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## Hall Of Remarks by Herrol Hallmark

I'M SURE everyone is hoping that the Iranian crisis will end soon for those Americans still being held hostage. It is hoped that they will be released soon and the WBAP radio station in Fort Worth-Dallas is encouraging everyone to display a white ribbon on their autos or wear an armband to show unity and as a symbol of hope. During their daily broadcasts they name companies which are distributing the ribbon for their station. On Sunday, during one of their announcements they named Cisco Nursing Center as having a supply of those ribbons for interested persons to pick up for display.

WITH CHRISTMAS decorations being put in place in all households at this time of year, many people will be placing branches of holly in their homes above doorways. We received an interesting article at the Press about superstitions related to holly. One of the superstitions might be of interest to those men planning to bring holly home for a holiday decoration.

That superstition is as follows: "An old Irish Catholic legend has it that if holly is brought inside during fair weather, the wife will rule the household forevermore. But if brought in during a storm, the husband will be master." So, all you men better check the weather before bringing any holly into your home, if you are superstitious that is.



### JOHNATHAN DAVID PETREE

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Petree announce the birth of a son, Johnathan David, born Sunday, December 2, at 4:33 at the E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and six ounces and was 21 inches long. He has one brother, Michael Ryan. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Taylor. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Petree.

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## Morgans Sell Theaters To Thorntons, Semi-Retire

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morgan, owners and operators of Majestic Theatre in Eastland the Ranger Drive-In, have announced that they have sold their business to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Thornton, and that they will "semi-retire".

Mrs. Thornton (Carla) is the daughter of Mrs. Morgan.

The change of ownership will be effective Jan. 1. The Thorntons are moving to Eastland from Killeen, where he is a native and where he has been in the lumber business.

They have a son, Jamie 9, who will be a Third Grader at Siebert Elementary. The family is living at 500 Ostrom St.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan will assist the new owners and be available for special projects.

In announcing the change in ownership, the Morgans issued the following statement:

"We are retiring in January 1980 after five and on-half very enjoyable year of operating the Majestic Theatre in Eastland and more recently the Ranger Drive In Theatre in Ranger. Jackie and Carla Thornton, our son-in-law and daughter, will be assuming these operations."

"We wish to take this opportunity to commend the young people of Eastland and the surrounding area for the well behaved manner in which they conduct themselves when they attend the theatre. The severe problems of vandalism and malicious mischief experienced by so many of our associates in the theatre business do not exist to any significant degree in our theatres."

"We truly love and care for all the young people who regularly attend the theatres and

trust that they will show the same respect and consideration for Jackie and Carla as they have for us. We know we are leaving them in good hands."

"Again, thanks to all our patrons and to our many business

associates and friends. Your support has been deeply appreciated. We are looking forward to many more happy years in this fine community."

Sincerely,  
Ross Morgan  
Jean Morgan

## Winners Announced In 'Christmas Home Decoration' Contest

Winners of the "Christmas Home Decoration" contest which was held Monday night, December 17, were announced as follows:

Best overall decorations was awarded to the Katherine Pippen home at 909 West 5th.

Best outdoor decoration was awarded to Zack Hunt home at 903 West 7th.

The best use of window lighting was a tie between the homes of Joe Wheatley, 1414 Liggett and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fields and Rena, 1500 Royal Lane.

Honorable mentions were the homes of Lloyd Swindle, 601

### Elizabeth Webb Graduates From TSU On Sunday

Mrs. Ivan (Elizabeth) Webb graduated Sunday, December 16, from Tarleton State University in Stephenville. She received a degree in Home Economics.

Those attending the graduation were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Blanchard and children of Grand Saline; her sisters, Linda B. Wayman and children of Wylie, near Dallas and Sherry Speights and children of Highlands; her mother, Noene Blanchard of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fink, also of Cisco.

West 5th; Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Smartt, 1100 West 12th and Avenue N; Mr. and Mrs. William Moreno, 1111 West 8th and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Abbott, 704 East 21st.

The contest judges were Larry Smith, pastor of the Inspiration Church of God and Joe Willis, owner and manager of KERK.

### Dorcas S.S. Class Holds Meeting In Townsend Home

The Dorcas Sunday School Class of East Cisco Baptist Church met Tuesday, December 18, in the home of Mrs. Fannie Townsend for a Christmas luncheon and party. Mrs. H.H. Harrelson gave the invocation.

Mrs. Goldie Slaughter gave the devotional reading the second chapter of Luke. She also read a Christmas poem written by Jean Fears. Mrs. Bernice Booth gave the opening prayer.

The minutes were read and approved of the last year's meeting. Gifts were exchanged.

The seven members present were Mmes. Fannie Townsend, Goldie Slaughter, Woody Norton, Gladys Allen, Lillian Dotson, H.H. Harrelson and Bernice Booth. Two guests were Mabel Kuykendall and Myra Hennington.

### Cisco Public Schools To Dismiss Classes Friday

The Cisco Public Schools will dismiss classes at 2:30 p.m. Friday, December 21, for the Christmas holidays.

The students will return after the holidays Wednesday, January 2, for classes at the regular time.

### Nimrod Neighbors Progressive Club Holds Yule Party

The Nimrod Neighbors Progressive Club held its annual Christmas party Monday night, December 17, at the clubhouse. The club members bought a box of fresh apples at this meeting. All the club ladies brought homemade candy, plus snacks. Dr. Chief Brown brought sacks of oranges and grapefruit. There were approximately 40 people in attendance who were served hot chocolate, coffee and punch.

The group sang Christmas songs lead by James Cotton. Mrs. Oliver Harrelson played the piano.

### CISD Trustees Hold Regular Meet

Trustees for the Cisco Independent School District met for their regular monthly meeting December 10, 1979. The Board took the following actions: (1) approved the minutes of the November meeting; (2) approved the payment of current bills; (3) authorized the installation of a dishwasher at the Primary Lunchroom; (4) adjusted eligible employees salaries to conform with minimum wage requirements; (5) reviewed and adjusted substitute teachers wages; (6) employed an additional third grade teacher for the remainder of the year.

The Board also received reports concerning football receipts, transportation, enrollment and personnel contract forms.

The School Board meets regularly on the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the School Tax Office. Members of the Board are Charles Humphries, Emmett Rich, Shirley Smothers, Roy Hathaway, Donald Gorr, Johnny Cagle and Willis Parker.

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When pupil meets teacher and author greets author. Carrol Barnhill, counselor at Eastern Hills High School of Fort Worth, presents a copy of his book *Tell Us, Daddy* to his former teacher, Lela Latch Lloyd.

## CJC's Accreditation Is Reaffirmed By Southern Assn. Of Colleges & Schools

Cisco Junior College is pleased to announce that the college's accreditation was reaffirmed by the Southern Association of Colleges

and Schools. The Association met in Atlanta, Georgia, on December 9, 10 and 11, 1979, and Dr. Norman Wallace, president of

CJC, and Mr. John Muller, Director of the Self Study and Dean of Student Life represented the college at the meeting.

A comprehensive study, prepared by faculty and administration of CJC, began in 1977. The full program takes approximately two years for completion.

The college's portion of the study takes about 18 months to complete. Every part of the college is examined and evaluated including programs, personnel, facilities, finances and policies. This is done every ten years.

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## Four Nurses Honored With December 12 Birthday Party

Four nurses of the 11-7 shift at E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital celebrated their birthdays this month, so they were honored with a party given the night of the 12th of December, at the hospital.

Carrot cake and homemade banana nut ice cream was served. Gifts were exchanged.

Those honored were Patti Pippen, Burdell Grozier, Virginia Luchica, head RN and Drucilla Blanding.

### Move To Cisco

R.H. (Dick) Thomas and Peggy (Sharp) Thomas moved back to Cisco November 16. They bought a house in Humbletown at 715 East 23rd.

Dick Thomas moved here originally from Breckenridge in 1925. His father was a welder for Humble. His uncle, Oliver Thomas, also worked for Humble.

Peggy Thomas moved here originally from Canyon in 1935. Her mother was Murrell Hess Sharp. Her brother, Ted Sharp, was librarian at the old grammar school in the late 30's.

The Thomas' have been living in Hobbs, New Mexico for the last 28 years. They say they are glad to back home and invite all of their old friends to contact them.

Ellie Flores also attended.

Doris Greenberg, relief RN, was honored with an early Christmas with Christmas gifts.

### Rebekah S.S. Class Meets At Colony Restaurant

The Rebekah Sunday School Class of the East Cisco Baptist Church met December 10th at 7:00 p.m. in the private dining room of the Colony Restaurant for their annual Christmas party. After parayer by Marie Ivie, the class enjoyed the traditional Christmas dinner of turkey, dressing and all the trimming. After dinner, gifts were exchanged by those present and a special gift was presented to Marie Ivie, the class teacher. A short business meeting was held afterward and the class voted to present the East Cisco Baptist Church two hymnals in memory of Betty Tucker and Rev. James Hall. Those attending were: Marie Ivie, Jewel Kinard, Louise Pryor, Mildred Foster, Marie Brock, Omalee Holdridge, Bonnie Ervin, Chrystine Nance, Lois Holt, Dorothy Wright, Juanita Hill, Laverne Ivie and a visitor, Clara Hallmark.



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## Christmas Season Brings

### Joy To Millions Of People

One of the most joyous times of the year for Christians is the celebration of Christ's birthday. Each year, people throughout the world prepare for Christmas in a variety of ways.

In Canada and the United States, homes are decorated with Christmas trees, lights, and candles. Presents and cards are exchanged. Many families top off the celebration with a huge Christmas dinner.

Based on an ancient legend, gifts are exchanged on January 6 in Italy. The youngsters believe an old witch brought presents on that date. However, she also carried a branch to switch children who had misbehaved.

In Finland, farm animals are treated with an extra helping of grain at Christmas time.

Elves named Juul Nisse or Juul Tomte bring holiday gifts according to believing Swedish children.

Small wafers called

oplatki are baked by the Poles and blessed by a priest before being served at the traditional Christmas Eve dinner. The thin wafers have figures of the nativity stamped on them.

In Czechoslovakia, a girl curious about when she will marry immerses a cherry branch in a container of water twenty-one days before Christmas. According to legend, blossoms appearing on the branch indicate the girl may be married within a year.

