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WORK HAS BEGUN at the Cisco Elementary School over the holidays on Phase II of the new School Building. The part shown in the above photo is where the principal's office was. Mr. Lindsey and Mrs. Puryear will use offices in the

Elementary Library for the present time. Plans call for Edge Gemco, Abilene contractors to complete the project by the time the 1987-88 school year begins. (Staff Photo)

Wanda's Corner by Wanda Hallmark

Did you know that on the back of a penny you can see President Abraham Lincoln sitting in the Lincoln Memorial? If you look real close you can see him sitting right in the middle of it.

My sister-in-law told me about it this last weekend. She said her 8-year old daughter told her about it, and when I asked my children if they have ever heard of it before they all said yes.

Santa received a thank you letter last week. The letter said, "Thank you for the Christmas presents. Though we weren't perfect this past year we all received just what we wanted. We promise to be better this year and deserving of our presents. Thank you Santa. We love you. Love, Addy Siemon and Blue."

Darenda Vineyard, the director of nurses at E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital and her husband, Richard have moved into a home at Lake Cisco. They moved to Cisco from Abilene. They have four school age children, Denise, Monica, Eric and Heath. Richard is a television repairman. Be sure to look for his ad running in the classified section of today's paper.

My niece, Vanessa Morris from Lubbock came to Cisco this past weekend with her parents and while she was down here her mother pulled two of her teeth. She was a very brave little girl I might add.

Donna, her mother, was commenting about how she does not see how anyone can stand to live in a small town. She said she likes to live where you have to make sure you keep your doors locked to keep the murderers out.

Not me. I love living in a small town. In the last issue of the Press, the weekly article 'On the Quiet Side' was about living in a small town. And I feel the same way that Sandra Prickett does. It's great living in a small town.

In the Calvary Baptist Church bulletin there was a prayer for the New Year. I thought you might enjoy it. Slow me down, Lord.

Lord, this year teach me the art of taking minute vacations- of slowing down to look at a flower, to chat with a friend, to pat a dog, to read from the Bible.

Remind me each day that the race is not always to the swift; that there is more to life than increasing its speed. Let me look upward into the towering oak and know that it grew slowly and well.

Slow me down Lord, and inspire me to send my roots deep into the soil of eternal values, that I may grow toward my eternal home.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

How many times have you had to make that 86 into a 87 while writing the date on your checks.

I hear from a lot of people that 1987 is going to be a better year than 1986 was. That's great to hear isn't it.

A thank you letter was written to the Goodfellows this week. A woman wrote, Dear Sir, I was humbled to receive food from the Goodfellows. I did need the help and was grateful to the Goodfellows for thinking of me and my daughter. We surely have enjoyed all we received. Thank you so much.

This letter is written to everyone who helped the Cisco Goodfellows this year.

Laurie Arnold, manager at Bandito's here in Cisco, is really a dedicated worker. She now has to go to work on crutches and a cast on her left leg. She fell a couple of weeks ago and broke her leg. But she is still there at Bandito's everyday with her smile to wait on their customers.

When we heard about the hostage situation at DFW Airport last Monday it kind of shocked everyone, didn't it. I'm glad that everything worked out without anyone being harmed.

Country Western Musical

The Country-Western Musical will be held at Cisco Corral Room on Saturday, January 10, beginning about



Mavis And Willie Watts

Light Company To Hold Crusade Jan. 7-9 Here

The Light Company will be holding a children's crusade at 7 p.m. each day from Wednesday, Jan. 7, to Friday, Jan. 9. The meeting will be held at First Evangelical Methodist Church, Hwy 80 West, Cisco.

The Light Company is a ministry of Willie and Mavis Watts who chose its name because Jesus is the Light of the world and they are two Watts' who are out to spread the light of Jesus into the

hearts of children everywhere. They use the means of puppets, music, contests, story telling, and other ways of evangelism to give the message of Christ.

Willie and Mavis Watts are from Pine River, Minnesota, where he pastored a nondenominational church for 19 years. Children have always been of major interest to them.

Invite your friends and come the first day so you don't miss any of the fun!

Parents For Teens To Meet Thursday

Parents for Teens will meet Thursday, January 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room of Olney Savings.

Plans for upcoming activities will be made. All high school parents are invited and encouraged to attend.

Senior class parents will meet at 8:45 p.m., after the

Parents for Teens meeting. Senior class parents' activities will be discussed. Senior parents are urged to attend this meeting, as help is needed to complete the year's plans.

Another meeting will be planned and announced for Senior class parents to discuss plans for a project graduation affair.

CJC Now Preparing For 1987 Spring Semester

Cisco Junior College is making preparations to begin its 1987 Spring Semester. Registration for

the spring semester at the Cisco campus will be held in the Harrell Fine Arts Building from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Monday, January 12 and Tuesday, January 13. Night registration is scheduled for one night only, Monday, January

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Police Seek Information About Cemetery Vandals

Some 23 tombstones were overturned by vandals at Oakwood Cemetery last Saturday night and police are investigating the incident, Chief Billy Rains reported Tuesday. The case of malicious mischief at the cemetery was discovered by Policemen Larry Weikel and Ronnie Huddleston during a routine patrol Sunday.

"This is the worst kind of vandalism and we would appreciate any information that anybody might have to help us," Mr. Rains said.

An assessment of the damage to the tombstones was not available. The damage will be repaired by workers of the Cisco Cemetery Association.

Police also are in-

vestigating four theft cases, the chief reported. Two cases were reported last Friday and two last Saturday.

Patti Pippet of 1304 Avenue Q reported Friday that a wire type hub cap was stolen between Dec. 28 and 30 from a Buick automobile in the driveway at the home. Also on Friday, Helen Wilks of 304 West 13th Street

reported the theft of a BMX Huffy boys bicycle valued at \$69.

On Saturday, Bryan Campbell of 512 West 9th reported the theft of a BMX bicycle. The bike was taken during the Christmas holidays, he said. Also on Saturday, Sonny Thompson of 604 Avenue G reported a break-in at his home. Missing were an old muzzle-loader gun and a .22 calibre revolver.

Two arrests were made by Cisco police last weekend, the chief reported.

At 7:15 p.m. Friday, Timothy Johnson of New Mexico was arrested after being stopped by Officer Weikel on I-20. He was charged with DWI and other charges will depend on a lab report of substances confiscated. The man was placed in the county jail.

