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GOODFELLOW DONATION-- In lieu of a Christmas gift to Principal Bob Lindsey at the Cisco Elementary School, the entire school personnel gave \$100.00 in his name to the Cisco Goodfellows. Shown in the above photo is Mr. Lindsey giving the money to Shirley Hargrave, president of the Cisco Goodfellow board of directors. (Staff Photo)

Cisco Goodfellows Thank Everyone For Donations To Help Needy Families

By Wanda Hallmark
The Cisco Goodfellows will give food and toys to the needy on Friday, December 23. Applications who have been approved will be notified as to what time they should go by and pick up their merchandise.

The deadline to turn in the applications was last Friday. The total number of applications had not been released by press time, but there have been quite a few this year.

Some of the latest applications are from parents who are mainly concerned about their children. They want their children to have toys on Christmas morning and they want to children to have a good meal on Christmas day.

There seem to be a large number of single fathers who are raising their families on a limited income. One man who has a small child said he is unable to find work. He is being helped by other family members at the present time. But he is asking for help for his child.

Another single father with three small children is asking for help from the Cisco Goodfellows. He said he is working but his income is not great enough to provide toys for his children. He is requesting assistance for toys. He said food would also be appreciated.

Another applications is from a woman and her husband. They have two small children. She said the job her husband has is just temporary and it is not enough to buy Christmas for the kids. Every bit of the money from

the job has to go on bills, and even their rent is 3 months behind. She wrote, "Please help us if you can. Thank you."

Another couple is having a hard time financially. The husband is self employed and they have three small children. The mother wrote and said they are only making enough money to buy food and barely enough to pay the bills. They don't have any extra for the children's Christmas. She said work has slowed down in the last few weeks. She wants something for her children. It doesn't have to be much, she said.

It's hard to see your children go without toys at Christmas because you're going through some hard financial times. It's hard because they are the ones who suffer the most. But the Cisco Goodfellows can help ease this burden with your donation. The Cisco Goodfellows want to see smiles on the faces of small children and the gratefulness in the eyes of their parents.

If you have not sent in your donation yet, send it to the Cisco Goodfellows, c/o First National Bank, 418 Conrad Hilton, or c/o Cisco Press, 700 Conrad Hilton, Cisco, Texas 76437.

The Cisco Goodfellows board of directors are grateful for all the donations they have received. They want everyone to know they realize the Goodfellow organization could not operate if it wasn't for you. The Goodfellows are made

up of dedicated volunteer workers who want to help their fellow Ciscoans who are hurting at this time in their lives. The people who make up the Goodfellows are the volunteer workers and everyone who has donated food, money and toys.

A list of donors this week are as follows:

Country Western Musical-\$100.00.

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Goodfellows Sunday School Class at First United Methodist Church-\$25.00.

First Baptist Church To Present Music

The First Baptist Church Sanctuary Choir will present "An Evening of Traditional Christmas Music" on Saturday, Dec. 17, and Sunday, Dec. 18, at 7 p.m.

The choir will sing seasonal favorites like "Carol of the Bells" and "Here We Come A-Caroling," plus a full program of sacred Christmas music including "Silent Night," "O Holy Night," "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel," and "Joy to the World/How Great Our Joy."

Stephanie Kimbrough and Lela Beckett will be featured trumpet soloists on "Joy to the World." Mary Austin on the organ and Martha Davis on the piano will be accompanying the choir for the evening of seasonal music. Doug Bromley will direct the choir.

The public is invited to attend.

Dec. Meeting Is Cancelled

Cisco Country Kids 4-H Club will not have a December meeting due to the heavy basketball game schedule and Christmas holidays.

Cecil Cook Appointed Constable

Plans On Inventory Discussed

At the County Commissioners meeting Monday Sheriff-Elect Dee Hogan discussed plans for his inventory of money and property in the present Sheriff's office and the jail. Plans are to have retired County Auditor Emma Morris assist with the audit, Hogan said. She will do this as a public service, with no charge to the County.

Hogan also said he would like to have a good system on holding confiscated property which is being kept for criminal trials. He told of plans for the organization of this material, and said he thought the large walk-in vault in the old Sheriff's office on the first floor of the Courthouse would be a good place to keep it.

The Commissioners seemed agreeable to this plan, and also to some changeover requests. Richard Robinson, Commissioner of Pct. 1, said it was hard now to set an exact figure on the cost of transferring the Sheriff's office, but this could be done after Jan. 1.

He said the budget should be amended to cover change-over expenses in communi-

cation, some printing, painting, etc. The other Commissioners agreed.

On another matter, the Commissioners appointed Cecil Cook to fill the unexpired term of Jesse Brown, Constable of Pct. 2 (Ranger). Brown resigned the office on Nov. 1. Cook on the spring primary and defeated a write-in candidate in November. His full term will start Jan. 1.

Richard Robinson, Commissioner of Pct. 1, was sworn in for another term by County Judge Scott Bailey.

One agenda item was the discussion of current and delinquent tax collections, and to request that current tax statements list delinquent and outstanding taxes owed.

Billy Bacon, Comm. of Pct. 4, said that more than one person had complained to him how tax bills were stated. Old bills sometimes lie dormant for years, then are sent to people who don't even know they owe the taxes. He mentioned one person who recently received a bill for taxes owed in 1973.

One tax collection agency representative was in the

courtroom - Roger Kent Sutton of the firm of McCreary, Valeska, Beck and Allen of Austin, a firm which specializes in collecting delinquent taxes. Sutton said he was based in Abilene, and that an employee of the firm was in Eastland County regularly, checking on various sources pertaining to the collecting of past-due taxes.

Sutton indicated that his firm was complying with the Commissioners request. He said 10,060 delinquent tax notices had been mailed this year, with more than 200 "demand" letters notifying property owners that they faced a lawsuit on past due taxes.

He also said the firm had filed 111 judgments on suits, and had sent out 76 "lien holder" letters. He told Bacon that new owners are responsible for back taxes that are owed on property, and for the woman who had received the 1973 tax bill to check with tax officials.

The Commissioners decided to have Pritchard and Abbott, another Tax firm, notified again about putting delinquent tax notices on current statement. They had requested this firm to do so in the past, Commissioners said, but it had not complied.

On another item Comm. Billy Bacon reported that 15 people were currently in the County Jail, and that the facility appeared clean. The land-clearing on the block north of the jail was progressing, he said. There was some mention of utilizing the old jail more for storage space.

As to budgetary matters, the Commissioners deferred paying two bills submitted by Attorney Bill Hart until they could have a discussion outlining the projected cost of the Appeal on the Brenda Andrews case. In 1987 Brenda Andrews was convicted in an Organized Crime Trial stemming from the murder of and abduction and murder of Debra Garcia of Cisco.