Children in Mexico, Central and South America try to break a papier-mache figure containing treats. Blindfolded, they take turns hitting the figure hung from the ceiling until it breaks, spewing candy, cookies and gifts to the floor.

The way in which Christmas is celebrated is not really significant; important is the joy and happiness that the season brings to millions of people around the world.

By: Laura Jeffcoat  
Cisco has a lot to offer teenagers. If you have lived in this school all your life, you may not realize the great assets this school has! But moving in from other schools helps to give a new perspective on this school. Although it does have its faults (as all schools do), its rewards are far greater examples.

One of these, is the fact that there are always extracurricular activities to do. Students have more things to do than just go up and down the drag every day and waste precious gas. It also keeps us from getting into trouble. Students will find one way or another to use it.

Spirit also has a lot to do with it. If there wasn't spirit going into all of these activities, the results would be totally different. Because if no one showed up to an activity then that activity

would be dropped. If all activities were dropped, then our own activity will have to be found.

The school is not the only one that should be accredited, but also the churches and the civic clubs. After each home football game the churches gave an after game fellowship, which gave something to do after a football game. And the civic club gave a dance, which broke the monotony of a Saturday night.

With these things to do and the spirit of enjoying what there is, instead of griping about what there isn't the students ought to be proud that this is where they go to school. So when asked by their child, what they did in school, they could have other things to say, other than the typical, "learned how to read and write."

## EDITORIAL

## Lobo Tracks

This paper does not necessarily reflect the opinions of the school administration.

### Lobes Melt Competition

Cisco High School played Clyde Thursday night. Both teams played vigorously and the competition was stiff. The Clyde Girls teams defeated the J.V. Girls in a tough game. The J.V. Boys lost by two. The Varsity Girls came out ahead of Clyde at first and lost by 9 points in a very close game. The Varsity Boys lost by a score of 51-42. On Thursday and Friday the Varsity Girls and Boys participated in the Eastland tournament. The Girls played Mineral Wells at noon, Thursday, and defeated them by 20 points.

The score was 45-25. The Boys played Stephenville and won by 2 points with a score of 60-56. Then, on Friday, the rivalries clashed once again as both CHS teams met with Eastland teams. The Girls lost by 4 points in a close game. The score was 48-44. Then, on Friday, the boys did a good job of holding down a regularly high scoring ball club. The Boys game was as close as the Girls as they lost by 2 points. Their score was 42-40. Ronnie Eudy was the high scorer for Friday night.

By: Alicia Gordon

### Determined Drivers

Rain, snow, even icy roads won't stop them. No, it's not the U.S. Postal Service, it's the driver's Ed. yellow 1980 Chevrolet Impala.

I recently took a ride with a group of young, unexperienced drivers and class instructor Mr. Jimmy Yowell. The students were finishing the driving part of their Driver Ed. Course. They will drive thru town, parallel park, and take an exciting trip to Abilene.

Mr. Yowell told me there were about ten students who

had not taken the driving part of the course. He also told me if it is possible, he will start the next class in January. This way, he can avoid the rush for the educational films at the end of the school year.

I really pity Mr. Yowell for having to sit in a car for three hours per day, but his services have been a great asset to the drivers in Cisco. As long as Mr. Yowell is here, driver Ed. will live on.

By: Greg Cermin

### Sports Spotlight

This week's Sports Spotlight goes to Gary Speegle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Speegle.

Gary, number 33, started at defensive linebacker and offensive tailback. He was the only sophomore on the Lobo team, but proved to be a great asset to the overall

team effort. Gary starts on the varsity basketball team. He's done a very excellent job this year, but the coaches expect a lot out of him in the future.

By: Tommy Green  
Pam Evatt



### Jr. High Library Club

The Cisco Junior High Library club held their monthly meeting Tuesday, December 4.

Darrell Stuart called the meeting to order. At our meeting we talked about our skating party Tuesday,

December 11th, from 4:00 until 6:00. Each member can bring one friend only.

Hope you all have a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

By: Paula Castleberry

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### 1979-80 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

- Nov. 29, 30, Dec. 1-Cisco JV Tourney, fresh, boys and girls, JV Boys and Girls. Cross Plains Tourney, Varsity Boys and Girls
- Dec. 3-Cross Plains 7,8,9 boys here; 7,8,9 girls there 4:00.
- Dec. 4-Cross Plains VB, VG, JVB, JVG there 4:00.
- Dec. 6-Coleman Tourney VB, VG.
- Dec. 10-Clyde 7,8 Boys and girls there 4:00. Lincoln Jr. High 9th boys and girls here 5:00.
- Dec. 11-Clyde VB, VG, JVB, JVG there 4:00.
- Dec. 13-15-Eastland Tourney VB, VG.
- Dec. 15-Comanche 8th Grade Tourney Boys and Girls.
- Dec. 17-Cross Plains Jr. High 7,8 boys and girls here 4:00.
- Dec. 18-Coleman VB, VG, JVB, JVG here 4:00.
- Dec. 20-Eastland VB, VG, JVB, JVG there 4:00.
- Jan. 4-Comanche VG, VB, JVG, JVB there 4:00.
- Jan. 8-Rotan VB, VG, JVG here 5:00.
- Jan. 10-12-Brownwood State School JV Tourney, JV Boys.
- Jan. 10-Coleman Jr. High 7,8,9 Girls here; 7,8,9 boys there 5:00.
- Jan. 11-Breckenridge VB, VG, JVB, JVG there 4:00.
- Jan. 15-Brady VB, VG, JVG here 5:00.
- Jan. 17-19-Baird Jr. High Tourney 8th boys and girls.
- Jan. 17-Eastland Jr. High 7,8,9 boys there; 7,8,9 girls here 5:00.
- Jan. 18-Clyde VB, VG, JVB, JVG here 4:00.
- Jan. 19-Eastland JV Tourney, boys and girls.
- Jan. 21-Coleman Jr. High 7,8,9, boys here; 7,8,9 girls there 5:00.
- Jan. 22-Coleman VB, VG, JVB, JVG there 4:00.
- Jan. 24-26-Clyde (Eula) JV Tourney.
- Jan. 25-Eastland, VB, VG, JVB, JVG here 4:00.
- Jan. 29-Comanche VB, VG, JVB, JVG here 4:00.
- Jan. 31-Albany Jr. High 7,8,9 boys here; 7,8,9 girls there.
- Feb. 1-Rotan VB, VG, JVG there 5:00.
- Feb. 2-Albany 7th grade tourney boys and girls.
- Feb. 4-Eastland Jr. High 7,8,9 boys here; 7,8,9 girls there 5:00.
- Feb. 5-Breckenridge VB, VG, JVB, JVG here 4:00.
- Feb. 8-Brady VB, VG, JVG there 5:00.

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### Sabanno News

By Mrs. Jack Rector

From our house to your house. We wish each and everyone a Merry Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Happy birthday to Mrs. Lester King and Mrs. R.L. Moon, Mrs. Truett Dawkins and Mr. Edwin Erwin.

The Busy Bee Club held its annual Christmas dinner December 11 for their members and families and friends. Twenty-two attended the dinner including Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lawson, Richard Purvis, Edwin Erwin, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Rector Sr., Mrs. Lura Covington, Mrs. Mae Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Arzie Green, Mrs. Lillie Williams, Mrs. O.B. Switzer, Mrs. James Switzer, Kevin and Corey, Mrs. Troy Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rector. We all enjoyed the wonderful dinner. The members exchanged gifts in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb were in Baird last Monday where Wes saw his doctor and received a pretty good report. The Holcombs were Clyde visitors Wednesday. They spent Wednesday night with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb. Their granddaughter, Mrs. Jimmie Clark and little son, Jamie brought them home on Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pettiet visited in Abilene Tuesday. Mr. Pettiet saw his doctor. He seems to be feeling better at this time. The Pettiet family had a little family get together this past week. Mr. Pettiet's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Pettiet of Conroe, his two sisters, Mrs. C.A. Murdock of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Reynolds of Odessa. Also nieces and nephews, Donna and Emily Pettiet of Houston, Dana and John of Houston, the Pettiet daughter, Mrs. Sue McDonnell and baby Stephen of San Angelo, their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jan Pettiet and son Jason of Abilene.

We received almost two inches of rain here at our house. It sure was appreciated. We needed it so bad, was pretty cold also, but we can stand the cold to get the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins were Eastland visitors Friday. Truett made a business trip to Comanche Saturday morning. Visiting Truett and Oddie Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Anderson and children of Sonora and a friend from San Angelo.

Mrs. Lura Covington returned to her home in Stephenville Sunday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Rector.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Blackwell visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lawson Wednesday morning. Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Arzie Green visited the Lawsons and they played murder. The boys fairly murdered the girls, but they made a come back and murdered the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rector spent Sunday through Tuesday at the V.A. Hospital in San Antonio where Jack underwent more tests.

Alma and Josie Morris have both been on the sick list this week. Do hope they are feeling better by now. Visiting Alma and Josie this week were Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen of Temple, Mrs. Emma Kent of Cook and Miss Tammy Brown of Cross Plains.

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**Putnam News**  
By Mrs. R.B. Taylor  
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We have had weather with a capital W this week. Only one day of sunshine since Monday. We also had icing conditions one day, keeping this reporter inside. We did have a good rain. My gauge measured 1.22 inches. I do hope that the grain that was sowed last fall will come up. Looks like we may have a white Christmas. Its bitter cold today.

This whole community has been saddened by the death of one of our best loved members, Dovie Pruet. She died of a heart attack last Sunday night. She was a dear friend, a good neighbor, a loyal church member and a very active community leader. She will be missed on so much. A host of friends and relatives attended the

## Local Telephone Business Accounts To Be Transferred

The personal telephone touch--at least for businesses right now--moves one step further away!

That's the word from Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. Local Manager Dough White who is announcing that effective Dec. 24, all business accounts will be transferred from the local offices in Eastland, Ranger, Cisco and Breckenridge to Wichita Falls.

In effect this means that after that date,

### Pleasant Hill Club Serves

### Nursing Center

The Pleasant Hill Extension Homemakers Club served refreshments at the Cisco Nursing Center's annual Christmas party Thursday afternoon. The party also honored all who had a birthday in the month of December.

A warm number of the residents gathered in the fellowship room around the Christmas tree, were club members lead them in Christmas carols.

Before the party, club members hung hand made decorations on each resident's door.

