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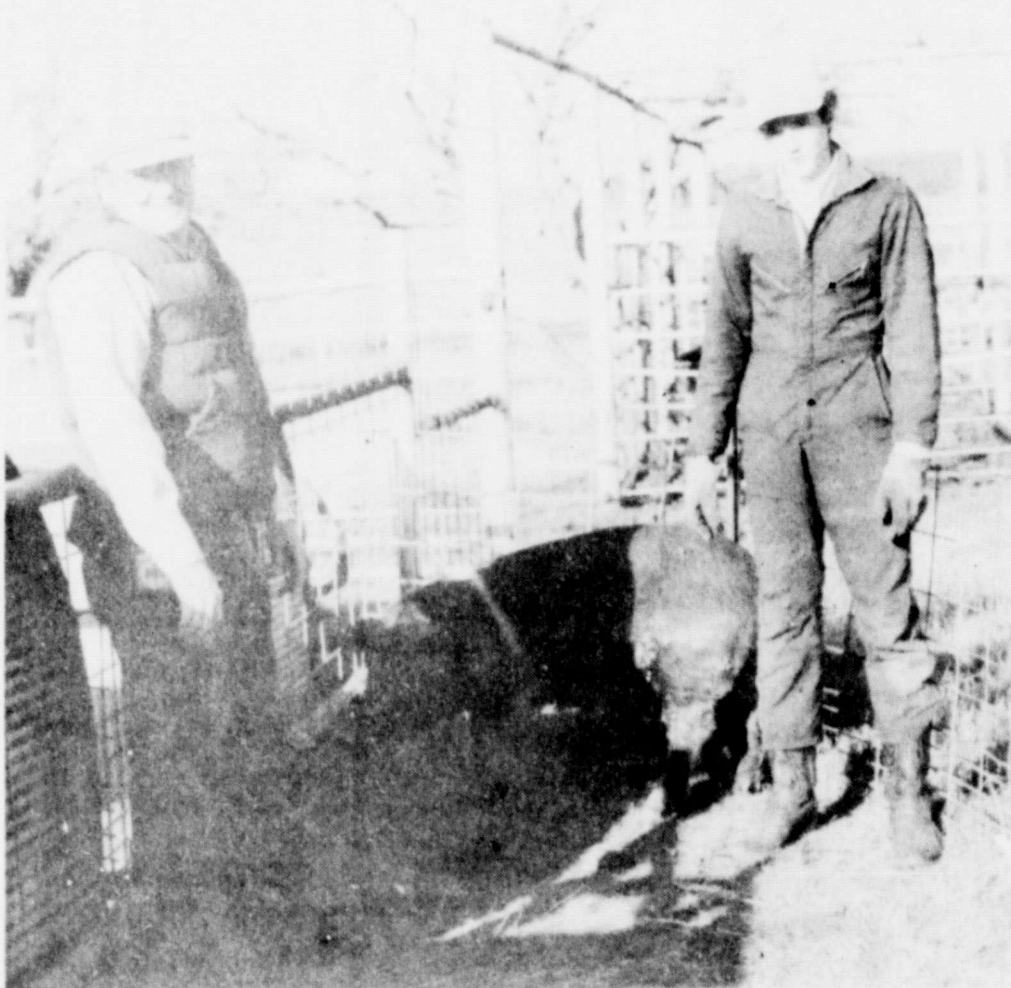
Cisco, Texas 76437

Thursday, March 10, 1988

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Home Of
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Hotel

Cisco Livestock Show To Be Held Friday & Saturday



CISCO STOCK SHOW-- Jimmie Cearley, Cisco High School FFA teacher and Leslie Allen, FFA student are shown standing by one of the pigs that will be shown at the Cisco Livestock Show to be held Friday and Saturday. (Staff Photo, courtesy of Cotton's Studios)

Construction On Elementary School Gym To Begin Soon

Brownwood Construction Co., of Brownwood, Texas was awarded the contract for the indoor play facility to be built at the Cisco Elementary School, during the regular meeting of the Cisco Independent School District held last Monday.

Construction will begin as soon as the contract is signed. Tommie Huckabee, architect, said it will take about 140 days to finish the work. It will be ready for use by next September.

The facility will have a tile gym floor and bleachers on

one side. It will be suitable for several activities, including the Little Dribbler's basketball games. They gym will run east and west, coming out the west door of the new part of the building.

In other action, the board voted to go with the TASB for the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Recovery Act management program requirements.

CISD Superintendent Ray Saunders said this will make sure the Cisco school district stays in compliance with the requirements.

The board approved the recommendations by the textbook committee. They approved the academic and literary events as recommended by faculty committee.

The board approved the resolution for the joint election with Cisco Junior College and the City of Cisco.

The board voted to reduce the counseling positions from full-time to part-time during the meeting. They rehired teachers during the executive session.

Elementary School To Dismiss Early

The Cisco Elementary School will dismiss early on Friday, March 11. Times for classes to dismiss are as follows:

Kindergarten and first

grade classes will dismiss at 1:45 p.m.

Second and third grade classes will dismiss at 2:00 p.m.

Fourth, fifth and sixth

grade classes will dismiss at 2:15 p.m.

School buses will run at this time. Junior High and Senior High schools will dismiss at 2:30 p.m. Friday.



SIGNS PROCLAMATION-- Mayor Joe Wheatley is shown in the above photo signing a proclamation, proclaiming the week of March 6 thru March 12 as Girl Scout Week in Cisco. Shown in the photo with Mayor Wheatley are left to right, Vanessa Reed, Heather Lewis, Mandi Senterfitt, Shawna Connell and Kate Hounshell. Heather and Mandi are the top cookie sellers from Troop 51 and Vanessa, Shawna and Kate are the top cookie sellers from Troop 54. (Staff Photo, courtesy of Cotton's Studios)

The annual Cisco Livestock Show will be held Friday and Saturday, March 11 and 12, at the County Precinct Barn in Cisco. The show is open to young people enrolled in the Cisco Public Schools.