Arrested last Sunday afternoon was Raymond Stewart of Cisco on charges of DWI. He was arrested by Officer Weikel on Avenue B. He was placed in the county jail.

Cisco Fire Department Worked Hard In 1986

The Cisco Volunteer Firemen used their Jaws of Life twice on Thanksgiving Day and rescued two people. The men of the Cisco Volunteer Fire Department dedicated their time and gave up a lot of their personal time to raise money for the Jaws of Life in 1986. But all the trouble and time was well worth it with the rescue of those two people. And there is no telling how many more lives will be saved with future use of the Jaws of Life.

Fire Chief Richard Connell

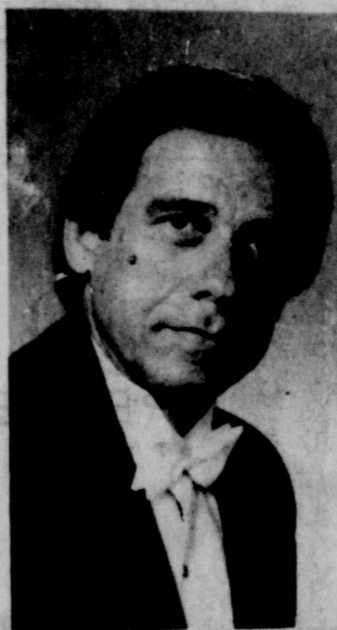
reported that the Cisco Volunteer Firemen are now making plans to start collecting funds on another much needed piece of equipment. The Cisco Fire Department is in need of a one, ton, 4-wheel drive emergency vehicle with a utility bed. The vehicle will house a power plant, the Jaws of Life, lights and all their rescue equipment that can then be at the scene of a fire or other emergency situation.

In 1986 the Cisco Volunteer Fire Department responded

to 13 car fires, 69 house fires, 43 grass fires, 6 rescue calls, 20 other miscellaneous calls and six false alarms in the city limits. They also worked 31 hours for weather watch and nine hours on the recent train derailment.

The Cisco Fire Department also responded to 10 house fires, 37 grass fires, 14 car fires, five rescues, six oilfield alarms and one other miscellaneous call in the rural area of Cisco.

University Band To Perform Under The Direction Of Doyle Combs Here In Cisco



DOYLE COMBS

The Howard Payne University Band will present a free concert on Monday, Jan. 12, at the Cisco High School Auditorium beginning at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend this one hour concert consisting of traditional Christian music familiar to most audiences. The University Tour Band will be under the direction of Doyle Combs.

Mr. Combs is Associate Professor of Music and Director of Bands at Howard Payne University School of Music in Brownwood, Mr. Combs came to Texas from Illinois, where he established an outstanding reputation as a high school band director and a church music director. His church orchestra and choirs have presented concerts at Ridgecrest and Glorieta, both national convergence centers for Southern Baptists, and at the Southern Baptist Convention.

A graduate of Ouachita University with a bachelor of music education degree and a master of arts in music education, he taught at Edwardsville, Illinois High School and Salem Community High School, while also holding the position of

Minister of Music for the First Baptist Church in Salem, Ill.

He was the founder and conductor of the Salem Area Community Chorus and Orchestra, the State Orchestra Director of the Illinois Baptist State Association, the All-State Orchestra Director of the Illinois Baptist State Association, the Illinois All-State Band Chairman in 1975, and conductor of the "One Way Singers" and orchestra during the 1970's.

In Salem, Illinois, he helped develop and served as vice president of the annual Little Egypt Festival and organized the Little Egypt Marching Festival.

Since arriving in Texas, Mr. Combs travels throughout the United States with Jubilation Brass, conducts the Texas Baptist All-State Band, serves as the national orchestra director for the Student Ministries Division (BSU) of the Baptist Sunday School Board, and serves as the guest conductor and clinician in church instrumental music.

Mr. Combs has also produced a number of recordings, the latest being a collection of sacred instrumental music recorded by Fourth Day Music Productions of Dallas, Texas.

Mr. Combs is also President of Glen-Co Motorcoach, a fully licensed Christian Coach Corporation, serving the churches of the State of Texas with transportation needs to national conventions and retreats across the United States.

He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha National Music Fraternity, KKY National Band Fraternity and has received the Phi Beta Mu Outstanding Bandsman Award, the distinguished Alumnus Award from Ouachita University, the Outstanding Citizen of the Month Award and the Key to the City of Salem, Illinois.

The public is invited to meet Mr. Combs during the performance of the Howard Payne University Tour Band, January 12th, at 7 p.m. at the Cisco High School Auditorium. Area high school and college musicians

interested in furthering their music education are invited to visit with Mr. Combs and members of the band about opportunities in music at Howard Payne University.

Cisco Baptist Conference Had Large Gathering

Good attendance was reported at a Cisco Baptist Association Evangelism Conference Monday at Calvary Baptist Church in Cisco. The meeting started at 2 p.m. with the executive board gathering and was concluded Monday night.

Speakers included the Rev. Knox Talbert, pastor of Highland Baptist Church, Dallas; Rev. Bobby Boyles, pastor of Retta Baptist Church at Burleson; John Biggs, state chaplain and

well-known Gideons International speaker; and Rev. Carlos McLeod, director of evangelism, BGCT.

Supper was provided by the host church in Fellowship Hall of Redeemer Lutheran Church Monday night.

The annual Texas Evangelism Conference will be held Jan. 12-14 at Reunion Arena, Dallas, and plans for a delegation of Cisco association workers were made.

Cisco Firemen Respond To Two Car Fires Here

A Volkswagen Rabbit automobile driven by Lloyd McGrew, Cisco and Abilene business man, was damaged extensively by fire last Saturday afternoon on I-20 some eight miles west of Cisco, according to a report by Fire Chief Richard Connell.

Mr. McGrew was enroute to Cisco when the fire broke out in the electric wiring under the dash. The blaze was confined to that area of the car.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Anderson of Cisco were en route home from a visit to Odessa and stopped when they saw Mr. McGrew and the burning car. Firemen from Cisco

took equipment to the scene. An estimate of the damage was not available.