Present for the party were club members: Sandy Dennis and children, Twila Lee, Murl Campbell and Misty, Vergie Hale, Betty Hastings, Neva Huddleston and children, Jeffa Lee Kitchens, Vallie Parker, Arlene Thompson and children, Vadis Phelps, Ruthie Keyes and Katie and Diane Carlile and children.

Funeral services at Baird Tuesday. I did not get the names of many of them. Jack Francisco of Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Williams of Houston were among those attending.

We are happy to report that all of our sick folks are home from hospitals. Jack Ramsey returned from Baird hospital Thursday. Mrs. Vena Shackelford returned from Abilene hospital to the nursing home at Baird this week. Mrs. Adolph (Edith) Muzny returned from Dallas where she underwent eye surgery. She is hoping to retain some vision in her eye. Mrs. Fred Graham spent several days at Baird hospital suffering from sinus blockage.

The Women's Study Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. Billy Feeley with Mrs. John Petty as co-hostess. It was our Christmas party and a memorial to one of our long time members, Dovie Pruet. Mary King read the Christmas story. Gifts were exchanged. Fifteen members were present.

Mr. G.P. Jobe returned from a business trip to Kodiak Island, Alaska, last week. He reported very cold weather there.

Mrs. R.B. Taylor spent Monday night with Mrs. Fred Heysler at Baird.

Mrs. Ollie Burnam stayed most of the week at Coleman with her daughter, the James Isenhower family.

The George Weeks have enjoyed having their sons, visiting this week, Norris of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. R.D. and children of Olden, G.W. of Comanche and Dick of Abilene.

I hope all the readers of this column have a very Merry Christmas and have all your families and friends with you. I will not be writing this column next week as I am expecting most of my family to be with me on Sunday 23rd. Weather permitting. So again a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to everyone and to quote Tiny Tim, "God Bless us everyone."

businesses which have need to contact telephone repair, service, ect., will call a toll-free number to Wichita Falls, he said.

There are presently 404 business accounts in Eastland, 261 in Ranger, 381 in Cisco and 737 in Breckenridge.

Mr. White said his company is making this change for two reasons. He listed them as being the fact that better service can be rendered and as an economizing measure in centralization.

There will be loss or transfer of personnel from the local offices as a result of the change, he said.

Similar switches have already been made in Albany, Graham, Weatherford and Granbury, he said, with very little difficulty. The Mineral Wells office businesses will also be transferred with those from White's offices.

The new rates went into effect Nov. 21 and amounted to from \$1.15 to \$3.35, and 25-cent payphone rates are now being installed in this county, he said.

White said that there is no plan now to transfer residential accounts.

### Word Extension Homemakers Are At Pecan Show

Four ladies of Word Extension Homemakers Club helped at the concession stand from 12 noon to 2 p.m. in the courthouse lobby at Eastland Friday, December 7. The ladies were Mrs. H.H. Harrelson, Era Hamilton, Ruby Dunlap and Donna Clark.

One club member, Donna Clark, won first place in the banana nut bread division.

Fellowship with other club ladies is always most enjoyable and the ladies of the Word Extension Homemakers Club appreciate so much the help, time and effort of each lady to help make the Eastland County Pecan Show the success that it is each year.

A special thanks to Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent and her assistant.

Club reporter, Donna Clark

### Pleasant Hill Club Officers Attend Workshop

New officers of the Pleasant Hill Extension Homemakers Club for 1980 attended an officers training workshop Wednesday at the First Baptist Church in Eastland. New officers include Twila Lee, president; Vergie Hale, vice president; Arlene Thompson, secretary; Neva Huddleston, treasurer; Alene Smith, council delegate and Diane Carlile, reporter.

The workshop was held in conjunction with the Eastland County Extension Homemakers Club Christmas party. A luncheon was held and a program on "Holiday

## WTU To Study Possible Use Of Solar Energy For Electricity

The possibility of using solar energy to generate electricity at one or more of West Texas Utilities Company's power plants will be examined in a study being conducted by the Company's Plant Operation Department in cooperation with the

### Bible Baptist Church Ladies Meet In Gary Home

The ladies of the Bible Baptist Church met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gary for their monthly fellowship meeting. After a prayer of thanks was given by Mrs. Joan Gary, a delicious dinner was thoroughly enjoyed by all feasting on a variety of different foods.

Following the dinner an exchange of Christmas gifts and visiting together, a business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Nelda Gary. The devotionals was given by Mrs. Barbra Mayberry on "What Christmas Means to Us." She told the story of Jesus beginning in the old testament all the way through the new testament. It was beautiful and impressive. A prayer was prayed by each one of the ladies and Mrs. Mayberry gave the closing prayer.

Those attending were Mmes. Fay Owings, Gayle Higdon, Opal Bible, Barbra Mayberry, Myrtle Reed, Joan Gary, Linda Wells, Elizabeth Lee and the hostess, Nelda Gary.

### Inspiration Church Of God S.S. Class Meets Tuesday

The Seniors Sunday School Class of the Inspiration Church of God met in the home of Sue Stanford of 405 West 10th, Cisco, on Tuesday, December 11, for a Christmas party.

The home was beautifully decorated for the Yule season and a delicious dinner was served from a beautifully laid table.

There was an exchange of gifts, some readings, music and games.

Those present were the pastor of the church, Rev. and Mrs. Larry Smith of Eastland, Rev. and Mrs. W.E. Hallenback of Eastland, Rev. and Mrs. O.R. Williams of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown of Cisco, Thelma Foote of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Basham of Eastland, Mrs. Bula Brooks of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Ham of Eastland, Mrs. Vergie Edwards of Ranger, Mrs. Juanita Fullen of Eastland, Mrs. Arlie Fullen of Eastland, Mrs. C.R. Laird of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Orual Johnson of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Johnson of Eastland and Mrs. Sue Stanford of Cisco.

"Gifts You Can Create." The program was given by Kathryn Cawley from Lone Star Gas Co.

Christmas carols were sung and the exchange of gifts followed. About 50 ladies enjoyed the good fellowship and the happiness that the Christmas season brings.

Energy Systems Group of Rockwell International.

The study will take nine months and will be completed in June or July, 1980.

Targeted for the study is Unit Number Four at WTU's Paint Creek Power Station, which is located on Lake Stamford, between Haskell and Stamford. The unit was completed in 1971 and is the largest and newest of Paint Creek's four generating units. All are presently powered by natural gas, with oil used as a back-up fuel.

If results of the study are favorable, a proposal will be submitted to the Department of Energy for a grant to aid in constructing the equipment needed to re-power the unit with solar energy. WTU officials, however, emphasized that the program in its current stage is strictly a research project.

"At best, the project is several steps away from becoming a reality," said Randal Meador, WTU Vice

President and Director of Engineering.

Meador said six similar studies are being made with United States Department of Energy funding and support, and that only two projects will be granted funds to aid in construction. The cost of constructing the two projects will be shared by DOE and the winning utilities.

By funding these demonstration plants, the DOE hopes to lower the cost of the solar equipment by mass production to make solar electric generation economically feasible in the near future. The selection of the projects to be granted construction funds will be based on the percentage of the cost to be shared by the utility and the engineering quality of the repowering system.

Paint Creek Unit Number Four has a generating capacity rated at 110,000 kilowatts. For purposes of the study, the unit would be

converted to allow 60,000 kilowatts to be generated at full load on solar power, with the remaining 50,000 kilowatts generated with natural gas or fuel oils. This would allow about 55 percent of the electrical output of the unit to be generated on solar power during the day.

The solar system developed by the Energy Systems Group of Rockwell International consists of a solar collector system, a solar receiver, and a heat exchanger system. The solar collector system consists of more than 9,000 mirrors, or heliostats, which would be installed in an area of 385 acres surrounding a 410-foot solar receiver tower.

The heliostats would be computer controlled to track the sun and reflect the rays of the sun onto the solar receiver located at the top of the 410-foot tower. The reflected sunlight would heat liquid sodium within the solar receiver vessel to a temperature of 1100 degrees Fahrenheit. The hot sodium would be pumped from the solar receiver vessel to the plant, where the sodium would be used in heat exchangers to heat water into steam. The steam would power the existing turbine generators.

After the sodium goes through the heat exchangers, it would be pumped back to the solar receiver to be reheated and used again.

Sodium was chosen for a heat-transfer agent because it has great heat transfer capabilities and because it is readily available. The use of sodium as a heat exchanger fluid will make it possible to store surplus heat throughout the day and to allow the turbine generator to operate at full load during the daylight hours and for up to three hours after sundown.

Another plus for the sodium cycle is that all of the heat exchangers and pumps that would be used in the sodium cycle heat exchange system have already been built and tested. The test work was conducted by Rockwell International in conjunction with the nuclear Clinch River Breeder Reactor Plant Project in Ohio.

The Paint Creek study will be WTU's first in-depth look at solar power generation, although the Company has been involved in other areas of research. For many years WTU has contributed to nuclear fusion research by the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation at the University of Texas. With other members of the Central and South West Corporation, its parent company, WTU is involved in a coal gasification project in South Texas, and in geothermal research in West Texas.

All eight of WTU's existing major generating units use natural gas as a primary fuel with oil as a backup fuel. WTU is beginning to diversify its fuel resources as preliminary environmental and engineering work is now being done for Oklaunion Power Station, a proposed coal-fired plant near Vernon, which is scheduled for commercial production in 1987.

## DRIVELINE

**Ancient History Department, Col. Edward Green of Terrell brought the first automobile to Texas in 1899. It was a two-cylinder "St. Louis" model gasoline buggy.**

*Twenty-six percent of all fatal accidents are the direct result of speeding violations, according to the Texas Department of Public Safety.*

**DON'T SLEEP IN YOUR VW . . . YOU MAY BE KIDNAPPED:** Police report that American car thieves have happily adjusted to the energy crisis -- by stealing smaller cars! Demand is soaring for fuel efficient compacts; and the resale market for used cars has hit rock bottom. So naturally the percentage of compact cars being stolen this year has nearly tripled. "Anything with a four-cylinder engine is being snapped up," reports one national insurance company executive.