Special prosecutor Hart submitted bills of \$2,809 for Oct. 20, 1988 to Nov. 11 and \$1,458 for Nov. 15, 1988 through Dec. 8 for preparing briefs in Brenda Andrews Appeal.

Bills from her defense Attorney will also reportedly be submitted to the county case, since Andrews has been declared indigent.

On other agenda items, the Commissioners voted to request a Proposal for bids on computer service. They also approved 12 Holidays for 1989, a calendar which will be useful in coordinating activities in the Courthouse.

CISCO IS A-OK

Tickets Available For Coronation

Tickets are now on sale for the coronation of King and Queen Lorb LVII to be held in the Harrell Fine Arts Auditorium on Cisco Junior College campus Thursday, Dec. 15, at 7:30 p.m.

Admission will be \$3.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students.



CHARLES BARNES

Rising Star Man Is Project Manager

Charles Barnes, of Rising Star, has been selected by the Eastland County Economic Development Committee, to be the project manager, of obtaining a prison system for Eastland County. Barnes will have an office in Cisco, and will be serving the entire county.

Barnes graduated from Texas A&M University in 1944, and became a doctor of veterinary medicine. He practiced in Cisco from 1944-46. He received his PhD from the University of California in 1957. Dr. Barnes served 22 years in the U.S. Air Force and is currently retired in the grade of Colonel.

He retired from the Foreign Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture in April, 1985. He, and his wife, are currently operating a cattle ranch near Rising Star.

Barnes said the 2,052 bed prison they are seeking will provide jobs for 700 people in Eastland County. The whole object of getting the prison is to get new people and funds in here to rejuvenate Eastland County.

Funds from the Legislature have been appropriated to build more prisons in Texas. He said prisons will definitely be built and Eastland County is earnestly seeking one.

Barnes said the Texas Department of Corrections requires 300 acres of land, with 80 acres being smooth and flat. He said Eastland County has that land.

Barnes said the Texas Department of Corrections will put out a request for proposals and any group who wishes to apply may do so. He said a committee from the Texas Department of Corrections will review each proposal and make their final choice.

The presence of Interstate 20, in Eastland County is a plus, according to Barnes. The prison will not be located close to the highway, he said, but a highway does need to be close to the prison to provide transportation for supplies and transportation of prisoners in and out.

The Eastland County Economic Development Committee will send information about the good qualities of Eastland County to the Texas Department of Corrections to be considered for a site of a prison.

Any prison in this area will be a long term improvement for the county, Barnes said. He said it will be an economical development. About two-thirds of the workers will be registered law officers. The prison will need at least 4-5 doctors, 45 nurses, 5 dentists and 5 psychiatrists. These people will reside in Eastland County.

A prison will develop a large co-op education program using the two Junior Colleges in Eastland County and the other educational facilities here, Barnes said.

A group from Eastland County toured the prison near Palestine, Texas last month. All those who went on the tour were extremely impressed with the college campus atmosphere. They said it was a safe and secure facility.

Barnes said to show how much a prison helps an area financially, several of the communities that already have prisons are asking to be considered for another one. This shows how much a prison can help a community, he said.

Barnes said he is enthusiastic about the prison coming to Eastland County. "If I can get it, it will be got," he said.

Schools To Dismiss Early Thursday For Holidays

Classes of Cisco Independent School District will dismiss early Thursday,

Dec. 15, according to an announcement.

At Elementary School, kindergarten and 1st grade will dismiss at 1:50 p.m.; 2nd and 3rd at 2 p.m.; and 4th, 5th and 6th at 2:15 p.m.

Junior high and high school classes will dismiss at 2:30 p.m.

All classes will dismiss at the regular time Friday, Dec. 16, to begin the Christmas holidays. Classes will resume Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1989.

The public is cordially invited to share this special occasion with the youth of Cisco. We hope to see you there.

Falling Balcony Kills Student

(Reprinted from Fort Worth Star-Telegram)
By R. Robin McDonald



Lynn McDaniels was walking outside her Stephenville apartment building Friday night when a balcony collapsed and killed her.

An honor student at Tarleton State University, the 21-year-old Eastland County resident died Friday night when a second-floor balcony at the Madrid Apartments where she lived near the university campus gave way as she walked beneath it, burying her in the wreckage.

Almost a dozen people were standing on the balcony when it fell.

They were celebrating Christmas at a party given by apartment manager Delphia Sharp, said Stephenville Police Chief Douglas Conner.

They were standing by two kegs of beer, the cups and ice when the wooden balcony supports gave way and they tumbled to the concrete below.

No one on the balcony was

injured, although Conner said eight to 10 students fell when the balcony and part of the building's brick wall collapsed shortly after 8 p.m. At first, no one realized that McDaniels was buried beneath the wreckage, Conner said.

When Stephenville police began sifting through the rubble, they found McDaniels' body, he said. She was still holding her keys in her hand. Conner said no one knows whether McDaniels was leaving the apartment building or returning home.

About 30 people, most of them Stephenville police and volunteer fire-fighters, worked to pull McDaniels' body from the wreckage, Conner said. A Stephenville man who owns a construction equipment business brought a crane which the police chief said was eventually used to knock down loose brick remaining after the collapse.

The apartment complex, Conner said, is one of three complexes known as Continental Apartments that together are owned by a Duncanville man. The Madrid is within a few blocks of the Tarleton campus and houses mostly students, he said. The two-story building is about 20 years old, he said.

Conner said he and Stephenville Fire Chief Jimmy Mooney have both examined the wall that supported the balcony and intend to notify the city building inspector this week. He said he did not know why the balcony collapsed.

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MORAN NEWS

By Mrs. Luke Huskey

Funeral for R.E. Weber, 73, of Colorado City, was held at 2 p.m. Monday with graveside service at the Moran Cemetery. R.E. passed away at his home in Colorado City Saturday. He is a former resident of Moran.

Survivors include his wife, Evelyn Adair Weber of Colorado; two daughters, Gail Bailey of Odessa and Mary Lynn Owens of Kermit; one sister, Mary Wheeler of Abilene; one brother, Howard (Buddy) Weber of Abilene; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Moran School will start the Christmas vacation on Tuesday, Dec. 20, at 2 p.m. School will resume on Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1989. The children will be out for the holidays and you are asked to be on the look-out for them, as they will be playing with new toys.

Your correspondent wishes that you have a very Merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year. If you travel during the holidays, be careful and have a safe journey to and from your travels.