This year a rabbit show is being started so that some of the younger students and others can be involved in the Stock Show.

This year's show is expected to be a large one. There will be approximately 60 hogs, 50 sheep, 20 goats and ten cattle.

The show is put on by the Cisco Livestock Association, and prize money is given to every exhibitor. Everyone is encouraged to come out on the two days of the Stock Show and show their support for the young people of Cisco.

The time schedule of events are as follows:

Friday, March 11
6:00 p.m. - Sift animals.
7:00 p.m. - Judge rabbits; breeding swine follow rabbits; market barrows and gilts follow breeding swine.
Swine showmanship.

Saturday, March 12
9:30 a.m. - Judge Angora goats.
10:00 a.m. - Judge Breeding sheep.
10:45 a.m. - Judge Market lambs.
11:30 a.m. - Judge Breeding beef.
11:40 a.m. - Judge Market steers.
12:00 a.m. - Dairy Cattle.
Cisco Ag teacher Jimmie Cearley said all animals will need to be in place by 6:00 p.m. on Friday. He added that this year the animals will not be allowed to be

washed on the show grounds. Cearley said all animals must be washed before they are brought to the show.

Judges for the show will be James Bevel and Duane Gilley, both Vocational Ag teachers from Haskell. They will be judging around 150 animals in the show this year, reported Cearley.

Cearley said they validated more animals this year. He said the pig and

lamb numbers are up, but the cattle is down from last year. He said they also have a few number of rabbits this year.

The next show that the Cisco students will show their animals in will be the Eastland County Livestock Show to be held March 15 through March 19 at the Eastland County Show Barn in Eastland.

Cisco Police Officers Investigate Criminal Mischief Cases

Cisco Police officer Chris Key investigated a criminal mischief report of some person or persons shooting the windows of a car that belongs to Ed Murphy, at 1009 Ave. H.

Key said a B-B gun or some other similar type of gun was used. The report was made on March 2.

On March 3, Cisco Police officer Donald Wiley investigated the report the burglary of a coin operated machine at Best Western Inn, on Hwy. 80 West.

Approximately \$20.00 in coins were taken from the machine. There was no estimate to the damage of the machine.

Officer Kenneth Preston, investigated the report of some unknown persons throwing a rock through the front door of the old Skating Rink, located on West 2nd. The incident was reported Sunday.

Officer Donald Wiley arrested two Hispanic males Sunday afternoon. Arrested were a 20-year old man for Driving While Intoxicated and a 29-year old male for Public Intoxication.

Officer Kenneth Preston was called on Sunday to investigate the report of some juveniles sleeping in a barn. The report was also about taking the possessions from the home of a deceased person.

When Preston arrived at the home, two white male juveniles were in the house. The inside of the home was

scattered with the deceased person's property and some of the items had been removed.

Preston took the juveniles to the police station where they were later released to their parents, pending an investigation of juvenile authorities.

Chief of Police Billy Rains investigated the burglary of a vehicle at I-20 Johnson Motors on Monday. A person

or persons unknown took a total of \$90.00 worth of equipment from a 1985 Ford wench truck.

Chief of Police Billy Rains responded to the call of a burglary of a building in the 800 block of West 16th Monday. Phillip Gleghorn reported that someone had taken \$1700 worth of equipment from his storage house. Investigation is continuing.

Cheryl Robinson Files For Council Place III

Cheryl Robinson filed, Tuesday at City Hall, to be placed on the ballot of the May 7, election of the Cisco City Council. She filed for

Place III. Cheryl recently worked as secretary for the Cisco Police Department.

Cisco Country Western Musical To Be Held Sat.

The Country and Western musical will be held Saturday, March 12, in the Corral Room. Concession stand will

open at 5:30 p.m. and the music will start at 7 p.m. All area musicians are invited to attend.

Fellowship Supper Held At First Christian Church

The fellowship supper was held Wednesday night at First Christian Church. Olga Fay Parker, chairman of the committee, was assisted by Caron Bailey, Azlee Hender-

son, Helen Surles, Mable Chapman, with two of the committee absent because of illness. They were assisted by Catherine Parker and Linda Beebe.

The hall was beautifully decorated with Valentine motif. The sweetheart theme was carried out throughout the evening. Olga Fay asked Rev. Roy Cartee to lead in opening prayer and to offer thanks for the food.

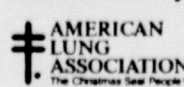
The serving table was loaded with abundance of delicious food. The centerpiece was red tulips. When everyone had sufficiently dined, Olga Fay gave a report on those present, 62 with three guests.

We were delighted to have each of our guests as well as our members. We were led in song by Roy Hathaway with Clara Glueck at piano.