*The best way to save your car from theft, police say, is to simply lock the doors. The majority of stolen cars were originally left with doors unlocked by owners; and over one-third actually had the keys left in the ignition!*

**Q: How many Texas traffic deaths are caused by drunk driving?**  
—L.Q., Llano  
A: No one knows exactly, but it's a very large number. Of the 3,980 Texas traffic deaths in 1978, the DPS says that 21 percent came in accidents involving a known cause of DWI. But that's not the whole story. Since Texas does not require chemical tests on all drivers in fatal accidents, it is possible that many injured or deceased drivers were actually DWI but were not reported as such. Some experts rate alcohol as a factor in as many as half of traffic fatalities. Remember, you don't have to be drunk. Any booze in the bloodstream slows reflexes and increases danger . . .

**Quickie Quiz:** What's the fastest recorded motorcycle speed? 152 mph? 207 mph? 307 mph? . . . Well, it was 307 mph (307.692 to be exact)! The world's record was set by Donald Vesco in the Silver Bird Streamliner in 1975 at the Bonneville Salt Flats. Silver Bird was 21 feet long and powered by two 750 cc engines!

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### Men In Service

**SAN ANTONIO--**Airman Lupe A. Garcia Jr., son of Delores F. Garcia of 407 East 8th Street, Cisco, has been assigned to Kessler Air Force Base, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, here, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits towards an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the administration field.

Airman Garcia's father, Lupe A. Garcia Sr., resides at 686 South Fourth, Independence, Ore.

**December** (FHTNC)--Navy Aviation Structural Mechanic 3rd Class Johnnie D. Stubbs, son of Mack and Delores Farquhar of Cisco, has been deployed to the Indian Ocean.

He is a member of Attack Squadron 94 (VA-94), based at the Naval Air Station, Lemoore, Calif., and currently embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk operating as a unit of the U.S. 7th Fleet.

VA-94 is part of a carrier task force which departed the Philippines for the Indian Ocean to join another task force operating there. Nineteen U.S. Navy ships are operating in either the Indian Ocean or Arabian Seas areas with more than 14,000 U.S. sailors and Marines aboard. During the deployment he will be participating in training exercises with these other 7th Fleet ships and those of allied nations. Port visits are scheduled in African and Middle Eastern countries.

Stubbs joined the Navy in September 1977.

Thursday,

December 20, 1979



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**Putnam News**  
By Mrs. R.B. Taylor  
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# People

IT'S THE TIME of year to be jolly and begin celebrating Christmas, and some 80 folks from Burgess Industries big Cisco plant gathered at the Colony Restaurant last Friday night. Dinner was served and an appropriate program was presented.

Plant Manager Johnny Cagle of Cisco and vice-president Ray Keslin of Dallas were in charge of the nice affair. . . . Two turkeys were door prizes, and they were won by Dalton Hardin and L.O. Thompson. . . . The untimely passing of Mr. Lester Bast last week was a big loss to Burgess. He had been the plant superintendent for several years. Understand the assistant plant superintendent, Mr. Larry Campbell, has assumed the duties that were Mr. Bast's.

SOME 25 EMPLOYEES and members of their families of West Texas Produce Co. gathered at the Colony Restaurant at 1:30 p.m. Sunday for the annual company Christmas dinner and party. Mrs. LaVerne Andrews, the local manager, and Mr. J.C. Fletcher, manager emeritus, were in charge of the nice affair.

After dinner was served, games of bingo were enjoyed and a number of nice gifts were distributed.

THE 26 FOLKS who work at First National Bank gathered there at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday for a Christmas party and gift exchange and to honor Veep Lloyd London who is leaving at the end of the year for Colorado and a bank presidency.

The bank workers received bonus checks on Dec. 15th, and old Santa gave each of them a nice ham at the Wednesday party. . . . The bank won't be able to close on Monday, Dec. 24, due to a federal law limiting the number of consecutive days that banks can close.

OUT AT THE big Russell-Newman Co. lingerie factory, the some 116 employees will have a gift exchange and Christmas tree during the noon hour on Friday, Dec. 21st. Plans call for the plant to close Friday afternoon until Wednesday, Jan. 2. . . . The young lady who answered the phone out there when we called said "we're all humming Jingle Bells a little off key as we work, and we're looking forward to a nice holiday season."

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# Things

to the American Embassy, PO Box 50, Tehran, Iran. . . . You can write your opinions to the Iran Mission, c/o United Nations, 662 3rd Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017. . . . The folks at the Cisco Post Office report that a number of cards and letters have gone out from here to Iran.

A NICE CHRISTMAS message for our town is the report of Dr. Norman Wallace, president of Cisco Junior College, that CJC is just concluding its best on-campus semester ever and that the outlook for the spring 1980 semester is real good.

CJC students took final exams this week and all of them will be gone from the campus to their homes for Christmas by early afternoon Friday, reports Dr. NW. . . . Plans call for the college business offices to re-open Jan. 6th with the faculty returning on Jan. 14th and spring semester classes beginning on Jan. 21st.

The college is real pleased with work on the new gymnasium floor. The concrete floor was poured some six weeks ago. Then, after the concrete had cured, it was covered last week with a half inch coat of artificial flooring - a rubber substance that is very permanent. You can walk on it with street shoes without damage.

The new gym floor will be ready when play is resumed next month. . . . They'll have fully half of the new seats in place and ready by then, Dr. NW reports. . . . Members of the CJC faculty were honored at a reception Tuesday morning at Maner Memorial Library.

EMPLOYEES OF S and M Manufacturing Co. and Reynolds Manufacturing Co. were planning a Christmas social at the S and M plant at 10 a.m. Friday. Goodies will be served. Bonus checks have gone out to them. . . . Some 15 area Lions Club officials gathered at the Colony Restaurant here last Thursday night for a zone meeting. Zone Chairman Winston Heidenheimer president. . . . CJC Band Director Tim Jones has put up attractive holiday decorations at their home out on the Lake Road.

A NUMBER OF Christmas dinner events have been held at the Colony lately, including a Sunday School class from the East Cisco Baptist Church, a group of 30 from the Bible Baptist Church, and employees of Quickway Grocery. . . . A good group of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Billy and Sherry Wright out Lake Cisco way Sunday afternoon for an open house. The new

# News From The Center

By Frances Nault

The December birthday party was held by the Pleasant Hill Home Demonstration Club. Those members serving the refreshments were Vallie Parker, Betty Hastings, Jeffa Lee Kitchens, Vadis Phelps, Arlene Thompson, Diane Carlile, Twila Lee, Murl Campbell, Ruthie Keyes, Sandy Dennis, Neva Huddleston, Vergie Hale, and Mary Bob

Leveridge. Honorees were Ethel Crow, Laura Humphries, Oscar Gage, Velma Holdridge, Daisy Steel, James Hendrix, Beatrice Evans, Wylie Smith and Robert Andrews. We would like to express our thanks to each member of the club.

Winners in bingo this week were Velma Holdridge, Frankie Eaton and Nancy

Jones. Others participating were Ethel Crow, Maude Harrison, Lena Weatherby, Beatrice Evans, Earl Steel, Wyma Brazell and Laura Humphries.

The staff and residents would like to say thank you to the following people for their thoughtfulness. Armo Chambers and employees of Cisco Funeral Home for the ten small poinsettas and two large poinsettas. Brad Kimbrough and employees of Kimbrough Funeral Home for the two poinsettas also the apples and oranges. The Cisco Garden Club members for the decorations for the facility and the gifts, and also the Kamon family for the centerpiece.

## Launches Drive

VFW Post No. 4136 has launched a drive to erect a proper flag pole for Memorial Services, and is now accepting donations. Commander Bill Kerr has announced.

An anonymous donor has pledged 50 cents for every dollar the Post collects. The pole to be erected will be a 50 foot manufactured flag pole which will be implanted in five feet of concrete. It will be ten inches at the base, four inches at the tip and have two pulleys for displaying two flags, he said.

Persons wishing to contribute, may do so by addressing Flag Pole Fund, VFW Post 4136, Eastland, Texas. December 20, 1979



MR. AND MRS. FURMAN D. MOORE

## Mr. & Mrs. Furman D. Moore To Be Honored On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Furman D. Moore, 1500 Avenue N, Cisco, will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception from 2:30 to 5 p.m., Sunday, December 23, at the Masonic Hall in Cisco. Hosts will be their children.

The children are Mrs. Louise Gonce of Stephenville, Mrs. R.N. Emmons of San Diego, Calif., Maj. Ernest L. Moore of Philippine Islands, Clovis Moore of Midland and Mrs. J.W. Caudle of Bronte.

Serving in the houseparty will be their granddaughter, Mrs. Vickie Trout of Carlsbad, N.M.

Mr. Moore was born August 6, 1901, Pontoch County, Okla. Mrs.

Moore was born September 28, 1909, West Monroe, La. The couple met in June 1929 at her parents home. They were married December 25, 1929, at her parents home in Bluff Branch community. They lived in Putnam 17 years where they owned a dairy and farmed. They moved to Cisco January 1, 1946.

After moving to Cisco, Mr. Moore worked for the Texas Lightweight Aggregate Co. in Eastland for 17 years. Mrs. Moore worked for the Boss Manufacturing Co. for 25 years.

They attend the East Cisco Baptist Church.

They have two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



home was attractively decorated for Christmas, and the refreshments were nice. . . . Local thermometers dropped to around 15 degrees Sunday night as the coldest temperature of the season. And winter doesn't officially begin until Friday, Dec. 21st!

THE CHRISTMAS season is a good time to pay your part in the Cisco Community Chest budget. As of noon Tuesday, the sum of \$7,241.82 had been turned in to Treasurer Jim Choate. . . . The budget requirements total \$11,000.00 for the coming year.