Clifford Scott of Dallas spent a few days with relatives in Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill attended the funeral for her father, Homer Wilkins, in

Clyde last Friday. Mr. Wilkins, 88, passed away Wednesday in a nursing home. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene.

Johnny Rhinehart of Knox City has been employed as Moran School Superintendent, starting Jan. 1. He replaces Supt. Beyers, who resigned recently.

Santa Claus will be at the Moran American Legion Post on Saturday night, Dec. 17. Come and visit with Santa Claus. A supper will be held starting at 6 p.m.

Kamber Knowles had the misfortune of having his house burn last Thursday morning. The house looks to be a total loss. The house is the former home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackstock.

The people of Moran and community awoke Friday morning to find everything covered with ice, due to the rain that fell Thursday and Thursday night. The ice was a beautiful sight, even though it was cold. By noon, the ice was melted, but the weather continued to be cold all weekend, and not much visiting was done. A little over an inch of rain fell. More rain fell Saturday. The rain was very much appreciated and it is hoped that we get more rain, soon. Monday (today) is a beautiful

day with sunshine.

Mrs. J. W. Booth is visiting her children in Temple, San Antonio, and Allen for the winter.

Certificates Are Given To Burgess Employees In P.I.Q. Program

Employees of Burgess Manning, Inc., Division of

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of the program. Certificates and "Beacon of Quality" awards were presented to selected employees and management personnel for excelling in carrying out this program

and extra effort in the performance of their job. Selected for these honors were Larry Campbell, Rudy

Gevara, Pat Murphy, Jerry Ballinger and Terrell Jackson.

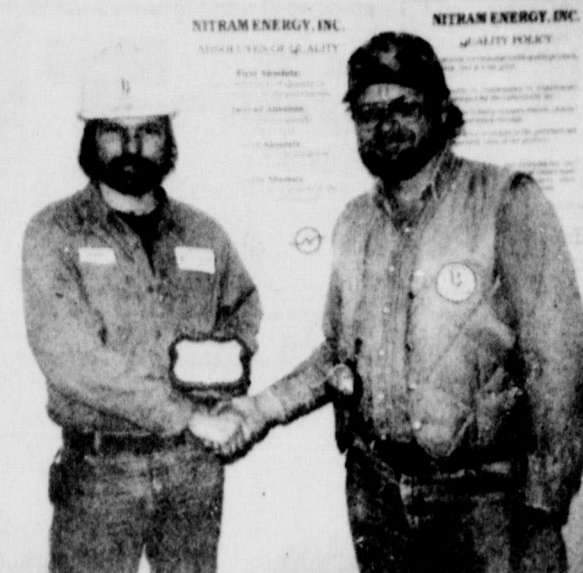
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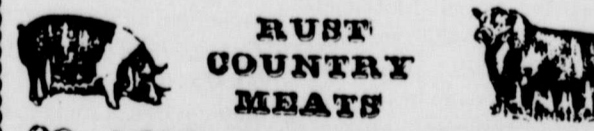
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Friends Recall Tarleton Student's Caring Ways

(Reprinted from Fort Worth Star-Telegram)
By Amy Keen

Two days after Katha "Lynn" McDaniels was killed beneath a collapsed balcony in Stephenville, friends and family recalled her as an intelligent, compassionate person.

"She always seemed to be looking out for other people," said Sherri Harty, who pledged Alpha Gamma Delta sorority with McDaniels this fall.

The 21 year-old Tarleton State University student was killed Friday night while walking beneath the balcony that collapsed at the Madrid Apartments, near the college campus.

A party was going on in the manager's apartment on the second floor. About eight to 10 students were standing on the upstairs balcony when it collapsed on top of McDaniels, police said.

"I was walking up the stairs on the other side of the courtyard when I heard something crack, and then I saw the balcony fall," said a student who attended the party. She declined to give her name.

None of the students who were standing on the balcony was injured when it fell. Because of the chaos, the student said: "It took about 20 minutes before anyone realized she was under there."

The balcony appeared to be an extension built on to the original balcony, Stephenville Fire Chief Jimmy Mooney said after an initial inspection.

The city's building inspector was expected to begin an investigation of the collapse sometime today, he said yesterday.

"This was a shock, a real shock," Harty said. "Not really anybody found out about it until a couple of hours after it happened."

McDaniels was remembered as very intelligent. She was considering entering law school after she was scheduled to graduate from Tarleton in the spring.

Another Alpha Gamma Delta sorority member, Missy Kincer, recalled that McDaniels had attended a pledge retreat at her apartment earlier in the fall.

"She was real smart," she said. "She was real pretty and everybody liked her. She was really nice."

McDaniels' uncle, Lee Roy McDaniels, said his niece was born the last of five children to his brother and sister-in-law.

"She was kind of like the flower of the family," he said.

Jenett Webb said her younger sister was eligible for graduation in the spring, with a business degree. However, she was thinking of going on to law school.

"She never made a B," Webb said of her sister's grades. "Everything she ever made, she earned."

McDaniels and her brother, J.C. McDaniels, were especially close. Because she had

no classes on Tuesdays, he would drive that day each week from the family's farm in Carbon to see her.

He recalled his sister as a hard-working student who graduated from Cisco Junior College, where he teaches math, with highest honors. She also was an honor student at Tarleton, he said.

McDaniels moved into her apartment in October and was enjoying making friends in college and through her sorority, he said. But her compassion extended beyond people, he said.

"She loved animals," J.C. McDaniels said. "She was always getting mail from the Humane Society, from the one for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and from Save the Whales."

"We have several cats on the farm, and I told her she could have as many as she wanted. But that day, she went to the animal shelter and took

three that were about to be put to sleep," he said.

"The night she was killed, I went to her apartment and the cats were there on the couch, waiting for her."

McDaniels also was interested in the environment and politics, her brother said.