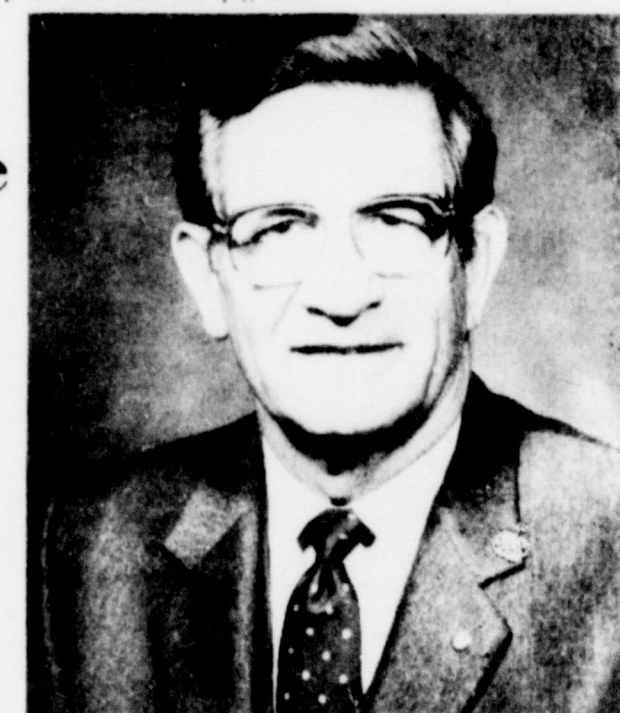
A special table was set for our young people and children with 19 seated at that table.

If you failed to make the February meeting, please come in March.

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DR. HENRY McCULLOUGH

President Of Cisco Junior College To Retire

Dr. Henry E. McCullough, Jr., President at Cisco Junior College submitted his resignation to the CJC Board of Regents at their regular meeting held last Monday. Dr. McCullough will retire at the end of his term, which will become effective August 31, 1988.

Dr. McCullough said his future plans include moving back to Lufkin, Texas where he and his wife Janice, will help raise their four grandchildren. He said there will be a fifth grandchild soon.

McCullough said, "There comes a time in your life when it's time to retire. I have been working for 35-years now."

Dr. McCullough came to Cisco Junior College in 1984. He said during his time as president he had two main priorities. Number one was the welfare of the college and the second was the welfare of the employees of the college.

During the four years McCullough was president improvements were made to the classroom facilities, the new CJC buildings in Clyde and Abilene were acquired, the faculty salary was upgraded, a scholarship program for the employees and their dependents was made, the academic scholarships and the scholarship program for the students at CJC was improved, and the most recent improvement was the acquired land of the B.B. Owens trust property.

McCullough said the finan-

cial position of Cisco Junior College is in very good form.

Dr. McCullough was formerly the Dean of Instruction at Angelina College in Lufkin, before coming to Cisco. He is a member and past president of the Rotary Club of Cisco and a member of the First Baptist Church in Cisco.

Dick Woolley, member of the CJC Board of Regents said, "Dr. McCullough has done a very good job for the college during his four years here. We certainly wish him well in his retirement."

Woolley said the board will begin to search for a new president right away.

In other matters the Board of Regents voted to set aside \$50,000 as an endowment fund from a memorial endowment fund that was set up in 1964. The rest of the money from the fund will be used for scholarships to Cisco Junior College.

The Board accepted the resignation of Herman Dunlap to become effective May 1. Dunlap is in data processing at the college. The Board renewed the contracts for an additional year for the faculty and administration personnel. The board re-employed the staff maintenance, dorm supervisors, and senior citizen employees.

Marvin Payne, chemistry teacher at CJC, was granted a one year leave of absence by the Board so he can work on his doctorate degree at North Texas University.

Cost Of Postage Stamps To Increase In April

According to recent reports, the cost of mailing a letter will soon increase from 22 cents to 25 cents under a new schedule of mailing rates recommended recently by the Postal Rate Commission. The new rate could go into effect as early as April if accepted by the board of governors of the U.S. Postal Service.

The last rate increase— from 20 cents to 22 cents— was in February 1985. The commission also

recommended that the price of a postcard be raised from 14 cents to 15 cents, instead of 16 cents as proposed by the Postal Service. If the proposals are accepted, each additional ounce in a first-class letter would cost 20 cents, up from the current rate of 17 cents.

Overall, the commission recommended rate increase 17.5 percent for all mailing. Continued On Next Page...

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Scrabble Players to Meet Every Thursday At 6:30 At Olney Savings

Local SCRABBLE Crossword Game Players are invited to join SCRABBLE Players Club No. 321. The club will meet every Thursday from 6:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. at the Community Room, Olney Savings & Loan, 701 Conrad Hilton Ave., Cisco, Texas 76437.

Players of all ages and skill levels are invited to join. In addition to meeting new players and improving their word skills, club members can earn expert points and Certificates of Merit. There is a small admission fee and refreshments will be served.

SCRABBLE Players Club No. 321 is licensed by SCRABBLE Crossword Players Inc., a Coleco Company, which awards certification to top competitors in supervised play across the country. There are over 500 certified SCRABBLE experts, average scores for premium players range from 350 to 400 points.

The SCRABBLE Brand Crossword Game took America by storm in the early 1950's, and has continued to grow in popularity with game lovers, not only in Cisco and across the United States, but throughout the world.

The game has 100 tiles, 225 squares and a multi colored board. The creator of the game, Alfred M. Butts, was an out of work architect from Poughkeepsie, New York, during the great depression. He decided to invent an adult board game in 1931. Analyzing games, he found they fell into three categories: number games, such as dice and bingo; move games, such as chess and checkers; and word games, such as anagrams. Mr. Butts, aiming for a game that would use both chance and skill, combined

features of anagrams and the cross word puzzle, and called his new game "Criss Cross."

Next he analyzed the English language. With 26 letters in our language, some letters are used more frequently than others. The one that does the most work is the letter E. All the vowels appear far more often than do the consonants. He assigned different values to each letter. The letter "S" posed a problem. While it is used frequently, he concluded that only four "S's" should be included to avoid making the game too easy by the use of plurals.

His basic cryptographic analysis of our language and his appreciation of the playability of the adjusted tile distribution have remained valid for almost two generations and billions of games played.