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## Obituary Services For William C. Spoon Held Wednesday

Funeral services for William Claude Spoon, 86, of Odessa and formerly of Cisco, were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Cisco Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Melvin Mathis of Odessa officiated. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mr. Spoon died Monday evening at an Odessa hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born March 5, 1893, in Morristown, Tenn. He married Mary Agnes Gentry on March 20, 1918, in Carbon. He was a retired carpenter. He was a member of First Methodist Church in Cisco. He was in the infantry during World War I and was a member of Cisco Lions Club and the American Legion. He went to Odessa July 28, 1975, from Cisco.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Ruby Oleta Bains and Clara Belle Johnston, both of Odessa; two sons, Elmer and Marvin, both of Odessa; one sister, Mrs. Pauline Taylor of Cisco; nine grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

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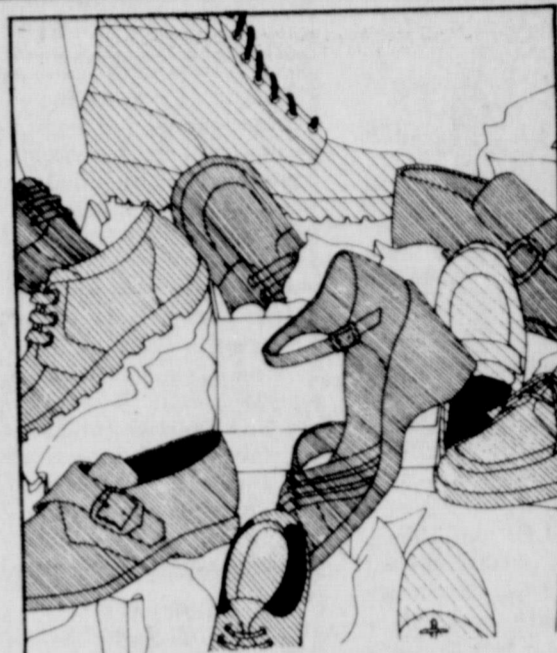
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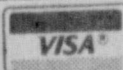
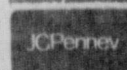
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The proposal will promote uniformity in grade standards for shelled peanuts, according to Donald L. Houston, administrator of USDA's Food Safety and Quality Service (FSQS). The single set of standards for shelled peanuts would provide the peanut industry with a uniform basis for trading which would be in line with current marketing practices, Houston said.

The standards would provide for uniform quality requirements, standardized definition of terms and defect tolerances applicable to each peanut type. The size classifications currently used in marketing shelled peanuts have been included in the proposed grade standards.

Houston said. Only shelled peanuts in the raw state, before final processing, are affected by the proposal. The proposed standards would be used only as a basis for trading before processing and are not consumer grades.

The proposal is scheduled to be published in the Dec. 14 Federal Register. Copies are also available from the Fruit and Vegetable Quality Division, Food Safety and Quality Service, USDA, Washington, D.C., 20250.

Written comments on the proposal should be sent in duplicate, before Feb. 14, to the executive secretariat, Attn.: Annie Johnson, room 3807-S, USDA, Washington, D.C., 20250, where they will be available for public inspection.

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The months of January through March is a busy time for many Eastland County 4-H members, that are planning to show their 4-H livestock projects at major stock shows in the state.

Shirley Kidd, with three Guernsey heifers; and Brenda Kidd, with a Maine Anjou cross steer.

4-Her's planning to show at San Antonio include: Neil Scott, with a Charolais heifer, a Limousin heifer, a Limousin-Angus cross steer, and an English cross steer; Sam Scott, with a Limousin heifer, a Chianina cross steer, and an Angus steer.

Planning to show at Houston from Eastland County 4-H clubs are: Bud Wood, with a Jersey heifer; Sam Scott with a Chianina cross steer; Neil Scott, with a Simmental Cross steer; and Tommy Donham, with a Hereford heifer.

Eastland County 4-H members planning to participate at Fort Worth are: Neil Scott with a Limousin heifer and a Charolais heifer; Sam Scott, with two steers and a Limousin heifer; Jim Moylan, with a Simmental cross steer; Truet Hart, with a Hereford cross steer; Bud Wood, with a Jersey heifer;

work, a unique "Teen Leader Retreat" will be held at the Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood, on Friday night through Sunday noon, January 11-13, 1980. This outstanding training opportunity will be the first event held at the Center in the 80's, and Teen Leaders from Eastland County are invited to participate. Individual workshops offered that week-end will include practical help on how to improve 4-H members interest and fun through exhibits, clowning, newspaper, public speaking, puppets, radio, T.V., slide presentations, and skits. It will be a great week-end for 4-H Teen Leaders from around the state to sharpen their skills in leadership, with old and new friends. For further information and registration details, interested persons may call the County Extension Office at 629-2222 or 629-1093, or come by the office in the Courthouse.

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# Guest slot

By HVO

AS WE make the "hard decisions" about whether to take a piece of divinity or a piece of fudge this holiday season, it might be well for us all to think on this column by John Anderson, from the Dec. 1 issue of the Dallas Morning News:

IOWA Gov. Robert O. Day asked "have you stood in a small, muddy spot for about two hours while five people died around you? I did, two days ago, at a Cambodian border camp. Those deaths were only part of the more than 50 who died in that one camp, on that one day." He was addressing the Disciples of Christ General Assembly in October.

Between Thanksgiving and Christmas, 200,000 Cambodians will lie down by the road, or in ill-equipped hospital shacks, or in squalid refugee camps and quietly expire. It is almost impossible to find children under 5 alive in this political/economic chaos of a country. Malnutrition has already reached the point that a whole generation may be retarded to some degree.

AT LEAST 500 TONS of food per day are needed to meet the crisis. Harry Haines, the Methodist who chairs Church world Service, estimates, "We'll be there at least a year and a half. But if we don't move quickly, the odds are against us. Of the original 8.5 million people who were in Kampuchea 10 years ago, 3.5 million are dead. I don't think it is exaggerating to say we are witnessing something comparable to the holocaust."

The infamous outrage of Iran's holding hostage 49 Americans has driven from the front page, but not from our minds, the drama of hunger horror being enacted this very moment in Kampuchea (Cambodia) bordering Thailand. In the hour that you take to read this paper and have breakfast, 278 more will be dead.

Anyone with an ounce of common decency cannot help feeling concern. Christians have even more than

that - an uncommon directive startling parables, Jesus makes it unequivocally clear how God judges our faith/love response.

"When the Son of Man comes in His glory... He will separate men into two groups, as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will place the sheep on the right hand and the goats on his left. Then the king will say to those on his right hand, 'you have my Father's blessing... for when I was hungry, you gave me food...' Then the righteous will reply, 'Lord, when was it that we saw You hungry and fed You?'... And the king will answer, 'I tell you this: anything you did for one of my brothers here, however humble, you did for Me.' (Matt. 25:31 ff.)

FOLLOWING THAT mandates, Church World Service is raising \$5 million from volunteer sources as it works in concert with UNICEF and other governmental agencies. The money will spent largely for rice, high-protein foods, medicine and transport. Contributions may be channeled through local congregations or directly to agencies such as CWS, Cambodian Appeal, Elkhart, Indiana 46515;

## Cities Receive Sales Tax Revenue

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said last Thursday that

American Friends Service Committee, 1501 Cherry St., Philadelphia, Pa 19102; Catholic Relief Services, Cambodian Emergency N.Y. 10022; or American Red Cross, Cambodian Relief Fund, 17th and D. St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005.

That man in the ditch sighing, that mother in the food line crying, that baby in her arms dying - is that you, Lord? Yes, it is! That is how He comes, incognito, disguised as "one of the least of these!"

The city of Cisco will receive \$17,741.98, bringing its total for the year to \$106,475.80, down one-percent over the 1978 total.

Ranger will get a check for \$14,204.84, making the city's year-to-date total \$79,976.67 -- a decrease of 2 percent over 1978.

Rising Star's check for the month totals \$7,619.61, raising its total for 1979 to \$20,434.45, a 9 percent increase over last year.

Gorman's check this period will total \$4,319.45, raising the city's total for the year to \$21,097.44, a 17 percent decrease from 1978.

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Understand that peanut brittle-making at the Gordon home is a family project.

### PEANUT BRITTLE

3 cups sugar  
1 cup white corn syrup  
1 cup water

2 1/2 cups raw Spanish peanuts  
2 tablespoons butter or margarine  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon soda  
Cook sugar, corn syrup and water until it forms a hard ball in cool water or candy thermometer registers 250 degrees F. to 260 degrees F. Add unblanched peanuts and continue to cook until the mixture turns a golden brown or candy thermometer registers 300 degrees F. Remove from heat and stir in butter or margarine and salt. Stir in soda. Pour on greased slab and pull out to thin sheet. Break into pieces when cold.

### USDA Asks For Comments On 1980 Peanut Program Provisions:

The public has been invited to recommend price support levels and other provisions of the 1980-crop peanut program by February 1, John Gibbs, acting administrator of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS), said today.

Among the items for which recommendations are sought are:

-the national support level for quota peanuts;

-the national support level for additional peanuts;

-sales policy for additional peanuts acquired by the government under the 1980 program and sold for export edible use.

Gibbs said legislation requires price support of not less than \$420. per ton be made available on 1980-crop peanuts produced within a farm's poundage quota. It also requires price support

on peanuts produced within a farm's acreage allotment but in excess of the poundage quota; however the support level for those peanuts is up to the secretary of agriculture.

In determining the price support level for additional peanuts, Gibbs said the secretary of agriculture will be looking at current demand for peanut oil and meal, expected prices of other vegetable oils and protein meals, and the demand for peanuts in foreign markets.

In 1979 price support is available quota peanuts at \$420. per ton. Additional peanuts are supported at \$300. per ton. The \$979 Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) minimum sales price for edible grades of additional peanuts for export was \$400. per ton.

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My big sister would sure like a pair of those neat overalls and jeans and a dress and a shirt and some pants and a vest and a gown and a robe and a purse and a coat.

My little sister likes clothes too so you could bring her some jeans and tops and a dress and a gown and a robe and a purse and a coat and some gloves and a cap and some jewelry especially a gold stretch belt. And also Santa desk set and a jewelry box would be nice.

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less than 5 percent above the current support price plus reasonable carrying charges. This restriction does not apply to the sales of peanuts and oilseeds for the extraction of oil or sales for exports.

Comments should be sent to the director, price support and loan division, ASCS-USDA, room 3741 South building P.O. Box 2415, Washington, D.C. 20013.

### Am. Assoc. Of Ret. People

A.A.R.P. Chapter No. 2428 meets in the First Christian Church annex Dec. 21 at 6 p.m. with refreshments served. Exchange of Christmas gifts and installation of officers for 1980. A film will be shown by Bro. and Sister

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## ASICS NEWS

**Quota And Acreage Allotments Announced:**  
The national poundage quota for 1980-crop peanuts is 1,516,000 short tons and the national acreage allotment is 1,614,000 acres, Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland announced.  
Each is a minimum required by law. The national

poundage quota is 1,586,000 tons for the 1979 crop.  
Under the peanut price support program, farms are assigned an acreage allotment and a poundage quota, and only peanuts grown on allotted acreage are eligible for price support.