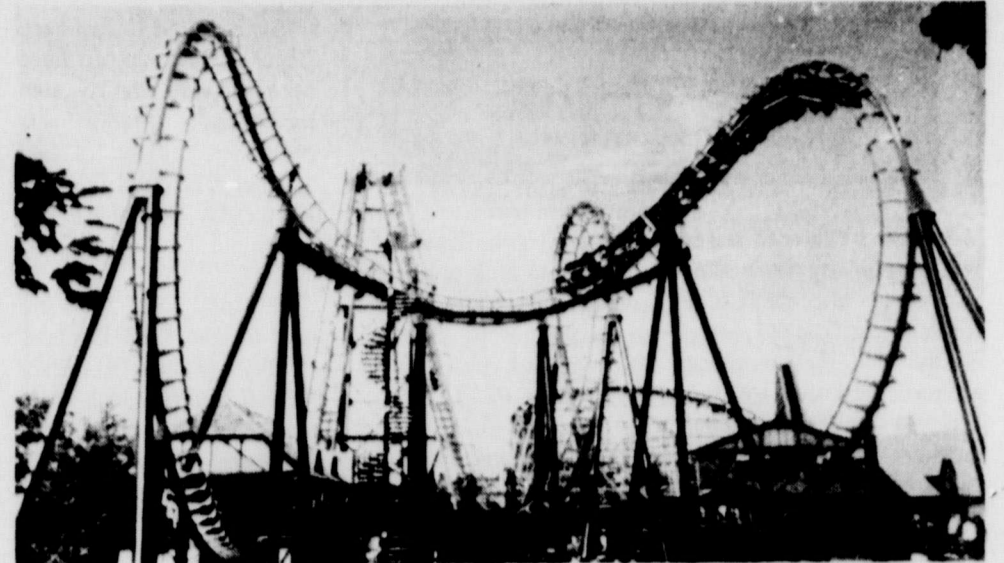
"Lynn had the ability to discuss issues on any subject without getting emotionally distraught about it," he said. "We could talk about anything, and we did. She was more than a sister, she was a friend."

Miss McDaniels was born in Gorman and lived all her life in Carbon. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her parents J.L. and Mary McDaniels of Carbon; two brothers, Kenneth of Athens, J.C. of Carbon; two sisters, Betty Joyner of Austin, Jenett Webb of Crowley; a grandmother, Beulah Fleming of Santa Anna; a host of aunts and uncles; four nephews and many, many friends.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 12, 1988, at 2 p.m. in the Church of Christ in Gorman with Durward Webb officiating. Burial was in Murray Cemetery at Carbon directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

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By Bob Mueller

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... why do men get bald? According to researchers at the University of Miami, the problem involves levels of testosterone, together with certain inherited scalp conditions.

... The Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta are leading a drive to immunize against hepatitis B virus at public clinics. When pregnant women carry the virus, early treatment can protect the infant from disease.

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RANGER

The Boys Club of Ranger will be receiving some renovation work after the first of the new year. The old siding on the building contained asbestos, and due to new Federal guidelines this siding must be replaced. Arthur Camacho, President of the Boys Club, has been removing the old siding. The Ranger Lions Club has purchased the new material and it is being delivered this week. Donations for assistance in paying for the siding and installation are being requested. The building provides young people a great place for recreation, and has also been used for parties and reunions. Anyone wishing to make a donation should contact Arthur Camacho or Shawn Wells.

The Ranger Police Department is taking orders for house numbers to be installed on houses in the city. These numbers will enable the Police to respond faster to calls for service. The numbers and installation will be furnished by the Police Department for a donation of \$10 per house. The donations will be used to purchase much needed equipment for the Police Department. To place an order, call or contact any of the officers of the Ranger Police Department.

Busy days are ahead for the firms holding Open House in Ranger. On Thursday, Dec. 15 Olney Savings will hold Open House from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. On Thursday, Dec. 15 Ranger Auction Co. will also hold Open House, with refreshments available all day during the sale. On Friday, Dec. 16 there will be Open House at a number of places: Clay T's Service Center, 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., Gholson's Beauty Salon, 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. Also Ranger Floral 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. "We're turning Christmas upside down," they say. There will be door prizes, refreshments and pop-a-balloon for discount specials. The same day Bill's Dollar Store will have Open House from 5-9 p.m. There will be a drawing for a T.V. Staples Office Supply and H&R Block will also celebrate with an Open House on Dec. 16, and their hours will be 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Door prizes will be given away.

CISCO

The Coronation of the fifty-seventh King and Queen Lobo will be held on Thursday, Dec. 15, 7:30 p.m. in the Harrell Fine Arts Auditorium, on the Cisco Junior College campus. Tickets are \$3.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students, and may be purchased from members of the Junior Class or also at the door. Following the royal presentation, the Junior Class will entertain King and Queen Lobo LVII, their court and honored guests with a Christmas play. When this Coronation tradition began in 1927, the student body selected five Cisco High School senior football players as nominees for King Lobo. These young men chose their own escorts for the Coronation. The tradition continued in this manner until 1965, when it was decided that King Lobo nominees were no longer required to be a football player. At that time, also, five senior girls were nominated, and for the first time Queen Lobo was elected by the student body.

It is Christmas time at Cisco Elementary! The first things you see at the front door is a Christmas Train for the Goodfellows. The teachers have covered boxes with bright, beautiful wrappings, and encouraged the children to

bring non-perishable food items to fill up the "train cars." It is cute to look at and encourages the children to give to people in need. Goodfellows will pick up the food on Friday, Dec. 16.

If you have any new or like new toys you wish to donate to the Cisco Goodfellows, there are three locations set up with boxes where the toys can be left. They may be left at the WTU office, the Cisco Chamber of Commerce and The Cisco Press.

The headstone for Chanda Pittman, 8 year old Cisco girl who died in a traffic accident this year, has arrived from South Africa. It was ordered in June from Clemmer Monument in Abilene, and was shipped by boat. It is made of black African granite, and is the only one of its kind in this area. It took a week to cut the stone with a sawblade. Clay Clemmer, son of the owner of Clemmer Monuments, used a diamond bit to hand etch a soccer ball, baseball bat, the Girl Scout Emblem and a red rose on the headstone.

EASTLAND

Museum backers have decided that the next steps needed in the proposed Eastland Museum project is money and volunteer labor. Both will be needed to renovate the location on South Seaman into an attractive Museum building. So an auction is planned at the City yard in mid-January, and this should provide some funds for the Museum. A city auction of surplus equipment for salvage will take place at the same time. The public is being asked for items they are willing to donate. If you are willing to give something to the auction, you may call Roy Lee Smith at 629-2889.

The Eastland United Way Benefit which was to have been held last Thursday at the McDonald's Drive-In was postponed because of bad weather. It is rescheduled for Wednesday, Dec. 14 from 12-1 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 22 is the date for the 1988 Eastland County 4-H Show Pig Clinic. It is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. in the Gorman School Cafeteria, and will feature training by Dan Gressett, Swine Specialist for Texas Agricultural Extension Service. He will discuss a number of topics related to the care, feeding and showing of pigs. All members who plan on exhibiting a pig during the 1989 Eastland County Livestock Show are requested to attend with parents.

All of Eastland's basketball teams will be in District play with Ranger on Monday and Tuesday of next week - Dec. 19-20. Some of the games will be in Eastland - some in Ranger. Good competition is expected.