The boards for his first "Criss Cross" game were hand drawn with his architectural drafting equipment, reproduced by blueprinting, and pasted on folding checker boards. The tiles were similarly hand lettered, then glued to 1/4 inch plywood and cut to match the squares on the board.

By 1953, it was obvious to the Brunots that they could no longer make the games fast enough to meet the growing interest in the game. They licensed Selchow & Righter Company, a well known game manufacturer founded in 1867, to market and distribute the games in the United States and Canada.

Even Selchow & Righter had to step up production to meet the overwhelming demand during the mid-fifties. As stories about Scrabble crossword game appeared in national newspapers,

magazines and television, it seemed that everybody had to have a set immediately. For three years, orders for the game had to be allocated so that customers received their fair share.

The game was no American "fad." Rather, sales have gone steadily upwards, and today Scrabble Brand Crossword Game is one of the leading board games in America, enjoying greater and greater popularity.

James Brunot remained active in developing a Braille set, working with the Connecticut State Board of Education for the Blind. He created for this set a revolving board with its own turn table to help the players... and innovation that was adapted for the Scrabble Brand Crossword Game deluxe edition. (Braille editions are still available through the American Foundation for the Blind, 15W 16 Street, New York, New York 10011.)

Mr. Brunot worked with foreign language experts in developing foreign language editions of the game... Spanish, French, German and Russian. In recent years Italian and Hebrew editions have also been introduced. Mr. Brunot worked with Selchow & Righter on the development of a Travel edition, a Deluxe version as well as other SCRABBLE Brand games.

In 1972 Selchow & Righter purchased the trademark SCRABBLE from Mr. James Brunot of Production and Marketing Company, and now owns the exclusive rights to all Scrabble Brand products and entertainment services in the United States and Canada.

Mayor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. recognizes that today's girls will be tomorrow's leaders; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. is the largest voluntary organization for girls in the world and draws upon a large resource of positive adult role models; and

WHEREAS, the Girl Scout Movement continues to emphasize leadership and personal and career development for girls; and

WHEREAS, our community and world will be the direct beneficiaries of the skilled young women who are Girl Scouts:

NOW, THEREFORE, I Joe Wheatley, by virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor, do urge the citizens of Cisco to support the Girl Scouts in their endeavors; I now proclaim this week, March 6-12, 1988, Girl Scout Week in Cisco.

Girl Scouts

Take The Lead!



Postage Stamps

Increase

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with the basic rate for "junk" mail, third-class mail, to increase nearly 25 percent.

Rates for magazines, newspapers and other second-class mail would increase about 18 percent. Fourth-class mail, parcel post, would go up nearly 15 percent.

When the new postage rates go into effect, a special "E" stamp will be used on an interim basis to mail first-class letters.

WORD of GOD

Old Testament (Prophecy)

Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

Isaiah 53:4-5

New Testament (Fulfillment)

When the even was come, they brought unto him many that were possessed with devils: and he cast out the spirits with his word, and healed all that were sick:

That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by E-sai-as the prophet, saying, Himself took our infirmities, and bare our sicknesses.

Matthew 8:16-17

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Tax Returns Require Social Security Numbers For Dependents

"Taxpayers are reminded that before filing their 1987 tax returns, they are required to enter Social Security numbers (SSNs), or 'Applied for,' on their tax returns for all dependents, age 5 or older, listed as exemptions," said Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene. This is required by the Tax Reform Act of 1986.

"Taxpayers who apply for SSNs now can expect to receive a Social Security card in the mail in 10-14 days after all proofs are received," said Hammons. "However, the closer we get to the April 15 tax deadline, the busier we expect to be."

Avoid the rush and apply now. "If the taxpayer's dependents already have Social Security numbers, they should not apply for another one," Hammons said.

Application for a Social Security number can be made at any Social Security office. You need to complete Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Number. This is a simple, one-page form with instructions attached. You can get a copy at any Social Security office. Copies also are available wherever you find copies of Federal Tax forms. Anyone age 18 or older must apply

for a number in person, but parents applying for children can do so by mail. All original documents mailed to a Social Security office will be returned. They can start the application process by phone or, if they prefer, by visiting the office. Parents applying at the office will be asked for some proof of their identity, such as a driver's license.

A child or an adult applying for an SSN will need evidence of age, U.S. citizenship or lawful alien status, and identity. For someone born in the United States, an original or certified copy of a public birth certificate can be used as evidence of both

age and citizenship. For children, school, medical, or day care records can be used for identity. Only original documents or certified copies (not photocopies or notarized copies), can be accepted.

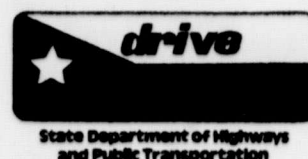
If the dependent you claim does not have a Social Security number by the time you are ready to file your

Federal tax return, you should apply for one and enter the words, "Applied for," on line 6c, column (3) of your Federal tax return. This will be acceptable to the IRS.

"For more information about applying for a Social Security number, call us," Hammons said. "You may dial a toll-free number -

1-900-200-4636 - for a brief recorded message. If you then need to speak with a Social Security representative, a toll-free "800" number will be given at the end of the recorded message, or you can call the local Social Security office in Abilene at 698-1360."

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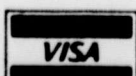
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BAIRD

Three local men were presented with Certificates of Appreciation from the United States Marshall Service last Tuesday. Sheriff Bill Skinner, County Attorney Bob McCool and rancher Roy McAdams. U.S. Deputy Marshall Richard Jones gave the Certificates to Skinner and McCool for their help in numerous investigations during the last year. McAdams was presented one for his work as a part-time employee of the U.S. Marshall Service. The Certificates were signed by U.S. Marshall Clint Peoples and approved by the National Headquarters of the Marshall Service in McLean, Va. Past honorees have included Taylor County Sheriff John Middleton, Taylor County District Attorney's Investigator Travis Tucker, and Nolan County Justice of the Peace Randy King.