Firemen took equipment to South Hilton Avenue at 10 p.m. Saturday when a junk car back of Ledbetter's Welding Shop was reported burning. The blaze was extinguished. There was no damage estimate.



The Fighting Men During World War II

The following information was printed in 'The Fighting Men of Texas', a book printed on the History of World War II. It spoke of many of the servicemen and women in World War II, and in honor of our veterans, we would like to tell what the book told of the Eastland County and surrounding area servicemen. We realize some of these people are now deceased, and that brings much more sorrow to all of us.

1st Lt. Raymond L. Landtroop
1st Lt. Raymond Lester Landtroop, born July 19, 1920, son of Mr. and Mrs. G.F. Landtroop, and husband of Helen Corinne McLartney Landtroop of Ranger, Texas. He volunteered June, 1942, for the Army Air Corps; trained at San Antonio, and began overseas duty April, 1944, in the European Theater, as 1st pilot on a B-24 bomber; participated in thirty-one missions without injury to him or any member of the crew. Lt. Landtroop was with the 8th Air Force in the air offensive of Western Europe and Northern France, was in action on D-Day, and bombed the coast of France and St. Lo. The Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters was awarded with D.F.C. and three campaign Stars. He returned to the States Sept., 1944, and went on inactive status August 3, 1945.

PVT. JAMES C. BENTLEY
Pvt. Bentley was born on Oct. 3, 1924, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steward Bentley of Cisco, Texas. He received his education in Scranton, Texas, and entered the service Sept. 13, 1944, at Dallas, assigned to the Army 96 Div. Training at Camp Hood, Texas. Sailing for overseas duty in Feb., 1945, he served

in Hawaii, Saipan, and was in the Battle of Okinawa. Pvt. James Carter Bentley was killed in action on Okinawa May 10, 1945; he never knew about his son, who was born on August 6th, 1945, and is named James Carter Bentley, Jr. His wife, the former Billie Joyce Brashear, and son were living in Cisco at the time 'The Fighting Men Of Texas' was printed, with her parents.

SCI/c AUBREY L. ARMSTRONG
SCI/c Armstrong was born on Oct. 4, 1920, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Armstrong of Carbon, Texas. He attended Carbon Grammar and High Schools, volunteering for the service Oct. 2, 1942, at Abilene, assigned to the Navy Seabees, and was sent to Camp Endicot, Rhode Island for training. He served overseas from Sept., 1943, until Nov., 1945, in Pacific area, participating in the battle of the Philippines. SCI/c Armstrong received one bronze operational engagement Star and the Good Conduct Medal. On Nov. 1, 1945, he was given an honorable discharge, and was living in Ft. Worth at the time 'The Fighting Men Of Texas' was written.

LT. COMMANDER VICTOR L. HAND
Lt. Comdr. Hand, was born on July 3, 1914, in New Mexico, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hand, Burnet, Texas. After graduating from Eastland High School, he studied at the Univ. of Texas at Austin, and volunteered for service 20th of June, 1942, at Washington, D.C., assigned to the U.S. Naval Reserve; served overseas from July, 1942, to Jan., 1943, and again from Dec., 1944, to Feb., 1946, in the Middle East, Cairo, Egypt. Attached to U.S. Army 9th A.F. for special ordnance work, in Minas Basin, Nova Scotia, Canada; assignment involved development and test of underwater ordnance and in Pacific, Honolulu, Tinian

Is., and Japan, assignments connected with the use of underwater ordnance against Japanese. Received EAME Campaign Ribbon. He worked as Electrical Engineer from June, 1941, until June, 1942, for the Naval Ordnance Laboratory, Wash., D.C.; his work connected with design, development and testing of underwater ordnance. Lt. Comdr. Hand was still with the United States Navy at the time 'The Fighting Men Of Texas' was written.

CPL. ELISHA DAVID NASH
Cpl. Elisha David Nash, born March 20, 1920, a native of Texas, son of Fannie Nash of Eastland, Texas, and husband of Freida M. Nash, also of Eastland. He attended the Glen Rose Texas High School, and entered service May 26, 1943, with the Army Air Corps; trained at Amarillo Army Air Field, Texas, and various other fields in the States. Cpl. Nash began overseas duty December, 1944, in the Pacific Theater of Operations. He served and participated in combat on New Guinea, and paid the Supreme Sacrifice for his Country February 24, 1945, on Morotai Island. The Good Conduct Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Ribbon with one Battle Star, and Purple Heart were awarded posthumously. His survivors also included one son.

T/SGT. EDWARD M. CALLERMAN
T/Sgt. Callarman was born on August 18, 1917, son of Mrs. C.E. Callarman, and husband of Lorraine Callarman of Cisco, Texas. Educated at Cisco High School; volunteered for the Army Med. Corps March, 1937; training at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas; transferred to A.A.C. at Kelly Field, Texas in October, 1939. Overseas twice, 33 months the 1st time and 20 months the 2nd time, in Atlantius Defense Command at Puerto Rico and Virgin Is. with 9th Air Force, and Air Transport Command, stationed in London vicinity and Scotland. Also air offensive of Europe. Awarded Good Conduct, ATO, EAME, and American Defense medals. T/Sgt. Callarman was discharged

Oct. 4, 1945.
S/SGT. WARREN P. EVERETT
S/Sgt. Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Everett of Cisco, Texas, was born on April 27, 1915, in Texas; attended Putnam, Texas, Grammar and High School, also Draughon's Business College at Abilene, Texas. He volunteered for service the 6th of October, 1942, at San Antonio, assigned to the Army Air Force, and trained at Kelly Field, Texas, serving in the European Theater of Operations in England, France, and Germany from February 1, 1944, to February 19, 1946. S/Sgt. Warren P. Everett received an honorable discharge from the Army Air Corps on the 24th day of February, 1946, completing 40 1/2 months of service.

CPL. VERNON E. BROWN
Cpl. Brown, son of Mrs. Julia Brown of Ranger, Texas, was born on February 29th, 1912, in Texas; educated in Ranger; volunteering for service January 12th, 1942, at Dallas, entered the Marines, serving with 2nd, 4th, and 5th divisions, receiving training at Camp Elliott in San Diego, California. He served in the South Pacific from October 22, 1942, until November 23, 1945, participating in the battle on Saipan, fighting for 21 days and nights, and fighting for Tinian for 10 days and nights. Corporal Vernon Elwood Brown was awarded the following decorations: Presidential Unit Citation, American Defense Service Ribbon, Asiatic Pacific Theater Campaign Ribbon, Good Conduct Ribbon, World War II Victory Medal, and American Theater Ribbon. On January 22, 1946, Cpl. Brown was given his honorable discharge in Oceanside, California.

