunday.

## COTTONWOOD

Mrs. J. M. Pence spent Sunday night with her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Denham, and family of Bluff Branch.

Mrs. Joe Boatman spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. S. L. Yenger and family.

Bill Donohoe of Cisco spent Sunday afternoon with Charlie Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Edwards and children of Bluff Branch, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pence and children and Charlie Harris were visitors in the J. M. Pence home Wednesday night. They enjoyed games of "42."

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Jacobs and son of Cisco spent a while Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boatman.

Maxine Harris spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Pence, and family.

Mrs. Ralph Freeman and son of Fort Worth spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Garmichael.

Mrs. Ernest Yeager and daughter, Hortense, spent a few days with Mrs. Marshall Wedley of Cisco.

Edgar Harris and daughter Maxine spent a short while in the J. M. Pence home.

Miss Eunice Pence spent Monday with Mrs. W. A. Pence and family.

## COOK

Rev. Leon Woods preaches at the Baptist church every second Sunday. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Walker were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reynolds spent Sunday with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Maddox are the proud parents of a daughter. Mother and child are doing fine.

L. B. Hill, Sr., was in Rising Star on business Monday.

Several from this community attended singing at Crocker Sunday afternoon. Among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Smith Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams and Miss Bobbie Townsend.

Miss Martha Tonstill and her sister spent the weekend with Miss Iva Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weise spent Sunday in Cisco visiting Mr. and Mrs. Weise's daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Waddie Bennie.

Leonard Williams left for Fort Worth Saturday, where he will be in the sanitarium for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Curtis visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weise and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weise Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lieske visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Carmichael Monday.

Several from this community worked in the cemetery at the Christian tabernacle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Kent were in Rising Star on business Monday.

G. A. Carmichael and Martin Ziehr were the supper guests Monday night of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Carmichael.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hunt had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs.

Ily and Clyde Coats of Bluff Branch spent Sunday in the J. M. Pence home.

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Alta Drennon and son of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Whitehead and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Audie Moore and Mr. Bobby and daughter, Miss O'Fay Bibby. The dinner was in honor of Mrs. G. W. Hunt's birthday.

## 2,500 Expected for TSCW Short Course Program

(Special to Cisco Press)

DENTON, April 11.—Twenty-five hundred home demonstration and 4-H club members from 42 north and east Texas counties are expected to attend the 14th annual Short Course and Field Day at Texas State college for Women, Friday, April 12. Sponsored jointly by the college and the extension service of Texas A. & M. college, the affair is in charge of Fred W. Westcourt, director of the rural arts department.

Main speakers on the short course program will be Jac L. Gubbel, landscape engineer, Texas Highway department, Austin, and Mrs. E. E. Davis of Arlington, wife of the dean of North Texas Agricultural college and the former home demonstration agent.

A tour of the campus has been planned at 9 a.m. which will include inspection of the departmental exhibits, new buildings, the botanical gardens and general landscaping features, and the Little-Chapel-in-the-Woods which was dedicated in November.

At 11 a.m. Miss Jessie H. Humphries, associate dean of the college, will make a welcome address to the general assembly in the main auditorium; Mrs. Davis will speak on "The Farm Family in a Democracy;" and the college symphony orchestra will play under the direction of Frederick W. Westphal, associate conductor.

Students will serve a picnic lunch to delegates in a grove of campus trees at 12 o'clock. Following a sing-song at 1:15 led by Miss Nell Parmenter, director of music for the state department at Austin, delegates will return to the auditorium where Miss Gladys McGill, associate professor of home economics, will present three graduate students who have designed a \$25 wardrobe for a farm woman. One of the students will model the wardrobe. Students under the direction of Mrs. Marian Rowland Roberts and Miss Peterson, assistant professor and instructor in the department of health and physical education,

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will present a silhouette symphony, showing the relation of posture to health at 2:15 p.m. Speaking at 2:45 p.m. Mr. Gubbel will discuss "What Texas Farm Families May Do to Beautify Texas Landscapes."

## Band Contest Rules Received by Collier

ABILENE, April 11.—Copies of the rules and tentative program for the Region 2, Texas Music Educators association band and orchestra contest to be held in Abilene, April 25-27, have been received by R. I. Collier, director of the Lobo band, which is expected to enter the contest to compete with more than 40 other bands of the area for nationally recognized ranking.

The competition will include solo and ensemble contest, as well as band and orchestra playing, band marching, and baton twirling events. Solo and ensemble contests will be held Thursday, April 25, while band playing and marching contests will be staged the two following days.

All events will be held at the West Texas Fair grounds, except the marching contests Friday and Saturday nights, which will be held at the Hardin-Simmons university stadium.

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