Last Monday afternoon Mayor Frank Payne handed over a check for \$65,236 to Neel Association Inc. for a new fire truck, and the Baird Volunteer Firemen took possession of this great new piece of equipment. Although the city has paid for the truck, it will take another four years of the \$2 addition on each water bill to cover the cost. But the truck had to be purchased now, or everyone's household fire insurance in Baird would have gone much higher. This was due to the age of the old truck. The Fire Department is very pleased with this new vehicle, and is erecting a new building to house it and the other equipment.

Mrs. James (Glyndol) Asbury was recently named "Outstanding Club woman" of the Wednesday Club of Baird. Mrs. Asbury, a Club, Church and Civic worker, is a native of Baird. She has been the organist of the Presbyterian Church for more than 50 years, and is an Elder and the Treasurer of the Church. She has been a Sunday School teacher for many years. She plays

weekly for the Nursing Home, and for many other occasions. During the years she taught Kindergarten, worked for various businesses, and operated her own Designer Shop. Currently she is dressing a doll representing the wife of Governor Mark White, and this will be displayed in Austin.

EASTLAND

Jim Don Andrews, trumpet player at Eastland High School, was presented the Eastland Music Study Club's coveted Anna Barbara Kinnaird Scholarship Award during a program last Wednesday. This Award was made from funds set up in a Memorial for the late Mrs. Kinnaird, musician and church and civic worker. The honor is given annually to an Eastland High School student showing exceptional musical talent. Mrs. Emily Perkins made the Award on behalf of the Music Club.

The Annual Spectacular Eastland Lions Club Pancake Supper will be held Monday, March 14 at Camp Inspiration. Tickets are now on sale at \$3 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12. Serving will begin at 5 p.m.

The Second Grade at Siebert Elementary School will repeat the program "Symphony for Simple Simon" for the PTO on March 15 at 3:45 p.m. Music teacher Da'one Jeccoat will direct this program, which tells the story of all the instruments in an orchestra. This delightful musical skit was presented for the Eastland Music Club last Wednesday, and they found it very enjoyable. Take time out to go see what these children can do!

All 4-H parents are urged to attend a meeting on Saturday, March 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the TU Electric Reddy Room in Eastland. A taco supper will precede the business meeting, and each 4-H family is asked to bring a favorite "taco topp-

ing." Appetizers and desserts are also requested. The business meeting will be directed by Rex Long, and upcoming 4-H activities will be planned.

Baby farm animals will be on display at the Petting Zoo at the Eastland County Livestock Show on March 17. Children may be brought out to see the animals from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. The 4-H Petting Zoo is being sponsored by the 4-H Junior Leader's Association, and there is no admission charge.

DESDEMONA

Work is coming along on fixing a room at the Community Center for the next Musical on Saturday, March 26. Doyle and Frances Hughes will audition musicians for a "House Band" for the Musical. Dates to audition are March 11-12, Friday, 7-9 p.m. and Saturday 1-3 p.m. at the Center. Talented musicians are being sought who would generally be available to play at the Desdemona Center musicals. These are now being held on the 4th Saturday of each month. If you would like more information, call Frances Hughes at 758-2662.

RANGER

Tornado season came in with a bang last Thursday as high winds ripped the top off a carport and tore down electrical lines at the Mattie Wheeler residence on Blundell Street. Another resident in that area reported that his mobile home "shook a little," while another reported extremely high winds. No further damage was reported, however.

Ranger City Commissioners have called a Public Meeting for Thursday, March 10 at the Community Clubhouse. Citizens are being asked for help in finding a solution to the financial problems of the city. The City Commissioners report that they have cut all the services they can - the water and sewer departments are reportedly only patching instead of

repairing. Street repairs are also reportedly at a standstill. Many citizens have indicated that they do not feel that fire and police protection can be cut. Various ideas are expected to be discussed at the meeting, including a possible increase on water, sewer and sanitation services.

CISCO

Bob Glasgow will speak to the Cisco Rotary Club on March 31. The Club will present the annual Citizenship Awards during the meeting. This promises to be a very interesting event.

The King's Kids" from Cisco Church of the Nazarene captured 16 First Place ribbons, nine Second Place, and five Third Places at the Zone Talent Competition held in Hamlin on February 27. The talents included music, arts and crafts. The "King's Kids" competed against other Nazarene Churches in the Zone in 19 different categories. All

first place winners will compete again at District level on March 25-26 in Wichita Falls.

Six members of the Cisco Kids Tumbling Team competed in the District 4 Tumbling and Trampoline meet in Snyder February 13. Results were: Gold Medal, Cassye Bailey; Silver Medal, Becky Wright; Bronze Medal, Lucinda Starr; 4th Place, Shelley Rhine; 6th Place, Lisha Luster and Janan Pence. Tumbling classes are now being held at the Calvary Baptist Church on Thursday afternoons, with Sara Wilson of Albany as

the Coach.

The Cisco Volunteer Fire Department has received \$1605 in donations for the new engine for the rural fire truck. Hopefully there will be enough money given to buy a used rural fire truck. Also, without these pieces of equipment the local firemen will be hampered in their work for the area.

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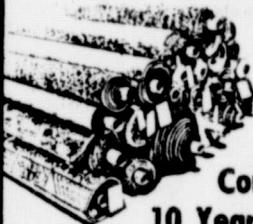
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Obituaries

J.T. Taylor

RANGER - J.T. Taylor, 68, died Monday at a local hospital.