SGT. CHARLES WESLEY HOWELL
Sgt. Howell was born June 23, 1928, son of Mrs. D.N. Poole of Eastland, Texas, and husband of Roma L. Howell; attended Parks High School, Texas; entered the service on Dec. 28, 1942, and was assigned to the Army Air Corps; trained at

Fort Sill, Sheppard Field, Texas, Chanute Field, Ill., and Spokane Air Depot. Overseas 6 months, in N. Africa, Sicily, Italy and Yugoslavia. He received the following awards: ETO Ribbon with 1 Star, Good Conduct, American T. Ribbon, and Victory Ribbon. He was discharged Nov. 17, 1945.

F1/c JAMES COX HOWELL
F1/c Howell was born Sept. 25, 1921, son of Mrs. D.N. Poole of Eastland, Texas, and husband of Pansy Howell, Long Beach, California. He attended Eastland High School. He volunteered for service in January 1942; was assigned to the Navy Reserve; trained at San Diego, California, and San Francisco, California. He was overseas from June 15, 1942, to April, 1945. He was in Sicily, Makin, Gilbert Island, Roi and Namur, Marshall Islands, Saipan, was Guam. He received the following awards: Pres. Unit Citation, 5 Battle Stars. He was discharged in April, 1945.

QTR. MASTER 1/c BOB NEWTON HOWELL
Qtr. Master 1/c Howell was born June 9, 1924, Colorado, son of Mrs. D.N. Poole, Eastland, Texas. He attended Eastland High School. He volunteered Dec., 1941, and was assigned to the Navy Reserve; trained at Great Lakes, Ill., and Charleston, S.C. He was

overseas from April, 1942, to Dec. 1945. He was in Africa, Italy, S. America, Hawaii, Marshall, Guam, Guadalcanal, Philippines, China, India, Sicily Okinawa, and Japan. He was wounded in N. Africa. He received the following awards: European (3 Stars), S. Pacific (4 Stars), Asiatic (4 Stars).

A.O.M.1/c JOHN NORMAN HOWELL
A.O.M.1/c Howell was born April 1, 1927, son of Mrs. D.N. Poole, Eastland, husband of Peggy Howell of Alameda, California. He attended Eastland High School. He volunteered October, 1943; assigned to the Navy Air Corps, San Diego, California, place of training, also Norman, Okla., and New Orleans, La. He served in the U.S. from October, 1943. It is unknown whether or not he received medals or other awards. His parents had word that he was being transferred from Oakland, California. Duty: Shore Patrol, at the time 'The Fighting Men Of Texas' was being written.

T/SGT. DARON ENLOE MOORE
T/Sgt. Moore was born on



July 22, 1922, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Moore, Weatherford, Texas, husband of Oleta Moore. He attended Eastland High and Ranger Jr. College; entered the service Dec. 21, 1942; assigned to Army 3rd, 92nd Signal Battalion; trained at Camp Maxey, Paris, Texas. He

was overseas from Dec. 24, 1943 to Nov. 19, 1945. He was in Normandy, N. France, Rhineland, C. Europe. He received the following awards: American C. Medal, EAME with 4 Stars, Good Conduct and Victory Medal. He was discharged on Nov. 24, 1945.



Gus Clemens of San Angelo points out some of the Indian pictographs which can be seen at Paint Rock, about 30 miles east of San Angelo. The paintings can be found on the limestone bluffs bordering the Concho River. It is estimated that the paintings were begun in prehistoric times, and continued until the late 1800's when the Comanche Indians still hunted in the area. Tx. Tourist Agency photo.

Landfill
The citizens of Cisco are reminded that the hours of operation for the landfill are 1:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday; and 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Saturday. The landfill is closed on Sunday. Also, residents are reminded that in order to use the landfill without charge, you must present a current water bill stub to the gatekeeper.

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Thank you, Eastland County Newspapers

I've Been Wrong Before

By Gordon Clark

Looking back I believe that I see most of my problems as being self-inflicted and over half of those because I let people talk me into things my own opinion told me were not the right way. I just didn't have the guts, if you will, to say "NO" emphatically enough to make it stick. In short, I compromised.

Though a lot may be said for giving a bit and meeting the other half way, compromise can and has led to utter ruin too often. Even where ruin does not result, a loss can be incurred and who is to blame?

Let me illustrate. In our younger days we decided to build a house in Weatherford. Not only was I three years older than my wife but I had traveled wider and had more contact with the world, and she was the daughter of a country widow and had always settled for the least.

Now it was the direct result of growing up where things were short and not the chauvinistic notion that men are more intellectually endowed, that caused me to feel I knew best, but I ended up letting her have it her way. She did insist on buying a building site on an unpaved street (more like an alley) while I wanted to invest in a higher priced location. I dodged the charge of, "You always get your way," by giving in and we built on an inferior site.

Three years later my job ended and the house was for sale. Then began the understanding. Realtors and prospective buyers regularly gave us, "It is a nice house but why did you build it in such a location?" or "This house would bring twice as much on a different lot," or "I like the house but not the neighborhood."

At last she asked, "Well, why don't you say I told you so?"

My reply began with an expression no longer in vogue, "I am free, white and twenty-one and I did not have to let myself be talked into it. Thus I have only myself more to blame than you. I knew better, you did not. Why then should it be you alone at fault?" I knew that she already felt miserable about it. The only hope was that both of us learned thereby. She was ignorant but I was stupid.

Let me hasten to clear up an evil connotation too often given a natural word. IGNORANT is natural as we are all born not knowing therefore ignorant of so many things and unlike animals we have few instincts. Ignorance then is no disgrace. But let's put it as a doctor friend explained it: IGNORANCE is like not knowing what it is in many of the foods on the market. STUPIDITY is knowing but eating them anyhow. I hope that clears up my evaluation of that happening. I was STUPID! The wound was self-inflicted.

No, dear hearts, we did not decide that my word was law from then on. Far from it. But we are still living together thirty five years later and that should indicate something (though at times I wonder just what).