BAIRD

The Baird School Band will hold its annual Christmas Concert on Wednesday, Dec. 14, starting at 8 p.m. in the Baird High School auditorium. The Christmas program is always very special, so this should be a good one. The public is invited to attend.

The Callahan County Historical Committee still has some copies of the County History Book for sale. This would make a unique Christmas gift for a relative or friend, especially for someone interested in the county. Once these remaining copies are sold, no more will be available. If you would like a copy, send \$58 to Callahan County History Book, Rt. 2 Box 236, Clyde, Texas 79510. Be sure and include your name and address so the book can be mailed to you. If you want the book mailed directly to someone else, please explain this in a letter or call Hicks Turners at 529-3579.

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Authors To Receive Awards

Local authors will receive recognition and awards Thursday, December 15, at 7:30 p.m. when the Abilene Writers Guild announces the winners in their 1988 Christmas Fiction Contest. The

presentations will be held at Guild Headquarters, 860 Hickory, Abilene, Texas.

The annual competition provides Guild members an opportunity to test their talents as writers under compe-

dition conditions. The stories are written according to strict guidelines and judged by professional authors. This year's judges, Gwen Choate Smith and Marty Gregory, have written a number of

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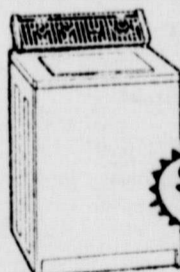
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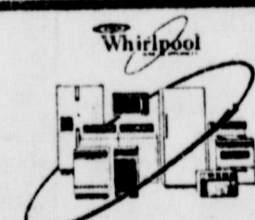
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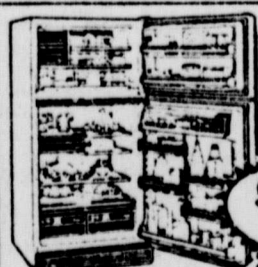
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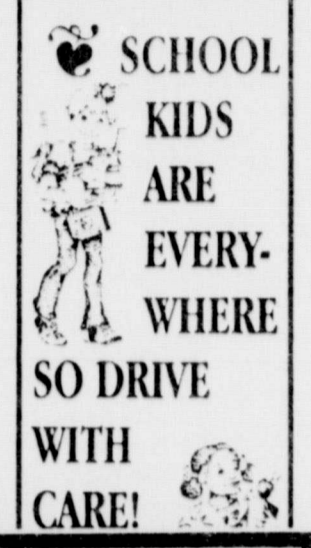
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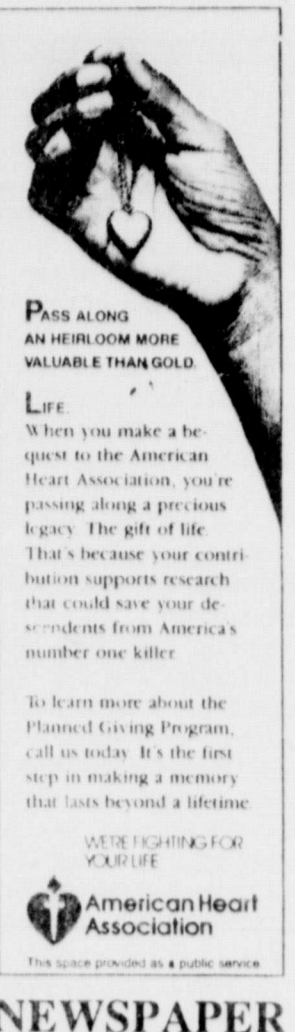
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The first "winterizing" task is to be sure your insulation levels are adequate. The Texas Energy Extension Service recommends at least R18 insulation in the wall and at least R27 in the attic. Adding insulation to your walls is difficult and usually not cost effective, but increasing the level of insulation in the attic can be done by a do-it-yourselfer. Use a ruler to measure the thickness of your attic insulation. If you have less than 8 inches of batt insulation or loose-fill cellulose insulation or less than 10 inches of loose-fill glass fiber or mineral wool insulation, then you probably don't have R27 in your attic. By bringing your insulation up to the recommended levels, you can save significantly on your heating bills.
When checking your insulation level, also check to see if the attic is properly ventilated to avoid moisture buildup in the insulation. Putting plastic bags or other devices over turbine ventilators in the winter is not a good practice because it hinders attic ventilation and moisture control.
Remember, insulation is not just for walls and attics. By insulating your hot-water pipes, you keep the heat from escaping into the cooler air. This pipe insulation will cost about .20 cents per foot, but should be recovered in a short period of time through savings on your water-heating bill.
The second measure that should be taken is air leakage reduction. Air leakage in a typical house accounts for 25 to 30 percent of the home's heating and cooling costs. When this air loss is reduced your heater runs less, saving energy and money. Weatherstrip and caulk where you find leaks around doors and windows.
Also, check for fleaks in some of the not-so-obvious places. To restrict air leakage around light switches and electrical outlets, gasket sealers are available to place between the wall and the cover plate. Insulate the backs of attic doors, and weatherstrip around the door frame. Stuff insulation in the gaps in floors and walls around plumbing lines that enter the house. Replace broken and cracked windows; seal small cracks in glass with duct tape if replacement is too expensive.
The third tip is to be sure your heating system is operating efficiently. Arrange for a maintenance inspection by a heating system specialist at the beginning of each heating season. For a small fee, the service person will check for any malfunctioning parts, which will ensure that your system is operating properly. Once the system is operating daily, be sure to change the filters once a month.
The last energy-saving measure involves your winter lifestyle. You can

lower the thermostat setting to 68 degrees F and keep yourself warm by wearing clothing. At night, you can set the thermostat back to 55 degrees F and use an electric blanket. An electric blanket can run all night for less than .10 cents. It possible, stay in the warm areas of the house. North walls and windows are typical cold spots.
When you're going to be in one particular room for a long time, turn the thermostat way down on the main heating system. Use space heaters or a fireplace to heat the room you're in or use a lap blanket when you're going to be in one spot for a while.
A word of caution about fireplaces: they are not very efficient heating systems. When used while the normal heating system is operating, they often consume more energy than they save because air heated by the main system is drawn into the fireplace and escapes up the chimney, when used alone and with proper air control dampers, the fireplace can be a viable alternative to the normal heating system and can save significantly on the heating bill.
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Obituaries

Bernise B. Willingham

Bernise B. Willingham, 68, passed away Sunday morning, 11 December 1988, at Ranger General Hospital. Services were held 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, 13 December, in the Chapel of Edwards Funeral Home, Ranger, Texas. Reverends Jerry Speer and B.E. Coker officiating, with burial in Merriam Cemetery, Ranger.