Graveside services were at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday at Eastland Cemetery with the Rev. Jerry Speer officiating, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

A lifetime resident of Eastland County, he was a veteran of World War II. He was a retired nurse and a Baptist.

Survivors include a daughter, Sarah Taylor Carter of Ranger; and a sister, Dorothy Turner of Ada, Okla.

Emily B. Maupin

RANGER - Emily B. Maupin, 87, died Monday at a Fort Worth hospital.

Services are pending with Edwards Funeral Home.

Homer L. Sims

RISING STAR - Homer L. Sims, 82, died Saturday in Rising Star.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Carl Ingram officiating. Burial was in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

Born in Eastland County, he was a lifelong resident.

He was a retired farmer. Survivors include his wife, Irene Neie Sims of Rising Star; a sister, Jessie Magnum of Carbon; and a nephew, Coy Magnum.

Alisha Deann Sybesma

Competes

Alisha Deann Sybesma competed in the Tejas Pageant in Plano, Texas, and was named "Tejas International National Sweetheart". Alisha received a beautiful trophy, crown, and banner. She also won trophies in the Beauty and Photogenic divisions.

Alisha would like to extend a special invitation to you to come join in the fun at the Tejas preliminary pageant. This pageant will be held March 19th at the Friendship Inn in Eastland, Tx. This will be our Easter pageant and every contestant will receive at least one trophy. Brothers and sisters may enter for half price.

For more information and entry forms, please contact Wilma Sybesma at 647-3036.

Alisha is the 3-year old daughter of Wilma Sybesma of Ranger. Maternal grandparents are Denver and Nellie Stagner of Ranger. Paternal grandparents are Mary Drury of Eastland and Cornelius Sybesma of Belgrade, MT.

Carrie L. Lowrance

EASTLAND - Carrie L. Lowrance, 76, died Saturday at a local hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Bakker Funeral Home Chapel with Gary Montgomery officiating. Burial was in the Eastland Cemetery.

Born in Stephens County, she was a longtime Gunglight and Morton Valley resident. She moved to Eastland in 1971.

She was a homemaker and the widow of George L. Lowrance. He died Feb. 26th.

Survivors include a son, Gary Lowrance of Eastland; two daughters, Eloise Dobbs of Jal, N.M. and Merrell Rainwater of Killeen; three brothers, Hershel Boles of Gunglight and Roy Boles and Lloyd Boles, both of Breckenridge; two sisters, Opal Bunton of Ranger and Montra Wylie of Killeen; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Coping With Overspending

COLLEGE STATION-If you're facing a stack of bills from the holidays that you can't pay, one of the worst things you can do is delay action, says a family economics expert.

"You'll be far better off to make efforts immediately to work out a payment plan with the creditor," advises Nancy Granovsky, a home economist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

"Two of the most important factors to creditors is that they be paid regularly and on time," she explains. "Write a letter to the creditor as soon as possible and offer a monthly amount of payment that you know you can handle. The final decision will be up to the creditor."

"Before contacting creditors, review all of your more flexible expenses, such as the money spent on food or entertainment, to make sure they have been reduced as much as possible," Granovsky suggests. "You

I've Been Wrong Before

By Gordon S. Clark

My coffee drinking buddy one day was a driller and ex-barroom brawler turned preacher. He glanced at a paper another customer left behind and he commented on a story about a deadbeat who wanted to file suit because on his first day in Calif. he was refused credit. It seemed that he wore out his welcome in New Jersey but the credit company wired his bad record to Calif. a lot faster than he went there.

My friend felt that it was too bad credit records couldn't be even closer tied to people. We certainly agreed that merchants could not stay in business unless they added the cost of bad credits to prices paid by honest customers.

I mentioned the sign by the cash register offering a dollar and a dime for one hundred pennies as there was a penny shortage at the time. Copper had taken such a jump in price that it cost more than a penny to mint one and government was considering doing away with the coin. However, that would make collection of

fractional sales taxes difficult to say nothing of outdated books of nursery rhymes like Simple Simon wherein the pie man said, "Show me first your penny."

My companion then mentioned an experiment in which three cities in Ohio had joined in experimenting with a cashless society. All businesses had their cash registers tied into a central bank computer. Purchases were instantly charged to one's account as soon as he gave his number. No checks to write and the receipt from the register your record to check bank statements by. Direct deposit was just coming into vogue.

We discussed convenience of not making change, nobody being robbed if nobody handled cash, not even charges for overdrafts because if one bought too much that computer connected cash register would flash a red light.

On a sudden mean notion I stated that economic experts could determine within certain limits when a person was about to overstress his credit if depositors had a

simply being stretched out over a longer period of time and usually at the same rate of interest or more than they are currently paying on credit cards.

Since the consolidation loan pays off the original creditors, people may also be tempted to continue spending on credit cards, piling new bills on top of the old, cautions the specialist.

To avoid the same problem next year, the family economics specialist offers several suggestions:

- After you have paid this year's debt, start setting aside some money each month for holiday expenses.
- Evaluate this year's expenses and find ways to reduce them next year. For example, you may decide to cut back on the number of expense of gifts or reduce travel.
- Find alternatives to spending money, such as making gifts or planning "free" entertainment like

fairly regular rate of income and a central computer could warn both buyer and seller.

My coffee drinking friend thought that would be great if added to all the other innovations we had been discussing. Business would be more efficient, goods and services cheaper, and people who are unable to separate their needs from their wants would be protected from their own financial ineptitudes.

I suggested that a man might visit a Mercedes dealer and pick a car, the dealer check his computer number and inform him that he should try a Ford dealer because he was selecting a vehicle beyond his logical potential.