My point is that just as words can be misinterpreted and confuse, so can the motivation of those who demand that we compromise. Your mental state should NEVER be ready to accept something vague or improper to be agreeable. You had better be as sure as you can in this world of uncertainties. Not all is beyond understanding or exactitude.

Too often we are encouraged to compromise in the name of "Christian charity, brotherly love or the need for better understanding and relations." Too often the result is STUPID. For what fellowship should righteousness have with sin? We have been "compromised" out of our treasury, many of our freedoms and if we continued we will find that our very lives are "negotiated" away. Therefore, before we negotiate with anyone in the name of Christian charity we should be sure they are both Christian and charitable.

ALWAYS the attitude of a Communist is "What is ours is certainly ours but what is yours is subject to negotiation." A Socialist is simply a

Communist in less of a rush. They believe in sharing everything, everything that is yours that is.

The clearest example of compromise is our politicians. They learn to "go along too get along." But if you think that is the honest way and are satisfied with the way things are then, go ahead and be compromising.

For my part, I don't care if a Communist calls me "reactionary" or any other of their other supposed slur words. In fact, most of the supposed derogatory names thrown at me over the years I have learned to wear as badges of honor. I feel that their distaste is a distinction and their approbation would be either a sign that I was slipping or else they intended to soft soap me too slip up on me unawares. If you say I am a radical then "Thank you, You say the nicest things." The one thing I have not been accused of lately is being wishy-washy. That, if honestly believed, would really hurt.

Ranger Junior College Registration Set

Ranger Jr. College is in the process of the 1987 Spring Semester registration. Registration at the RJC campus is continuing this week through January 8, 1987, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Registration will continue on January 12, 1987, from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., also.

Night registration will take place Monday, January

Texas Legislature To Consider Reforms

Next year, the Texas Legislature will consider an issue that directly affects business and industry as few have in the past or will in the future.

That issue is the effort to reform the excesses and inequities of our civil justice system.

We face genuine crisis in availability and affordability of general liability insurance in Texas - few business and professions have escaped the impact of this crisis.

It did not occur overnight - it is the result of an imbalance in our civil justice system over the past 20 years. No one can argue against the principle that victims in civil cases should be compensated fairly and reasonably and that responsible parties should bear the cost. However, our civil courts have evoked this principle beyond reason. The pendulum of our civil justice system has swung too far.

An organized effort for

lawsuit reform is gaining momentum. The organization is called the Texas Civil Justice League. More than 275 groups - including dozens of trade and professional associations and private companies - have joined.

An extensive and active grassroots effort is the key to the lawsuit reform movement's success. We need to make our elected officials in Austin know the breadth of this crisis - that it threatens economic existence.

Citizens will be asked to spend a few minutes of their time during the legislative session to contact Texas House members and Senators, to let them know that there is support for the tort reform movement.

The Need for Reform
The goals of the Texas Civil Justice League are to have a system which:

- eliminates cases without merit;
- resolves legitimate claims fairly and quickly;
- provides reasonable compensation to injured parties.

The League is conducting a full-scale grassroots and lobbying campaign to secure tort reform in the 70th Legislature of 1987.

Why Tort Reform Makes Economic Sense

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- Lack of affordable or sufficient insurance is a major cause of insolvency of small businesses, resulting in loss of jobs.
- Economic development of Texas depends greatly on a fair legal environment.
- Excessive liability insurance rates for cities, towns and other political subdivisions are passed on to the public in the form of higher taxes.

How Can You Help?
We must convince the Legislature that this problem is an urgent one, and that it affects everyone. The Texas Association of Trial Lawyers, a powerful organization, opposes our recommendations. Tort reform is no easy task. We believe that most legislators see the need for action, but

local support for lawsuit reform is absolutely vital to success.

There are ways you can help:

- Write or talk to legislators. Urge them to vote for tort legislation. Your senators and representatives can be written at the State Senate, Box 12988, Austin, Texas 78711, and the House of Representatives, Box 2910, Austin, Texas 78789.
- Write similar messages to your local newspaper.
- Help organize a local committee for tort reform.
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By Josephine Cleveland

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A tunnel is no place to slow down. There are tunnels through rivers, bays and mountains. If you haven't been through one you possibly haven't traveled very much.

In our lives we are often involved in the daily grind of work. Disappointments come, frustrations overtake us and we seemingly make a little progress. When traveling through these tunnel experiences, it is well to observe the signs and signals as we must do when travel-

ing through a road tunnel... Follow the flashing lights, keep moving and maintain your speed. The Christian has been given flashing lights to guide, encourage and direct us. They are prayer, praise and reading the Word. They are never failing guides and you will find that there is an end to every tunnel. You will see again the light of day.



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Spotlights & Sidelights

By Julia Worthy



Freeman-Krawietz Exchange Vows Jan. 3

Carolyn Frances Krawietz and Russell Wade Freeman were married Saturday, January 3, 1987, in the First Baptist Church of Midland, Texas. Dr. Dennis Swanberg of Fort Worth officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Krawietz of Midland, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Freeman of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Kathy Widner of Midland, Texas, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and Patsy Krawietz of College Station, Texas, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Julie Carter and Karen Green, both of Lubbock, Texas. Brad Freeman of Belton, Texas, brother of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Mike Richardson of Lubbock, Texas, Steve Simmel of Eastland, Texas and Fritz Sayers of Fort Worth, Texas. Guests were seated by Mark Webb of Lubbock, Texas and Tim Dennis of Saginaw, Texas. Musical selections, "Friends" and "Our Love, In Christ" were sung by Mrs. Glenda Hollingsworth of Snyder, Texas.

Parents of the bride hosted the reception in the church parlor. The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Green Tree Country Club of Midland. The bride is a May graduate of Texas Tech University where she was Treasurer of the B.A. Council and a member of the Tech Accounting Society. She earned a BBA in Accounting and is now employed by Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. in Dallas, Texas.

The groom is a May graduate of Texas Tech University where he was President of the B.A. Council, Treasurer of the Beta Delta Chapter of Beta Alpha

4-H Club News

Validation Set

Eastland County Stock Show Validation is scheduled for Saturday, January 10th at 10:00 a.m. at the Eastland County Show Barn. Everyone who plans to show a market hog, lamb or steer must have it tagged in order to show. No exception will be made. For more information contact the County Extension Office.