Pallbearers were Bill Miller, Daniel Hawley, Burlie Vick, Norman Randle, George Beighley, Floyd Caraway, and Tim Strieff. Music furnished by Jim and Lyndell Cockburn.

Born 27 September 1920 at Crockett, Texas, he came to Ranger in 1928, attended school here, was Baptized at age 16 in Second Baptist Church of Ranger, and was married to Miss Dollie "Dot" Prueitt, 19 August 1942.

Serving in WWII, he enlisted in the U.S. Army 31 January 1940 and was Honorably Discharged 22 October 1945.

He moved back to Ranger in 1979 and retired in 1982 from Pool International Oil Co., having worked in numerous places as pusher and drilling rig operator, and was currently employed as assistant manager of the cafeteria at Ranger Junior College.

He was a member of VFW Post #4136, and Odd Fellows, Moose and Eagles Lodge.

Survivors include his wife Dollie "Dot" Willingham; one daughter, Judy Carol Caraway of Ranger; three brothers, Leon Willingham of Houston, Texas; Herman Willingham of Ft. Worth, Texas; Edward Willingham of Ranger, Texas; several nieces and nephews.

One sister, Betty Lorine

Emerson, preceded him in death 12 June 1988.

Virginia Owings

OLDEN-Virginia Owings, 50, died Thursday, Dec. 8 at an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 10 at First Baptist Church with the Rev. David Edwards officiating. Burial was in Mitchell Cemetery south of Cisco, directed by Edwards Funeral Home of Eastland.

Born May 14, 1938 in Eastland, she lived in Olden for the past 12 years. She married James Owings February 1, 1956 in Baird. She was a nurse's aide at nursing homes and hospitals in Eastland. She cared for elderly women in their homes. She attended Eastland schools and was a member of First Baptist Church in Olden.

Survivors include her husband, J.R. Owings of Olden; a daughter, Pam Cruichfield of Olden; a brother, Bob Caraway of Alexandria, Va.; a sister, Rose Ann Dukes of Plano; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Carl J. Sanders

BRECKENRIDGE-Carl J. Sanders, 67, died Sunday, Dec. 11 at an Abilene hospital.

Services were held Dec. 12 at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Melton Funeral Home Chapel of Memories with the Rev. Bubba Stahl officiating. Burial was in the Hart Cemetery.

Born in Brashear, he moved to Breckenridge in 1931.

He worked for B.J. Hughes Oil Co. and was a member of the First Baptist Church and the Breckenridge Elks Lodge No. 1480.

A U.S. Army veteran of World War II, he was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Margie Mae Adams Sanders of Breckenridge; two daughters, Shelia Luther and Carla Boggs, both of Breckenridge; a son, James Sanders of Breckenridge; a stepson, David Giles of Breckenridge; a brother, Gary Sanders of Cisco; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Joseph M. Greenwood

CROSS PLAINS-Joseph M. Greenwood, 90, died Saturday, Dec. 10 at a Brownwood nursing home.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 11 at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Michael Hale and the Rev. Klai Quesenberry officiating. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born in Okra, he moved to Cross Plains in 1944.

He was a farmer and rancher and a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Pearl Pounds Greenwood of Cross Plains; two sons, Gene Greenwood of Cross Plains and Paul Greenwood of California; a daughter, Margaret Copping of Odessa; four sisters, Archie Crowe of Denver, Iona Bounds of Eastland, Ethel Lovell and Edna Morgan, both of Car-

ton; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Eunie Houston Marsh

CISCO-- Eunie Houston Marsh, 85, died Sunday, Dec. 11, 1988, in a Dallas nursing home.

Graveside services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 13, 1988, in Oakwood Cemetery, under the direction of Kimbrough Funeral Home. The Rev. Jim Manning, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated.

Born Oct. 10, 1904, in Gorman, he was a longtime Cisco resident. He married Ethelene Yarbrough Jan. 27, 1927, in Cisco.

He was a petroleum engineer for Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey and was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Ethelene Yarbrough Marsh of Dallas; two daughters, Shirie Marsh of Dallas and Patricia J. Cuellar of Houston; two brothers, Thomas A. Marsh of Sweetwater and O.T. Marsh of Lubbock; a sister, Dixie Wade of Abilene; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Hospital Report

Eastland Memorial Hospital

The following patients have released their name for publication in this newspaper:

Ruby M. Huckaby
Marvin C. Kellar
Eldis (Jean) Posy
Dortha Mae Cate
Bessie L. Alderson
Judy Mae Robertson
Opadell F. Baker

Ranger General Hospital

Bertha Goforth
Verne Peterson
There is a total of 5 patients in the hospital. Some have asked that their name not be published.

NEWSPAPER DEADLINES:

Monday, 5:00 p.m. (For Thursday Paper)
And
Thursday, 5:00 p.m. (For Sunday Paper)

Pleasant Hill Club Decorates Canterbury Villa

The Pleasant Hill Club members were busy in late November getting all the Christmas decorating put up in the Canterbury Villa Nursing Home. The workers all broke for a great lunch in the home of Allene Smith.

The club members have been very busy the past months, working on special gifts for all the people living at Canterbury Villa. They are all ready, about to be wrapped and ready to go under the Christmas tree.

The Pleasant Hill Club will host the birthday party at the nursing home Dec. 15.

Club members and their family enjoyed Christmas dinner Dec. 8th. Gifts were exchanged. The Christmas party was held at the home of Muri Campbell in Eastland. Everyone enjoyed the turkey and dressing and all the trimmings.

The members of the Pleasant Hill Home Extension Club would like to wish

everyone a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

GED And ESL Classes To Dismiss For Holidays

The GED and ESL classes, which are held at Cisco High School, will not meet Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 19-20 and Dec. 26-27, according to report.

Classes will resume on Monday, Jan. 2, 1989.

The GED classes begin at 6:30 p.m., and the ESL starts at 7:30 p.m.



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4-H NEWS

By Crystal Wilbanks, County Agent

4-H Sweatshirt Workshop

Pre-register by Thursday, December 15, if you would like to make a 4-H sweatshirt. (15 4-H'ers have already pre-registered at the time we held the County 4-H Food Show.) Call the Extension Service office at 629-2222, so an adequate amount of supplies are available.

The workshop will be on Thursday, December 20, starting at 9:00 at the TV Electric Reddy Room here in Eastland.

What to bring? A sweatshirt (white or black) and \$11 for cost of thread, pretty punch needle, hoop, and fabric. You will make a "4-H Clover" out of pretty punch. Also, bring a sack lunch.