There are two levels of price support, one for "quota" peanuts and another, lower level for "additional" peanuts. Peanuts grown on allotted acres and within the farm's poundage quota are considered "quota" peanuts, those grown on allotted acres, but in excess of the farm's quota, are "additional" peanuts.

For example, a farmer who has a 10 acre peanut allotment could have a quota of 18,600 pounds which would be eligible for price support at the "quota" level. If the farmer actually produced 24,500 pounds of peanuts on the 10 acres, the additional 5,900 pounds would be eligible for price support at the lower "additional" level.  
Loan rate for both quota and additional peanuts will be announced no later than February 15. For the 1979 crop quota peanuts are supported at \$420. per ton and additional peanuts at \$300. per short ton.

### Penalty Reduction Proposed For Handlers Who Over-market Peanuts

Peanut handlers who commit unintentional errors in marketing peanuts would be eligible for a reduction in the penalty they normally would be required to pay under a proposal by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA). On October 23 the department made a similar proposal for peanut growers.  
John Gibbs, acting ad-

ministrator of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) said unintentional marketing violations occasionally occur when handlers are shelling and shipping peanuts. Most of the marketing violations are the result of mistaken bookkeeping or other paperwork errors, according to Gibbs.

The proposed amendment would reduce the current penalty of 120 percent of the quota support to 40 percent and would be applicable to marketings of the 1978 and 1979 peanut crops. Handlers who intentionally try to circumvent peanut marketing restrictions would still be subject to the 120 percent penalty.

Gibbs said today's proposal would also give handlers the option to extend the present August 31 final date for exporting or crushing additional peanuts produced during the current crop year to November 30. A handler requesting the three month extension would be

### FAT, SMOKING SANTA HAS HEALTH PROBLEMS

The magic of Santa Claus takes on an even greater glow when you consider the bad physical shape the old fellow is in. With all his possible problems, including obesity and high blood pressure, it's amazing he's able to chug up and down all those chimneys every year. The Texas Medical Association (TMA) said.  
Nobody has been able to give Santa Claus a good physical so most doctors' concern is based just on

required to furnish to a peanut association approved by USDA the following data on the contract additional peanuts:

-Information showing that the peanuts have been milled and positive lot identified;

-The name and location of storing facilities of the peanuts;

-A written statement of agreement to pay any supervision costs incurred on the peanuts after August 31; and  
-A written statement of agreement that such peanuts will not be substituted and used in the domestic edible and related markets.  
The public is invited to comment on this proposal. To be certain of consideration, written comments should be received no later than February 1 by the director, price support and loan division, ASCS, USDA, room 3741 South building, P.O. Box 2415, Washington, D.C. 20013. All written comments will be available for public inspection at the office of the director during regular business hours.

description. For instance, they are worried that Santa's "belly that shakes when he laughs like a bowlful of jelly" could indicate a serious weight problem.

Of course it would be tough to stay slim since Santa's constant snacking on goodies left for him could really put on the pounds. Worse yet, Santa probably doesn't get enough exercise to burn off any calories since he hauls his bag of presents around just once a year.

The rest of the time he's busy sorting Christmas lists and directing elves making toys. So with his huge executive responsibilities, his weight and the lack of exercise available at the North Pole, Santa could be a good candidate for having heart

problems. Studies show that people who exercise regularly can handle sudden physical stress better than those who just leap into it.

But before he charges into an exercise program, Santa should consult a doctor since he doubtlessly is more than 40 years old. Most doctors' offices don't have chimneys so he may be a little hesitant to drop in. But a quick visit could reveal how his heart is doing and whether or not he has high blood pressure, a disease some doctors suspect because of his "nose like a cherry."

However, this condition and his rosy cheeks could be caused by overexposure to cold. Santa might look like a burglar if he wore a ski mask but he needs to do something

to protect his face from long exposure to cold wind.

Breathing in all those ashes and bad air in chimneys is another strain on his body, not to mention damage caused by pipe smoking. But he probably won't wear a protective filtering mask and he might not give up his pipe.

Even with all these possible problems, Santa has a lot going for him. The twinkle in his eye and his agility ascending chimneys may be indicators of better health than other symptoms indicate. But doctors suspect Santa's secret to success is the thousands of children who believe in him. Luckily in their innocence they aren't fully aware of the deadly realities of disease.

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## Senate Candidate Ed Mayes Visits

Ed Mayes, who has been termed a rural conservative Democrat, was in Eastland County this week, getting acquainted and asking for a promotion from the Texas House of Representatives to the Texas Senate.

He is seeking election to the Senate, District 22, the post which Sen. Tom Creighton has held for many years. Creighton is not seeking re-election.

District Attorney Emory Walton had Mayes as his program at Eastland Lions Club Tuesday, where the

Cleburne native told about himself. He and his family live in Hood County near Granbury. He served as an Air Force pilot in World War Two and the Korean Conflict. He was first elected to the Texas House in 1974 from District 33, and has twice been reelected without opposition.

He is a member of the appropriations committee and energy resources committee.

Senatorial District 22 is made up of 17 counties including Eastland.

In his remarks, Mr. Mayes

suggested that during the past few years, our country seems to have moved toward socialism, but with effort it's not too late to swing back to the free enterprise system upon which our country was founded.

On so many fronts, he said, it seems that our institution are under attack, and even though there are more people working and we are at peace, the people seem to grow weary, and after electing our national leaders, will often begin snipping and finding fault.



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Three bed-room frame dwelling, 1 1/2 baths, lots of cabinets, total electric, two story with spiral stair case, 75 x 125 lot.

Two bed-room, living room, dining-room, kitchen with lots of nice cabinets, large den with wood-burning fire place, two car-port, small storage house, fenced back yard, bar-b-que grill, over 1 acre of land, on highway.

New, very nice three bed-room, large den, living room, dining rooms, nice kitchen, covered patio, central heat and air, 75 foot lot, brick front.

Six-room dwelling, one bath, living room carpeted, 75 x 140 ft. lot, close in, \$7500.00.

Three-bedrooms, two baths, utility room, carpet, partly paneled, large garage and work-shop. \$26,000.00.

Four bed-room dwelling, two baths, living room, dining room, fire place, paneled. Also, three-room garage apartment, carpeted and paneled-two-car garage. All of this on three nice lots and owner will carry.

Three bed-room dwelling, one bath, paneled and some carpet, \$7,500.00. Owner will carry.

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Three bedroom frame dwelling, all metal shop, grocery store and all stock, service station and bait house, water front with 7.42 acres. Also four trailer house hookups.

Two bed-room lake dwelling, sunken den, new carpet, partly paneled, well insulated, fenced yard, fruit trees, new filter system and pump, furniture included, large deeded lot. Owner will finance.

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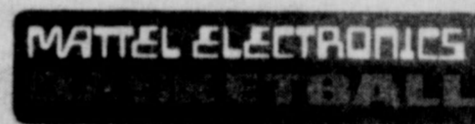
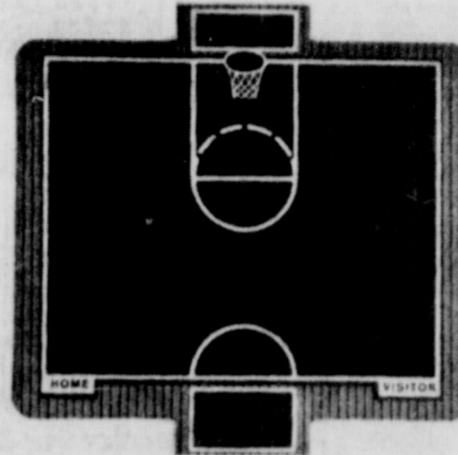
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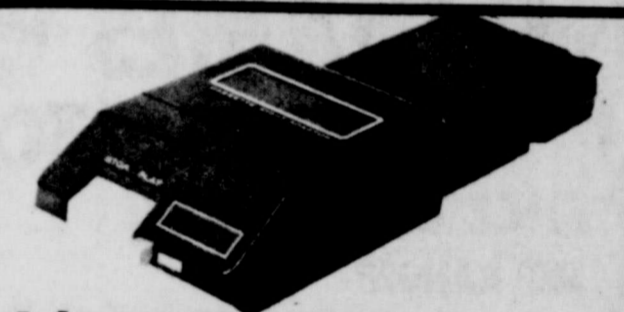
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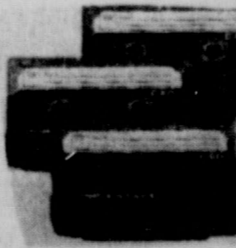
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**Local People Are Among Tarleton Graduates**

Degrees were granted to 155 undergraduate and 46 graduate students December 16 at Tarleton State University winter commencement exercises.

TSU president Dr. W.O. Trogdon gave the commencement address after scheduled speaker Dr. Rod O'Conner of Texas A&M University was weathered in at Waco on a flight from College Station to Stephenville.

Those graduating from Cisco were: Tianay Boyd Rabb- BBA in Business Administration, Rebecca Jane Kincaid- BS in Home Economics, Alfred Ray Rogers- BS in Physical Education, Brenda Jean Tonne- BS in Physical Education, Norene Elizabeth Webb- BS in Home Economics, and Gary Layne Adams- BS in Physical Education.

Graduating from Carbon was Bobby Allen Wooley with a BS in Agriculture, Cynthia Capri (Buckley) Abbey of Desdemona graduated with a BS in Elementary Education.

Those from Eastland were Debra Aleene Woods- M. Ed. in Elementary Education, Milard W. Herweck, Jr.- BS in Agricultural Education, and Robert Dean Mace- BS in Physical Education.

Judy Fambro of Ranger graduated with a BS in Elementary Education.

From Rising Star were Billy W. Carpenter with a BA in Government and Larry Dale Chambers with a BBA in Business Administration.

**LVN Students Receive Caps At CJC**

Last Thursday, December 13, was a very exciting event for the L.V.N. students of C.J.C. We were all very proud to receive our caps in a beautiful ceremony at Cisco High School auditorium.

Those receiving their caps were as follows: Rita Barnett from Ranger; Barbee Ivie from Cisco; Ann La Casse, Breckenridge; Verna Lawson from Breckenridge; Mary Ann McGough, Eastland; Sarah Nash from Lake Leon, Lovey Nichols, Cross Plains, Ruth Raley from Breckenridge, Cindi Stovall, Cisco, Gay Tipps from Breckenridge and Sharon Watson from Cross Plains.