Leader Retreat

Eastland County 4-H members will be participating in a Teen Leader Retreat at the State 4-H Center in Brownwood this weekend. Over 300 young people from around the state are expected to participate in this weekend's activities. They will be attending sessions on 4-H promotion, marketing 4-H, leadership, image of 4-H and Being An Ambassador. This will be a very educational and information packed weekend.

CYCLES

Given human nature, it is hardly surprising that we keep hoping for some solution to the same problems over and over.

It seems to be a matter of cycles, and I don't mean unicycles, bicycles, tricycles nor motorcycles.

We do fairly well in matters of improving technology: better computers, calculators and guided missiles.

We have Cape Kennedy and NASA, White Sands and Oscar, Emmy, Grammy and Tony awards.

We have the Kentucky Derby and the Indy 500, Miss America and the National Rodeo Finals.

We have the Lions Clubs and the Rotary Clubs, Bass Clubs and Music Clubs, The P-TA's and the MADD's—you name it, and if there isn't a club for it, there soon will be...a club or a church. How many churches can you name right now? And only one God!

Mankind is amazing. I realize this doesn't rank as News, but I wonder if everyone else feels as frustrated as I do about making any major changes?

"Write your congressman." Yes. Well, that might make me believe that I had done my part, but I think that my imagination is all that would have been helped.

Perhaps I have an unjust idea about our duly elected representatives, but I doubt any communication would get behind a secretary unless—please note this "unless"—unless the letter contained something which had some vote-getter potential.

This is not to deny that

some of our congressional representatives have gone beyond the call of duty to give aid in specific cases. They have. And doesn't this "fine fellow" image help pull votes to keep the incumbent "in"?

The media picks up a story and keeps it going. This has potential for both good and ill and brings to mind the old question of "how" much to print about "who" did "what" as well as "when" and "where" it was done.

Of late, I have become more and more critical of the use of the media makes of its power. No, no mistake: power is the name of the game.

There is the fine line, also known as the razor's edge, between the truth of matters and the appearance of truth. Regrettably, I believe the appearance often gets the headlines. "Headlines" are not restricted to print. Many people who never read a paper, magazine nor book never miss a newscast on TV or radio. They hear news that is written, edited and presented with showmanship to please the public as much as possible. The listeners don't have to read it; some of them can't read that well, anyway. The listeners don't even have to think overmuch about what they heard because some hotshot commentator is on camera in thirty seconds to tell them what they heard.

By the time something has been dinned into your ear

empty-ump times, it's hard not to believe it. If a statement is later proved false, it is entirely possible to miss the one time a correction may be made.

The "news" is cyclical: When has there not been a Mid-East crisis? What about the Irish Republican Army's continuing activities? Isn't that a mess in South Africa? Nothing new; just escalated. Remember the Soviets invading Afghanistan? Still there; still fighting. And how are things in Cuba these days?

My idea of top-level diplomacy is that such matters are not supposed to be open-book-test materials for everyone's view. It puts the whole spy system out of work.

Something is always coming up again. Cycles, you know. Sports: "Athletics have become professionalized," observed Socrates, who lived 470-399 B.C. Economics: "Who has not seen with his own eyes the present spirit which forces up the price of commodities to such a degree that human language cannot find words to express the transaction?" asked Diocletian, A.D. 301. Politics: "The first of June, and nothing done by the Senate," remarked Cicero (106-43 B.C.)

Despite the apparent odds against it, I will continue to believe it is possible to alter a cycle—some...a little bit...maybe?

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EASTLAND
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Plans are moving ahead to utilize the Majestic Theatre building as a showplace for the area. John Berry is chairman of the Fine Arts Association, and organizational efforts will begin by this group immediately. The public is invited to share thoughts concerning use of the center by writing letters to the Editor of the *Eastland Telegram*, H.V. O'Brien. A number of ideas will be considered by the Fine Arts Association.

Two new Super Six Convenience Stores will open in Eastland in the spring, one on Highway 80, next to the Texas Highway Dept., and one on South Seaman Street where the old Super Save grocery was located. The Super Six stores will carry a full line of groceries and health and beauty aids. They will also sell Phillips gasoline. Gary Barnett and Lanny McCullough, owners, will add the Eastland stores to other Super Six stores they own in Albany, Graham, Jacksboro and Breckenridge.

The January program for the Eastland County Art Association will be on Jan. 8, at 7 p.m. in the Texas Electric Reddy Room. Ann H. Folsom, interior designer, will present a program entitled "Incorporating Art Into the Home". A Texas Tech University graduate with a major in Interior Design, Mrs. Folsom has had eight years experience in this profession. And she has

operated Ann H. Folsom Interiors in Eastland since 1979. Everyone is welcome to attend her instructive program, and there will be a \$1 admission fee for persons who do not belong to the Art Association.

A training meeting on farmers' income tax will be held at the Eastland National Bank Community Room Friday, Jan. 9, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The morning session will deal with the 1986 tax laws, while the afternoon session will cover the 1987 tax changes. Dr. Ashley Lovell, Area Extension Economist, will be in charge of the program. All interested persons are invited to attend this educational program sponsored by the Extension Service.

CISCO
Battle Creek has done very little running since the railroad mishap last week, but city officials are checking their pump station reservoir and watching for signs of contaminated water. City Manager Mike Moore ordered the pumps shut down after the accident that caused several railway tank cars to rupture and leak. EPA officials remained on the job several days to make sure there was no problem. Battle Creek, which heads in the general area of the railway accident east of Putnam, is an alternate source of water for Lake Cisco. City officials believe the creek will be in good shape by the time rain returns to this region.

The Howard Payne University Tour Band will be

in concert on Jan. 12 at the Cisco High School auditorium, beginning at 7 p.m. The concert will consist of traditional Christmas music, and will last about an hour. East Cisco Baptist Church is sponsoring the program, and there will be no charge to the public. Of special interest to Cisco residents are two of the Cisco young people with the group - Paul Wright and James Deadman. Wright is a former CJC student, and led the CJC Band as the drum major during the 1985-86 school year. Deadman is a 1986 graduate of Cisco High School, and plays the trombone.