Who can come? 4-H boys and girls plus mothers and grandmothers. I would suggest that 4-H'ers under 12 years of age be accompanied by an adult if at all possible.

Mrs. Carolyn Arnold is going to teach the class. For more information, contact Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent at 629-2222.

4-H Junior Leader's Association:

The Eastland County 4-H Junior Leader's Association will meet at 2:00 p.m., at the Eastland National Bank on Sunday, December 18.

4-H'ers will wrap Christmas toys for needy families. Following the wrapping of gifts there will be a short business meeting.

All 4-H Junior Leaders are urged to come and help with this community service project.

1989 4-H Recreation Team Announced:

In 1989, Eastland County will have a 4-H Recreation Team. Applications submitted included Robbi Daskevich, P.J. Kea, Amy Logan, Cathi Thomas, John Seaberry, and Stephen Maulden.

Congratulations to these 4-H'ers. Mrs. Patti Cozart, Ranger 4-H Leader, will be helping supervise the team in 1989 along with the agents.

1989 4-H Leadership Team:

Eastland County will have a 4-H Leadership Team this coming year. These 4-H'ers will present training on leadership skills, officer training, public speaking and much more.

Applications selected include: Pam Kea, Stephanie Long, Natalie Stevens, Toby Long, Brian Bailey, Tammy Lyerla, and Robbi Daskevich. Congratulations!

A 4-H Rabbit Project Training is scheduled for next Saturday, December 17, at the Eastland County Showbarn. The clinic will begin at 9:00-11:00 a.m. Shelly Rogers, of Brecken-

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Don't Change Colors On God

By Sam Williams

I remember a few years back, when I was a kid, a nickel would buy one of them great big (all-day) jaw-breakers. The kind that changed colors as you sucked it down, smaller and smaller. I remember thinkin' how much work it must be building all them layers on that jaw-breaker, one at a time, and how it was well worth a nickel for the long-lasting sweetness of an (all-day) jaw-breaker.

Some days I'd get thinkin' about one of them big sweet jaw-breakers, and I'd rob my penny bank for a nickel, or try and sell some of my old baseball cards or something to the other kids, to get enough money to buy one. Then I'd slip away to the store down the block while the other kids wasn't watchin'. And I'd come back suckin' on a great big, freshly bought jaw-breaker. Well, I'd see that I's gonna have to share it with them, or they'd tell that I'd been to the store without askin'. Now, I'd found out the summer before, when I tried to bite a piece off a jaw-breaker and chipped one of my teeth, that there weren't

too many things harder than an (all-day) jaw-breaker. It occurred to be that I could try Dad's new hammer, it bein' made of steel and all, but I knew I'd be in a heap a trouble if I's to break it, and besides, if you could break a piece off it wouldn't fit your jaw right anymore anyway. So I'd just let each of them have a turn at suckin' it, just until it changed to another color. I'll have you to know that I kept a close eye on my jaw-breaker while they had it, and I'd have them take it out every minute or so and show it to me, to make sure they didn't suck through two layers before giving it up to the next person. You know, you could suck on one of them jaw-breakers part near all day, and still get one of the other kids to give you a penny for what was left.

I reckon the Church to be like an (all-day) jaw-breaker in some ways. Our Founding Fathers worked long and hard, with much prayer and fasting, layer on layer building a faith and a way of life that was worth a repentant heart and a contrite spirit. And when people looked at the Church, it was easy to see that it was

worth a nickel for the long-lasting sweetness of an (all-life) Saviour. All the money in the world can't buy Christ into your life, but if you'll sell out all of your old sinful way, and make a down payment on salvation, you can come back enjoying the sweetness of a freshly bought new life in Christ. And when you get Jesus in your life, the whole world's gonna see your jaw stickin' out, and wish they had some of the peace and joy that you possess. And since you can't break a piece off, 'cause there's nothin' in the world any more solid than Jesus Christ, the Rock of Ages, and a little piece of Jesus wouldn't fit your jaw right anyway, you just have to share what you've got with those around you. And while our enjoying all the sweet blessings of Jesus, don't forget to take your life out every day and check to see that your not changing colors on God. Because, while Jesus will never change colors on you, there have been and still are those that would suck the sweetness out of Christianity, and try to change the color of God, by compromising

their doctrine and their standards, in order to solicit their phony religion to others for the sake of numbers, popularity and money.

There's one that that I learned when I was a kid. If you don't want to suck all the flavor out of your jaw-breaker in one day, hide it away in the back of your dresser drawer, and it'll still be just as sweet the next day.

If you don't want to remove all the sweetness from Christianity in this generation, hide Jesus away in your heart, raise up a standard before God, refuse to compromise, and maybe, just maybe, it'll still have a little flavor left for the next generation. I fear that if we don't take a stand now for what we believe, we could see the day that folks wouldn't give a penny for our careless, do-nothing attitude toward a christian life.

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Letters To The President

The following letters were written to the President by third grade students of Siebert Elementary School in Eastland.

Dear President Bush,
I am glad you got elected. I voted for you in our school election. I think you would make a good president. When the results came back we weren't suprized you won 441 to 104. In the next four years I hope we are able to keep peace. I know you will do everything in your power to see that our great country will remain peaceful.

Sincerely,
Nikki Daniel

Dear President Bush,
I am glad you're President. I'm from your home state. I want you to lower taxes and give homes to the poor. My family voted for you.

Your friend,
Kimberly Parsons

Dear President Bush,
I would like you to do all you can for our country such as keep our freedom and co-

operate with the U.S.S.R. President.

Your friend,
Jody Underwood

Dear President Bush,
President Bush congratulations on winning the election! I am from your home state of Texas. I would like you to put the prayer back in the schools.

Your friend,
Daniel Purvis

Dear President Bush,
I would like to congratulate you for winning! I would like to see that the world will no longer have war so people won't die or get hurt.

Your friend,
Jericho Williamson

Dear President Bush,
Please give people jobs. Please let all kids go to the movies.

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Wanda's Corner

by Wanda Hallmark

There will be a benefit basketball game at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, December 22. Admission to the game will be either canned goods or a donation to the Cisco Goodfellows.

Last year the Cisco Hoboes and the Cisco Has-Beens played the benefit game. The name of the two teams will be announced at a later date. Be sure and mark the time and date on your calendar for a great time and to help a worthy cause.

In the aquarium at Tradition's Restaurant, there is a dog fish walking around, not swimming! The fish is white and has 4 legs and walks on the floor of the aquarium!

"Success seems to be largely a matter of hanging on after others have let go." This quote was on the screen at the Cisco Hospital Town Meeting held last week. The quote is from William Feather.