My friend agreed that such a computation of a persons total installment obligations related to his ability to meet more would be wonderful.

"Yes," I said, "then when you got to the Ford dealer he would also ask your number and you could either produce the card saying 'I have it right here in my hand' or you might have memorized your number and say 'I have my number right here in my head' and I pointed to my forehead."

"Wait a minute now! That is the mark of the beast!" my coffee buddy cried.

"Sho' nuff," I laughed.

He said he thought that was not nice that I had him agreeing to such a thing. On the other hand, I insisted that I had not intended to outsmart anyone but simply wanted to show that if I could lead him into that in fifteen minutes then what could government do by use of a scientifically orchestrated media campaign?

He departed still hurt and angry and he never sought my company at coffee thereafter. I certainly hope he found a good job rather than that he was still upset with me. I had simply wanted to present a warning, not alienate anyone. I believed my method would be dramatic but maybe I was just WRONG AGAIN.

caroling.

- Spread holiday spending over the year, buying gifts and other items only when they are on sale.

Spalding To Sing In Eastland

Richard L. Spalding of Abilene, vocalist, will present a Concert in the Women's Clubhouse in Eastland on Thursday, March 17, at 7 p.m. The Eastland Music Study Club will sponsor the program, which will be based on the current study called "The World of Musical Comedy."

Spalding will sing from the works of Frank Loesser, Meredith Willson, and Rodgers and Hammerstein. This will be a "Friends of Music" program, and "Friends" and other interested persons are encouraged to attend.

A number of people in this area will remember Mr. Spalding, a man of many talents. The Spaldings (Richard and his wife, Kaye) bought KERC Radio and moved to Eastland in 1959. After selling KERC, he was Administrator of Eastland Memorial Hospital in 1961-62.

From 1973 to Feb. of 1983 Spalding served in various capacities, including the Presidency of Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. Since Feb. of 1983 he has served as President of James P. Dunigan, Inc., an Abilene-based oil and gas ex-

ploration and producing company.

Spalding was the recipient of the 1984-85 Arts Award of the Cultural Affairs Council of Abilene. He was recognized for his efforts with many arts organization, including the Abilene Philharmonic, the Abilene Community Theatre, and as President of the Cultural Affairs Council.

Eastland Music Club members look forward to a special evening on March 17 when Richard Spalding presents his program here.



Richard Spalding, vocalist, will perform in Eastland on March 17.

Eleventh Court of Appeals

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Appeals, Eleventh District of Texas:

AFFIRMED
11-87-179-CV J.C. Manley, Jr. v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Dickinson) Palo Pinto.
11-87-248-CR Johnny Wayne Moore v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Dickinson) Palo Pinto.

REVERSED & REMANDED
11-87-125-CV Cynthia S. Lassiter and Larry R. Lassiter v. James I. Harlan. (Opinion by Judge Dickinson) Dallas.
11-87-225-CV Bonnie Yvonne Fitzhugh and Donna Hatfield v. Associated Indemnity Corporation. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) Palo Pinto.

REVERSED & REMANDED ON AGREED MOTION
11-87-262-CR Martin P. Elizalde v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Eastland.

APPEAL DISMISSED
11-88-030-CR Ex parte Edwin Mcleod Napier. (Per Curiam Order) Eastland.

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED
11-87-125-CV Larry R. Lassiter and Cynthia S. Lassiter v. James I. Harlan. Appellant's motion for substitution of counsel. Dallas.

11-87-164-CR James Allen Reynolds v. State of Texas. Appellant's second pro se motion for extension of time to file brief. Brown.

11-87-217-CR James Lance v. State of Texas. State's motion for permission to file late brief. Taylor.

11-87-244-CR Tommy Valdez v. State of Texas. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file brief. Jones.

11-87-251-CR Michael Don Word v. State of Texas. State's motion for permission to file late brief. Taylor.

11-87-262-CR Martin P. Elizalde v. State of Texas. Agreed motion to reverse and remand case to trial court. Eastland.

11-87-287-CR Raymond Brooklyn Stuart v. State of Texas. State's motion for extension of time to file brief. Eastland.

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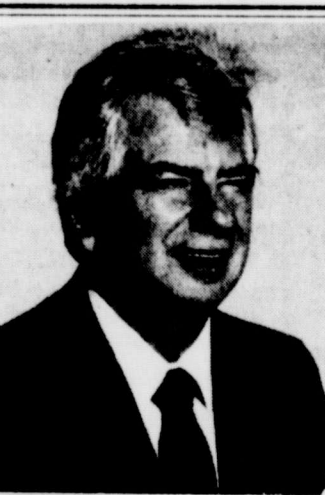
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Thursday, March 10, 1988

HOMES

HOME IN THE COUNTRY on 12.5 acres. 3 bedrooms, includes split master bedroom, 2 baths, den, dining room, and utility room. Ceiling fans, built-ins with microwave, satellite, city water. Call days 629-1321, nights 653-2453. T-104

320 A. most all Kline grass, excellent fences, 1 mi. of creek, big tank, 2 mi. road frontage. \$500 ac.
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3 BR 1 bath rock house, 2 lots, on N. Main, has attached double garage. \$25,000
145 A. SW of Rising Star. Steel corral, excellent fences, 75 Coastal & Ermelo, fine hunting. 1/2 off pavement, low taxes. \$550 ac. 1/4 down.
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RS-105

FOR SALE: Reposed house in TP Camp. For more information call Olney Savings at 647-3277 in Ranger. R-104

FOR SALE: Frame house with 12 acres. Hwy. 80 East, near school. Owner finance. Call 647-1182 or 647-1155 in Ranger. R104