Plans are being formulated for Trey Kendall, son of the Billy Kendalls, to be presented in a piano concert at the Hilton Community Center in late spring. The Hilton Center's official board is working on plans to obtain a grand piano for the center, and this would be used in the concert. A good piano is needed for the center, and donations to a piano fund would be appreciated, reports Eris Ritchie, president of the Hilton Board.

Traffic will soon be headed up College Hill again, as CJC makes final plans to begin the 1987 Spring Semester. Registration will be in the Harrel Fine Arts Building, Jan. 12 and 13. Registration is assigned by the last name, and it is important that individuals register at the assigned time. Classes will begin Jan. 14 at all locations, but late registration will continue through Jan. 23.

RANGER
A Ranger High School girl, Sherry Nail, has been selected as a winner of the United State Achievement Academy Award in Cheerleading. Sherry was nominated for this national award by Mrs. Karen Clifton, her cheerleading sponsor at the school. The Academy selects USAA winners upon academic performance, leadership, enthusiasm, and a number of other outstanding traits. Sherry, an attractive brunette, will be pictured in the Achievement Academy yearbook, which is distributed nationally.

The Ranger Volunteer Fire Department wishes to thank some more area citizens for generous donations on behalf of the new fire station. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Walker of Cisco donated \$3000 in honor of Wesley's father, the late Hall Walker, a lifelong resident who loved Ranger. Walker served as the town's Mayor in the early 1940's, and was associated with Commercial State Bank for many years. Mr. and Mrs. B.J. (Bill) Ogden also gave \$200 to the RVFD. Bill has been a member of the Volunteer Fire Department for many years. He and his wife, Nancy, own Ogden's Car Wash

and Laundromat on Highway 80 and Blackwell Road.

Ranger Fire Department members have been working every chance they get to finish the work on the new fire station. Dale Gwilt, Charlie White, and Buck Casey have also contributed a lot of time. The department hopes to have a "workday" each Saturday until the building is completed inside and out.

Western Manor Nursing Home residents will be entertained by the Cisco Rhythm Band on Thursday, Jan. 8 at 6:30 p.m. This group is one of the many volunteer groups which furnish music for the home. Mary Langford, activities director, says that she has a lot planned for 1987, and invites western music players, clubs and churches to come set a date when they will play for birthday parties. Groups who will furnish refreshments for these parties are also invited to call and finalize dates. These events mean a lot to the residents.

BAIRD
A kidnap suspect, Gary Don Parks of Fluvanna, has been transferred from Hen-

drick Medical Center in Abilene to Callahan County Jail in Baird. Parks is charged with aggravated robbery and kidnapping in connection with an incident at Howle's Pharmacy in Clude on December 13. He also faces robbery charges in Mitchell County and probation violation charges in Scurry County. A Callahan County Grand Jury will convene sometime in January and decide on

whether or not to indict Parks. He could be transferred back to Mitchell or Scurry County to face trial before he faces the charges in Callahan County.

Lynn and Eulala Ault of Baird were honored with a reception to celebrate their 50 years of marriage on Saturday, Jan. 3, at the Baird Church of Christ. The Aults met in Abilene, where

he worked for a printing company and she was in nurses training at Hendrick Hospital. After WWII Ault went to work for the Baird Star. He owned the Baird and Clyde papers for a short time, and continued to work there until his retirement in 1974. Mrs. Ault worked as Callahan County school nurse for 36 years. The couple have a son, Edwin, a daughter-in-law, Merle and four granddaughters who live in Galveston. One son, Joe Lynn, died in 1976.

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People n Things

THE TRAVELERS are back home but getting here wasn't without its unusual moments. That's the report from the group of Ciscoans and others who flew to Europe for a 10-day tour of a half dozen countries Dec. 26th.

Starting home Sunday, half of the group had the misfortune of being "bumped" from their KLM airliner. So they were booked on American Airlines. And the AA group would fly to Houston via Chicago while the KLM group took a different route to Houston where both could board the same AA plane to DFW Airport.

Things got snarled and the AA group was taking off from Chicago to Houston when the KLM group took off from Houston to DFW. The Calvary Baptist bus with Jeff Holloway, education director, at the controls and CofC Manager Don Shepard riding shotgun, was at DFW airport and met the KLM group. When they couldn't get any information about the AA group, the bus came on to Cisco.

At Cisco, it was determined that AA could fly only two passengers direct to DFW, so Jim and Geneva Webb climbed aboard. Nobody met them at DFW so they hired a car to bring them to Cisco. The others, including CHS Principal Jack Martin and wife Carol, finally got to DFW around 11 a.m. Monday.

All flights were late and everybody got home tired, as you can imagine. We hope to have a report from one of the passengers who planned to keep a journal of their 10 days in Europe.

MR. DON SHEPARD, by the way, was one of a party of 12 folks who went under First Baptist Church sponsorship to El Cambio, near Torreon, Mexico Dec. 26th and spent a week or so re-roofing a small Baptist church and holding church and Bible studies. And he reports that it was a most rewarding experience.

Don, who is manager of the CofC, and other men did the hammering and nailing while Rev. Ben Argil and wife Susie of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary conducted preaching services, assisted by Bruce Stovall. Others in the group were Mrs. Bruce Stovall, John Bailey and Wanda Toler of East Cisco Baptist Church, Fred Keith of First Baptist Eastland, Paul Sellers of Brownwood, the Argils and James R. (Bud) Coats, Kevin Winnett and Gerald Winnett of Cisco.

The group made the trip in the FBC van. They got home Jan. 2nd. Bonus of the trip was the conversion of 12 at the small church.

A NOTE HERE the other day in a grand piano was misleading. President Eris Ritchie of the Hilton Community Center says they plan to rent one for the Trey Kendall recital - not buy one. The Center already has a nice piano, an upright that the Cisco Civic League gave them.

They've got enough money to finish the kitchen and a fence back of the Mobley. And they're now recruiting folks to pledge \$5 per month for the operation and maintenance fund and to make gifts to the perpetual care fund, Mr. ER reports.

The Hilton center board will meet Friday morning at the bank.

OUR SCOUTS report that Mrs. Irma Huston, formerly a long-time resident of Cisco, and Mr. Phil Remmert were married Jan. 3rd in Kingsville where both live. Mrs. Huston moved there a few years ago after her husband, the late Norman Huston, passed away.