Hospital administrator Marvin Cole said this is how taxpayers of the City of Cisco feels about E.L. Graham Hospital. Other hospitals have closed (68 hospitals in Texas alone have closed in the past three years), but Cisco is going to hang on and keep their hospital open.

Cole said one way to help Graham is when someone has to go to a specialist in another city, ask the doctor if the tests can be made at Graham and the specialist can read the results in their office.

Melvin Parmer, who lives on West 10th, saw a tomato vine close to the fence on his property that had come up by itself earlier this year. He started watering the plant and when he began picking tomatoes he ended up with 350 tomatoes off the plant!

He said the plant was still blooming when the freeze hit here last week. Mr. Parmer said when he heard the freeze was heading this way he went out and picked 75 ripe tomatoes and 250 green tomatoes.

He said he kept some of the seeds, but he figures when he plants them next year and waters the plants and take good care of them, they won't do as well as this wild plant did.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said last Friday that this year's sales tax payments to Cisco was up 5.16% compared to the same period last year, but dropped 7.11% during the month of October, compared to September.

He said in Eastland County the city of Rising Star had the largest increase in sales tax during October, 40.74%, and Gorman had an increase of 24.15%. Gorman was also up 13.84% for the entire year. Eastland was down 10.01% for the month of October compared to September and up 2.02% for the entire year. Ranger's sales tax was down 14.25% in October and up 5.83% for the year.

Bullock said, "We're projecting that local sales tax allocations will steadily rise through 1991. I'm sure the extra income from sales tax revenues will be welcomed by local governments."

Kimbrough Funeral Home, 300 West 9th, has a beautiful Christmas decoration on the side of their building. And the homes down Avenue I, from 8th Street are decorated up very pretty.

The homes on South Avenue L, look pretty as does the Pippen home at 905 West 5. The home of Randy and Joann Rust, halfway between Cisco and Eastland on Hwy 80 is lit up very well also.

If you know of any home that needs to be mentioned in The Press so others can drive by to see it, call 442-2244 and let us know.

Wesley Lewis, was able to celebrate his 1st birthday, in his home on December 7. Wesley is the son of Patty (Sellers) and Jim Lewis, of Abilene.

He recently underwent skin grafts, 2 on his stomach and one on his leg. He was burned in an accident in his home recently.

While he was at the burn

center in San Antonio he was nicknamed Houdini by the nurses. He had to have gauze on his hands and his little arms were tied down to the bed to keep him from scratching the grafts. But he could untie himself and get the gauze off his hands with his teeth and then he was free.

E.L. Jackson of Cisco celebrated his 90th birthday last Saturday in the home of his son in Garland. There were 31 people at the dinner. He and his wife Elsa, said they enjoyed their trip especially the 120 slides they watched. The slides were of the family over the years.

The bad weather did not interfere with the trip. They were shown Dallas and the Christmas lights while there. A story about the event will be in a later issue of The Press.

Letters to the editor

Dear Editor,

It was a pleasure to return to Cisco in order to host my parents' fiftieth wedding anniversary reception. The people who attended and those who helped made it a very special, loving day. Thank you for making it not only an anniversary occasion but also a time to renew acquaintances and visit with dear friends. You are indeed an exceptional town. Thank you again for sharing this special time with us.

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Take Fat Out Of Holiday Cooking

Oil, eggs and whipping cream are three ingredients often included in holiday cooking, but their high fat content makes them poor choices for mass consumption.

The American Heart Association suggests that recipe modifications be made whenever possible to cut back fat intake, said Evelyn Roberts, nutrition and dietetics instructor at Texas Christian University. Most of the AHA suggestions can be incorporated easily into holiday recipes.

"For example, if a recipe calls for fat or oil, use the oil because solid fats are highly saturated," explained Roberts. "If heavy cream is called for, it's often possible to substitute skimmed or evaporated milk."

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JOHN M. THORNTON

MEN IN SERVICE

Petty Officer 3rd Class John M. Thornton, son of Leon and Mittie Thornton of Cisco, has just completed his second six months tour of du-

ty in the Arabian Sea near the Persian Gulf. John is a Navy photographer on board the aircraft carrier USS Carl Vinson. After spending the holidays at home with his family, John will be going on to Pensacola, Florida, where he will attend camera repair school for six months before returning to his ship based on San Francisco, California.

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Is clothing worn by the deceased during lifetime appropriate? By all means. A suit or dress which is a particular favorite of the deceased - or the survivor - may be the prime consideration.
We invite your thoughts and will answer them privately or publicly through this column.

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CJC Instructor Talks Texas In Switzerland

North Texas received international publicity on November 20 when Dr. Monte Lewis, history instructor at Cisco Junior College, spoke to the Swiss Association of North American Studies in Bern. The US Embassy provided meeting space and the Swiss Humanities Academy provided support.

Dr. Glen Lich of Baylor University, panel chairman, spoke on Comfert, Texas, "A Town That Didn't Want To Be and Never Was." Dr. Joe Frantz of Corpus Christi State University, history professor, discussed "The Five Faces of Small Town

Texas." Lewis' topic was "Growing Up in Archer City: Fictional Roots of Larry McMurtry's Thalia." He read, ad-libbed, and showed slides of Archer City scenes. Folklore concerning "Uncle" Luke Wilson and "Treetop" Cooper flavored the talk.

Also editor-in-chief of Cross Timbers Review, Lewis concluded that McMurtry returned to Archer City to try and save his home town from "regional xenophobia" and that consummated a relationship between town and Pulitzer Prize winning writer amounting to spiritual symbiosis.

Wranglers Win Fifth; Play Here Saturday

The Cisco Junior College Wrangler men struggled against the Howard Payne Junior Varsity Friday but, after trailing 39-to-36 at halftime, managed to come out with an 82-to-71 win in Brownwood. It was their fifth straight win and evened their season record at 7-7.

Ronald Ateman, a 6-5 sophomore from Garland, was the leading scorer with 20 points. Mark Chambers and Lewis Hicks each had 18. Chambers led the rebounding with 12, while Hicks was the assist leader with five.

Because of final exams, the Wranglers will not play

again until Saturday when they take on Fort Sill Army Base at 8 p.m. in Wrangler Gym. The CJC Lady Wranglers will open action at 6 p.m. against the Fort Sill women's team.

Melven Jones, who played at CJC from 1983 until 1985, is the top player for the Fort Sill team. He won All-Conference honors for the Wranglers in 1984 and 1985 before going on to star at the University of Florida. He also played one year in the professional USBL before joining the service.

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