Receiving our caps is a very important step toward being an L.V.N. and we appreciate everyone who took part in the ceremony and made it so memorable. To the Rev. Bruce Stovall, C.J.C. student counselor, we say "thank you" for giving the invocation, introducing our guest speaker, and giving the benediction.

"Thanks" to Mrs. Shelia Blackburn and student Barbee Ivie who provided the lovely music.

We appreciate so much our instructor Mrs. Venita Mitchell R.N., and Mrs. Sheridan Scott, L.V.N., our designated supervisor from Eastland Memorial Hospital. We were sorry that Mrs. Elizabeth Bryan, R.N., the director of nursing services from E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital was ill and could not attend.

Our very special "thank you" to Dr. Terry Treadwell, who took time from his very busy schedule to come and speak to us.

Also, we appreciate the use of the High School auditorium for our ceremony.

**Beef Producers To Vote On Research And Information Program**

Beef producers will vote early in 1980 on whether they want a nationally coordinated beef research and information program.

The upcoming referendum was announced today by Assistant Secretary of Agriculture P.R. Smith. He said beef producers will be asked to register for the referendum between January 28 and February 6.

They will vote by secret ballot February 19-22.

The order issued by the U.S. Department of Agriculture authorizing the program provides for a beef board of up to 68 producers to administer the program. There would be as many as five non-voting consumer advisors to the board.

Each state or geographic area would be represented on the board in proportion to its share of the U.S. cattle industry.

The program would be funded by assessments based on the value of cattle sold. During the first two years of the program, assessments could be up to two-tenths of one percent of the value of cattle sold (20 cents per \$100.)

After two years, the board could recommend an increase up to five-tenths of one percent.

All sellers in the marketing chain would be assessed. The buyer at the point of slaughter would deduct the total assessment and forward it to the board. Any producer could request and receive a refund of the assessment paid.

Referendum rules can be obtained from local ASCS office or from the Emergency and Indemnity Programs Division, ASCS; Room 4095S, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

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Brick, three bedrooms, central heat, one and a half baths, fenced back yard. Financing available on this new home.

House on edge of Ranger with 2 acres of land. Three bedrooms, one and one half baths, beautiful live-oak trees, several sheds and barns, double carport, priced to sell, \$20,000.

Three bedrooms, one bath, very neat well kept house. This house is on two lots on the edge of town. It has two sheds and storage buildings. New listing, \$15,000.

Three bedrooms, one bath, carpeted, lot 120 x 205 feet. All new plumbing, garage, two storage buildings. Will sell with furniture or without.

New three bedrooms, two full baths, carpeted, very large den, stucco outside, just one family has lived in this nice home. \$50,000.

Two bedrooms, one bath, completely remodeled. New carpet, paneled, and painted. Close to down town Ranger.

Two bedrooms, one bath, new carpet, paneled, has washer dryer connections, close to Main Street Ranger, corner lot.

This home will owner finance, two bedrooms, one bath, kitchen, living room. One of the bedrooms is large, all furniture goes with house. This home is on a lot 90 x 119 feet.

Small two bedroom, one bath house, carpeted, paneled, completely remodeled, close to Mian Street.

Large older two bedrms, one bath, kitchen living room, dining room combination. This home is on two lots with lot behind also going with the place.

Three bedrooms, two baths, new utility room, large kitchen, living room, dining room, double garage in the back with lots of storage. This house is on Young Street.

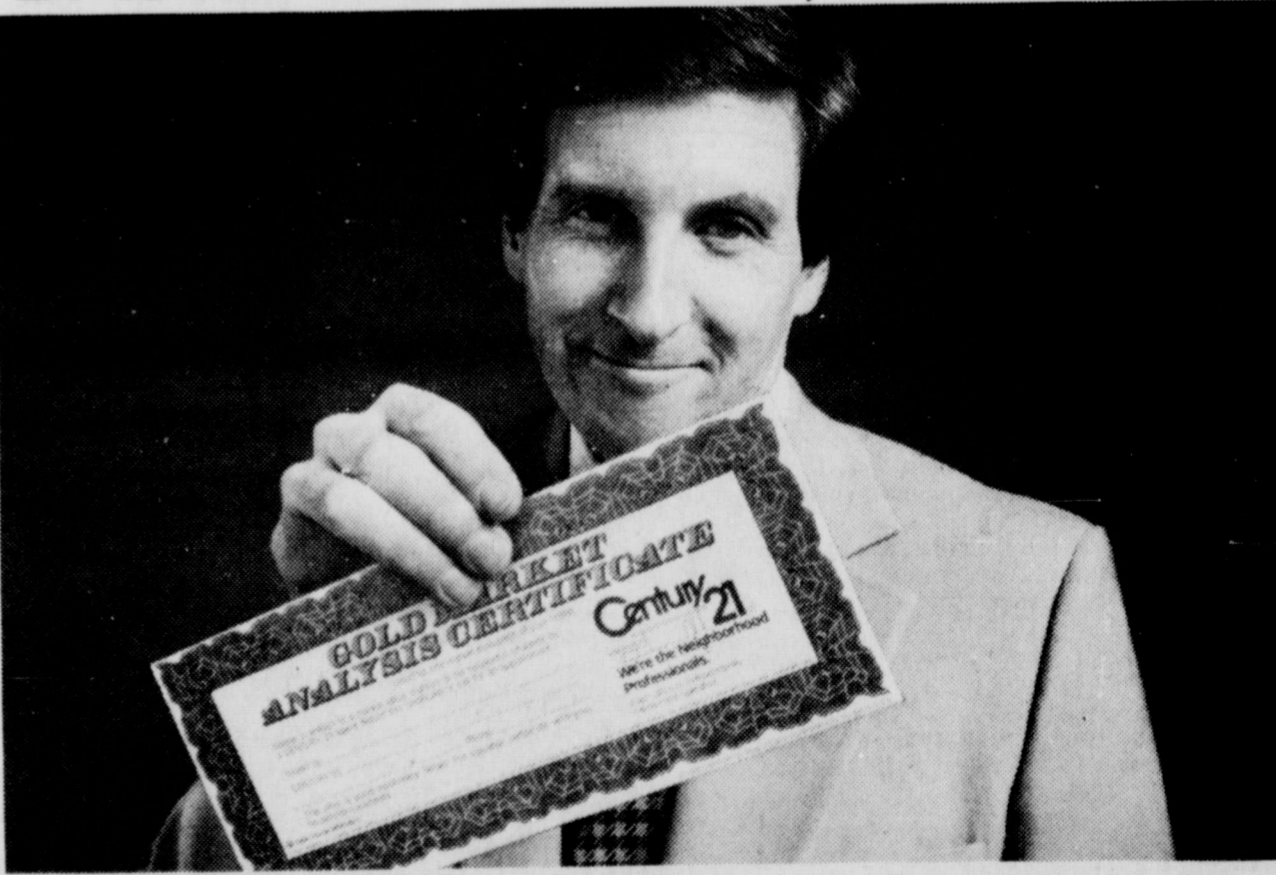
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John Terry  
Clara Capers  
Effie Fenter  
Robert Andrews

Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital were listed as follows:

Ted J. Snider  
Raymond McCord  
Louise Willman  
Edison Landry  
Henry Swindle  
April Nevill  
Katheryn Dunaway  
Roxie Gilbert  
Luella England  
Mary Roberts  
William Awalt  
Joy Knight  
Debra Gail Herrera  
Linda Stephens  
Edward Thompson  
Viola Lancaster  
Ora Elma Baily

Baby Boy Knight  
Baby Girl Stephens  
Baby Boy Herrera  
George Grigsby  
Carrie L. Koonce  
Fannie Turner  
John W. Hardin  
Tom Johnson  
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Elbert Turner  
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Mary Etta Williams  
Willie Carter  
Debra Jammer  
William Maynard  
Joe Rose  
Ruby Callaway

Pauline Bell  
Lorene Ramsey  
Leo Brooks  
Emmett Boyett  
Homer Meek Sr  
Pearl Jenkins  
Garland Williams  
Edith Terry  
Olga Reich  
Patients in Ranger General Hospital

Look Who's New  
Rev. and Mrs. Barry Wilson of Eastland, Texas, proudly announce the arrival of their daughter, Barri Jeanenne. Barri was born November 19, 1979 in Eastland and weighed 8 pounds.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Shook of Houston, Texas.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Wilson of Mitchell, Indiana.

The Drivers License office will be closed December 24, 25, and 26 for the Christmas Holidays. The office will also be closed January 1, 1980 for New Years.

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**USE YOUR IMAGINATION**-on this nice large lot with trees. Small 2 bedroom frame house. Excellent Main street location for possible commercial use. Come and see this for a low \$20,000. RE-06

**JUST RIGHT FOR MID-INCOME**-is this 3 bdrm, 1 bath home with living room, dining room and kitchen combo. You'll love the vaulted ceilings. Owner will repaint interior and replace all carpet. Fenced back yard and carport. OWNER FINANCE. RE-25. \$19,500.

**MAKE A MOVE**-to this Extra nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in present section of Eastland. House is fully bricked, located on large tree shaded lot. Enjoy your own sprinkler system, fireplace, formal dining room and much more. RE-23. \$50,700.00

**NO NEED TO WAIT TO BE A HOME OWNER**-with this neat 3 bedroom home. Close to both schools with central heat. Built in stove and refrigerator. Fresh paint and some new carpet. OWNER FINANCE, low down payment. RE-12. \$25,500.00

**PREPARE YOUR CHRISTMAS FEAST** in this pretty kitchen and show-off your roomy 2 bedroom, 1 bath home to your guests. Formal dining room, good neighborhood, and lots of trees are extras in this home. RE-16. \$32,500.