Understand the Remmerts have been vacationing in the Hill Country since their marriage. Mrs. Remmert's daughter and family, Jim and Mary Wayne Tryer, live in Kingsville. The two Tryer youngsters are students at the UofT in Austin.

IF YOU'LL LOOK real close at the skinned place on Mr. Jim Puryear's jaw, you'll see the imprinted word "Titalist." That's what one of the junior high principal's friends told us.

The imprint resulted from

a golf outing last Saturday at the Cisco Country Club. Mr. Jim and several buddies, including Kevin Winnett, Delbert Schaefer and Steve Thomas, were teeing off. A Titalist ball hit by Mr. Puryear took off at an angle and hit a tree, rebounding straight at the Puryear jaw. There doesn't seem to be a reason to comment further.

A NEW EMPLOYEE at Cisco Junior College when the business offices opened for 1987 on Monday was Mrs. Rodney (Barbara) Callaway. She took the place of Miss Sheila Johnson as financial aid assistant in Dr. John Muller's offices.

Mrs. Callaway and her husband are both CHS graduates and live south of town. She had been working for a bank in Abilene. And Miss Johnson, who had worked at CJC for six years, left to accept a bank job in Abilene, we were told.

DIGGING AROUND in her desk recently, Mrs. Youvonne McMillan found an old-fashioned fountain pen. Recalling how good it was to write with the old pen, she decided to buy some ink and maybe a new writing end for the pen. And she went to a local store.

"I'm going to start a pen and ink epidemic," she announced. And the store man told her that it would be a very small epidemic as you can't buy new pens for your fountain pen and you're lucky if you can find a bottle of old-fashioned ink to buy.

SORRY TO HEAR about the recent death of Dr. Allen A. Peacock of Arlington. He formerly was superintendent of the Cisco District of the Methodist Church and lived here for a number of years ... Glad to hear that Mr. Dan Dixon, the auto store man, quit smoking on New Year's Day. Hats off, sir! ... The visitors' register at the Mobley Hotel Museum was signed "Michael Jackson, New York" the other day. Do you suppose it was a gag or really signed by the nationally known singer? ... Mr. Henry Schaefer of Cisco donated a new Zenith television set for the Rehab benefit auction in Abilene this week ... Old Santa brought Bill Reynolds of Gardenhire Oil a new wedding ring. And he took the old one that hadn't been off his finger since that day 31 years ago and made a tie-tac out of it.

RUTH PUGLIESE Hart reports that she is enjoying her work as the new county treasurer. Since taking over

Jan. 1, she has been getting acquainted with her duties and visiting the various county offices to review how they work together ... Fireman David Gill was in Houston one day last week to attend funeral services for an uncle ... Mrs. Louise Cooper enjoyed a recent visit with daughter Terry and family in Washington, D.C. "I drove by and waved at the White House," she told us. Daughter Donna and family of Big D were holiday visitors in Cisco ... Saw the Mike Turners of Stennett in town last weekend. He is a former CHS principal and is the high school principal in Stennett ... The Howard Turners have completed most of the moving into their new house out in West Cisco. They're just about through with all of the work out there except the yard, that is.

THE 1986 DEER hunting season was probably the best ever for Eastland County. That's the report of Mrs. E.W. Rust of Rust Processing Center east of town on Highway 80. They logged in about 280 deer, mostly bucks, during the season that ended last Sunday.

There were 12 deer logged in at the Rust center Sunday, the final day. Biggest was a 10-pointer shot by a Houston boy, age 11, whose name was not available.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Jessie Richards, who recently moved back to Cisco from Houston, had a surprise visit from her daughter and son-in-law, Gail and Don Beaton, who live in Indiana. They spent New Years week with Jessie and her family.

Lela Latch Lloyd To Have Book Review On Jan. 10



LELA LATCH LLOYD

Lela Latch Lloyd will review her latest book for the Delta Kappa Gamma meeting at the Conrad Hilton Center on January 10.

"The social hour will begin at 9 a.m., the review will follow at 9:30 and the business session will terminate the meeting," said June Hicks, president of the bi-county teachers' organization. "This will be an open meeting and we invite everyone who wishes to attend to be our guest for the book review," she concluded.

Mrs. Lloyd's book, **CISCO: CRADLE OF HILTON'S EMPIRE**, has already won two first places. Before the writing of the book was completed, the author sent the first chapter to the Abilene Writer's Guild as a sesquicentennial entry. As an article, the critic judge in that division gave it a first place. When the book was completed, the writer sub-

mitted it in the book category in the Cisco Writers Club contest and again it was rated first.

Mrs. Lloyd who has three other published books, is a retired teacher with 37 years

of service in the classrooms of Texas. Thirty of those years were spent in her hometown of Cisco. Since her retirement in 1971, she has homesteaded in Alaska.

written four books, and been named to "Who's Who Among American Women" in 1980.

She is a member of the First United Methodist Church in Cisco where she has served for 50 years as a Sunday School teacher; is the retiring president of Cisco Writers Club and in December gave the reins of the reporter's job of AARP to Rose Knowlden. During

her 35-year membership in Beta Upsilon, she has served as president, necrology chairman, and on many other committees. "The writing about Hilton's first hotel was a dream of mine long before the \$1.2 million grant was made. I have tried faithfully to paint the correct story of his coming to Cisco and to picture the impact of the 76-year-old Mobley on Cisco, the writer stated.

Local Man Wins Third Place

Dale Stewart of Cisco won a Third Place ribbon by the Nepenthe Mundi Society recently. He sent in slides of his sculpture "The Challenge". This makes the second award he has won from the Classic. The other award was a 4th place ribbon on "Looking at the Past".

Artists from Malaysia, Japan, Argentine, Canada, Poland, Sweden and across the United States contributed to the Emerald City Classic V. Over 450 entries were submitted and judged in the Classic.

people in the news

SCHRADER GUESTS

Visitors in the home of Jim and Janelle Schrader of Cisco this past week were Duane and Clara Grove of Lincoln, Nebraska. Duane and Clara stopped in Cisco on their way home after traveling to California.

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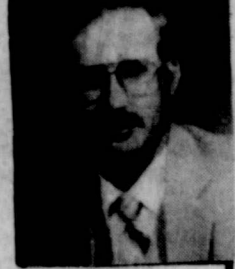
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