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**BEGINNERS LUCK.** You'll feel lucky when you own this 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. Includes appliances, and some furniture. Nice garden spot and friendly neighborhood. ASSUMABLE FINANCING. RE-01. \$18,300.00

**READY TO ROLL**-In this 2 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home in excellent condition. Split level bedroom, central heat, panel and carpet. Assumable loan and possible owner finance. RE-02. \$13,000.00

**LAKE LEON**

**GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY**-You can't miss with this one. Well stocked store, fixtures, gas tanks, and trailer hook-ups. Includes very nice three bedroom home and all new metal shop on 7.42 acres of land with 585 feet of lake frontage. Call for more details. LL-02

**NOT FOR THE AVERAGE BUYER!** Fancy brick home. 1800 sq. ft. living area. Fantastic view of Lake. Four Acres. Beautiful waterfront - cedar shake roof - 2 custom fireplaces. Rock yard & retaining wall. Can be bought fully furnished. Too many extras to mention. This place is definitely one of a kind. Call for details. LL-11.

**NEAR COUNTRY CLUB**-This 1 bdrm., cabin with porch on leased lot. Lot may also be purchased. Cabin offered for \$10,000. LL-04

**IND WEEKEND BOREDOM** - with this 1 bdrm., cabin with screened in porch. Large deeded lot with pretty trees. Almost private location. Good fishing and BBQ pit. LL-05. \$16,000.

**WEEKEND RETREAT**- Small, modern cabin on deeded lot. Good fishing location. Make us an offer on this one. LL-07.

**TRANQUILITY DELUXE**-With this beautiful year round home on Lake Leon. 2 bdrms, newly remodeled house with bar and pretty cabinets. Lovely shaded yard, good water front, covered boat dock, enclosed patio house, minnow pond, garden space galore. City or lake water. Great retirement setup. LL-08. \$42,000.

**COME SEE THE GORGEOUS VIEW**-from this 2 bdrm, 2 bath home on a hill over-looking the lake. Excellent water front. Carpet, 2 car garage, plenty of storage, large screened in porch. Rough cedar exterior surrounded by lots of shade trees. You'll love it for \$42,500. LL-09

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**YOU'LL BE PLEASED**-With what a little work can accomplish for this 2 bdrm. home. Good rental property or starter home for the right couple. RR-06. \$5,000.

**GREAT POTENTIAL**-1 1/2 acres in Ranger City Limits. Ideal development property for building sites or mobile homes. RR-04. \$3,000.

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**WILL TRADE**-Beautiful, custom built home in Granbury, situated on Lake canal for home and small acreage in Ranger-Eastland area. Call for more details. RO-07.

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In response to suggestions from 4-H members, leaders, and County Extension Agents around the state, the Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood will offer a "4-H Round-Up Preparation" Workshop on Saturday and Sunday, January 26 and 27, 1980.

Workshop sessions from which participants may choose include method demonstration and illustrated talks, public speaking, share-the-fun, range evaluation, including range and pasture grass identification, soil judging, meat identification, and entomology.

The instructors for each of the round-up participation areas are well qualified 4-H adult leaders, Extension Agents, and Extension Specialist. If 4-H leaders, adult or youth are interested in attending this workshop they may obtain additional information and registration details from the County Extension Office, located in the Courthouse or call 629-2222 or 629-1093.

**Donations For Flag Pole Are Coming In**

**Pole Are Coming In**

An effort to erect a proper flag pole by the VFW Post is off to a good start, and more help is needed. In a short time, Post Commander Bill Kerr has already raised nearly \$100.

VFW Post No. 4136 has launched a drive to erect a proper flag pole for Memorial Services, and is now accepting donations. Commander Bill Kerr has announced.

An anonymous donor has pledged 50 cents for every dollar the Post collects. The pole to be erected will be a 50 foot manufactured flag pole which will be implanted in five feet of concrete. It will be ten inches at the base, four inches at the tip and have two pulleys for displaying two flags, he said.

Total cost will be \$1,875.00, and transportation and installation will be handled by the Post, he said.

Persons wishing to contribute, may do so by addressing Flag Pole Fund, VFW Post 4136, Eastland, Texas. Gifts to date:

Anonymous...\$25.00  
Mangrum Service Center...

\$25.00.  
Old Rip Cafe...\$15.00.  
Bill Kerr...\$10.  
TOTAL...\$75.00.

**Dr. L. M. Pollard To Speak At Full Gospel**

A lay speaker, Dr. L.M. Pollard, of Sonora, will bring the 10:30 a.m. message Sunday, December 23, at the Full Gospel House of Prayer in Eastland. Dr. Pollard and his wife, Julie, have three teenage children.

For several years Dr. Pollard served as coordinator of numerous Lay Witness Missions throughout Texas. He has served in this capacity at churches in Wolfe City, Greenville, Paris, Winters and Ft. Worth, as well as others in South Texas. A dentist, Dr. Pollard, has served in the mission field in both Mexico and South America.

As a member of the Fellowship of Christian Dentists, Dr. Pollard edited a booklet entitled "Open Your Mouth Wide, and I Will Fill It" (Psalm 81:10) in which several Christian Dentists shared their testimonies.

Everyone is invited to the Sunday morning service at the church located at 412 N. Bassett.



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**Collins Views Food Stamps Growth**

**HON. JAMES M. COLLINS**  
OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Thursday, October 25, 1979

Mr. COLLINS of Texas. Mr. Speaker, the fuel subsidy bill reminds us of the food stamp bill. The history of food stamps is interesting.

I went back to the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD of April 7, 1964, to review the House debate when food stamps joined the system.

Let us look at some of the statements made by supporters of the food stamp program when it was introduced:

Let me make clear that this is not a hand-out program. Under the program the participating families must spend their usual food budgets for food and only have food in order to receive coupons entitling them to buy additional food.

I ask the members from farm areas, Mr. Chairman, are they interested in raising food consumption by low income people in this country by 8 percent at no additional cost to the federal government?

Mr. Chairman, I would like to point out to those who are very interested in taking government out of business that this is one way of getting the government out of the food business.

At the very height of the worst recessions we have had since the direct distribution system began in 1954, we never had more

than 6 million people receiving surplus food. The food stamp plan is no utopia. It is complex and there are difficulties in administering it. But it works. It has been tried and tested for three years. Those who choose to vote against it will do so not because it does not work but because it works too well to suit their political desire. They do not want Democrats to get credit for a good program.

These were sincere statements by the advocates of the food stamp bill. They originally asked for \$25 million, but by the time the bill came to the floor, it was a \$75 million authorization. The Department of Agriculture says in 1980 they need \$8.3 billion to pay for the present food stamp program. If you will recall in the debate, they challenged the fact that it would ever get up as high as 6 million people. The plan has grown to where today with 19 million people on food stamps, they are anticipating \$8.3 billion for this subsidy. That is an increase of 110 times from where food stamps started.

Considering this fuel bill starts at \$1.3 billion, you wonder just how high this subsidy could eventually become.

This is another subsidy bill. But what happens to the people working for a living who are already paying in taxes 42 cents out of every dollar?

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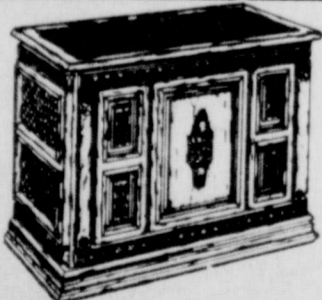
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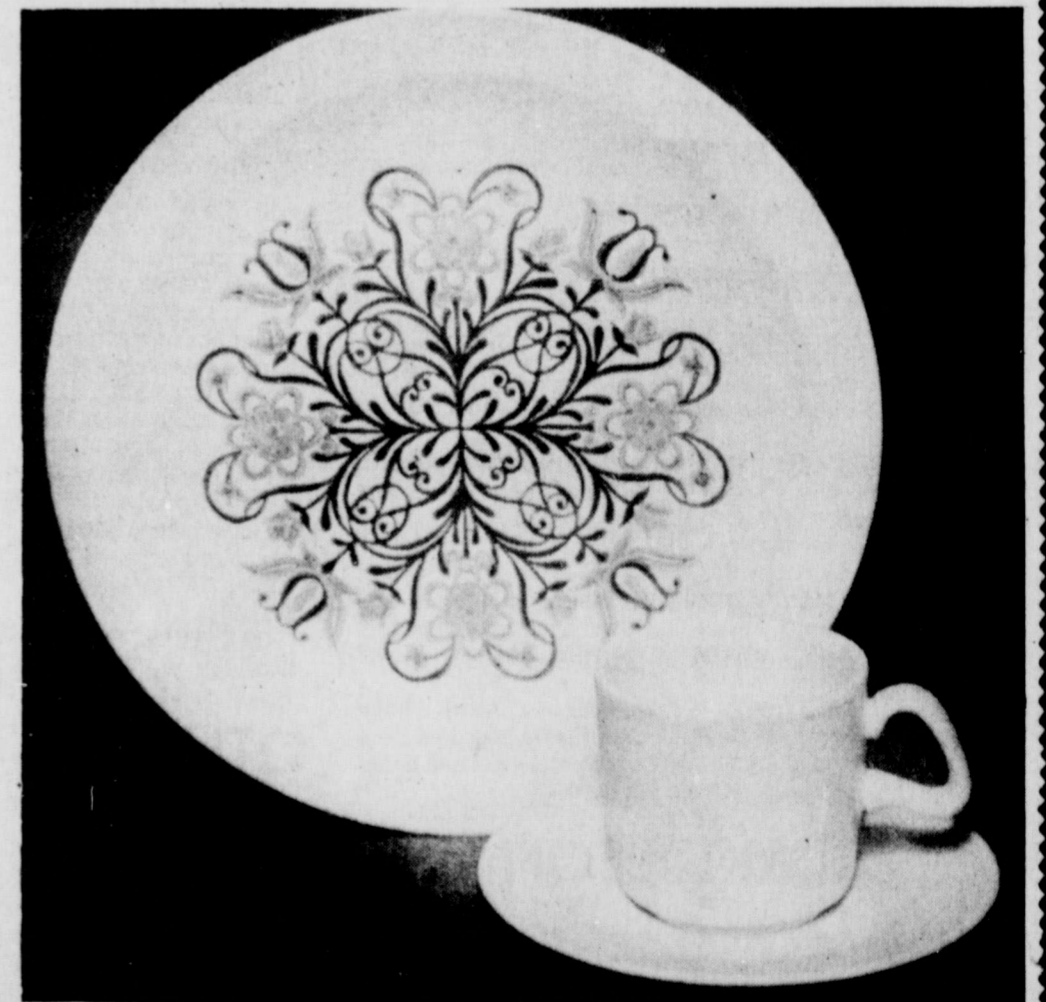
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