FOR SALE: 87.5 Acres, South of Cisco. 3 bdrm house, out buildings, tanks, partially wooded, deer, trucky. F-M Road, \$600 per acre, some minerals. O/A. 915-692-1396. c-104

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom house in Baird. \$5,000. under appraised price. Fresh paint inside and out. Possible terms. Call 893-2662 after 6:30 p.m. B-52

FOR SALE: 6 year old brick home, 1004 Foch Street, Ranger. 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, central heat/air, one car garage with utility room. FmHA financing available. 817-629-8508, weekdays. T-20

MUST SELL- TAKE LOSS: Two bedroom home with washer room (could be used as 3rd bedroom), garage and extra lot in Cisco. Valued at \$30,000, asking \$17,000. Call Glen Cherryhomes at 314-742-2643 for more information. c-21

3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, brick, central M/A, sale price \$41,000. 711 S. Connellee, Eastland. No downpayment. No closing costs. For more information contact Craig Lund at Olney Savings, 817-629-1723. T52

WILL TRADE: Lake Leon, 3 bedroom frame home, on excellent waterfront lot, for house in Eastland. Call Barbara, agent, 817-629-8391. T26

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HOMES

FOR SALE: 3 BR house on 2 ac. land with 26 pecan trees in Olden, \$32,000. Partly remodeled house on a big lot in Gorman, \$9,000. Side by side ice box freezer, 22 cu. ft., \$200.00. Almost new elect. 230 amp. Forney welder, \$175. New Craftsman 2 stage cutting torch, \$150.00. Call 817-653-2456. T22

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FOR SALE: 10 Assumable mortgage. \$500.00 Equity. 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. \$231.00 a month for 21 more years. For more information call 647-1839 in Ranger. R-21

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HURRY!!! HURRY!!! All 1986 new model homes will be sold for COST!! Unbelievable savings. ART'S II offers the BEST HOUSING VALUES in TEXAS. 5 miles east of Granbury on Hwy. 377, 817-326-2392. c-21

HOUSE FOR SALE: Oakhollow addition, 3 BR, 2 Bath, Fenced, CH/A, Fireplace, office. After 6:00 629-3415. T-23

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Unfurnished house. Two bedroom. Utility room. Carpet and drapes. \$150 month, \$100 deposit. See to appreciate. 404 West 6th, Cisco. Call 817-442-2744 after 6 p.m. or 817-639-2369 days for Sandy. c-20

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, 1 bath frame home, central heat/air. \$250 month. \$250 security deposit. Call Town & Country Real Estate 817-629-8391. T-104

FOR LEASE: Business property, 10,000 sq. ft. Primary School in Cisco, on 2.9 acres. \$200 month, \$200 deposit. (817) 442-1227. C104

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FOR RENT: Clean, spacious 3 bedroom, 1 bath in Cisco. Nice and bright with wood floors, fireplace, garage and well-kept neighborhood. 706 W. 7th. Call 442-1155. C104

FOR RENT: Nice 1 bedroom house, completely furnished or partially, carpet and fenced back yard. No pets. 629-1188. T22

FOR RENT: 2 1/2 bedroom furnished house in Ranger. \$150.00 a month plus half of last month's rent in advance. Call 442-3785, Cisco. C20

FOR RENT: 2, 2 bedroom furnished apts., 1 efficiency apt. Call 647-3883 in Ranger. R-23

RENT ME!! Clean-ready to move in-duplex, 2 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath, all electric appliance provided, large storage area, covered carport, lawn care provided. Call 629-3157 M-F after 4:00 Sat., Sun. all day. T-22

FOR RENT: Cabins by the week or month, utilities furnished, at Ranger Hill Truck Stop. Call 647-3826 in Ranger. R104

HOME FOR LEASE: Large house and 3 acres, near Ranger School. Lease with option to buy. \$250/month. Call 647-1822 in Ranger. R-26

FOR RENT: We have a wide range of apartments and houses. One to fit every need. Furnished or unfurnished by the week or month. Call Darlene Williams first for clean modern living and low, low prices. 629-2805. T104

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HELP WANTED

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COSTAL SPRIGGING. Call Willie Cantwell at 647-1962 in Ranger. R27

NOW TAKING applications for dishwasher and cooks helper. Apply in person Northview Development Center, 401 W. Moss Eastland. T-20

HELP WANTED: Applications are now being accepted for aides, orderlies, LVNs, dietary and director of nurses or RN at Canterbury Villa of Cisco, 1400 Front Street. See LeFerne Terrel, administrator. COLONY PARK APARTMENTS - two bedrooms from \$207.00, unfurnished. Designer decorated, energy efficient with modern appliances, central heat and air. Laundry, large play area. Conveniently located near schools, churches, shopping. Resident Mgr. Family Living at its best in a quiet neighborhood, 500 W. Sadosa, Eastland. 629-1473, Equal Housing Opportunity. C104

HELP WANTED: LVN needed. Apply in person to Lavelle Hallmark, Western Manor Nursing Home, 460 W. Main, Ranger. R104

Eastland Manor Nursing Home is now accepting applications for Food Service Supervisor. Preferably certified. Please apply in person to Peggy Pryor, Adm., at 1405 W. Commerce, Eastland. T104

HELP WANTED: Need man to help with the care of man in wheelchair, mornings and evenings in Cisco. Work includes lifting, bathing and dressing man. 7 days a week. Prefer someone with experience, but not necessary. Call 214-821-2511. c-20

MECHANIC NEEDED: Must have 7 years experience with experience on computer system. Apply at Mangum Service Center, Highway 80 East, Eastland. Applications will not be accepted if not qualified, and call in applications will not be accepted. T-24

FEDERAL, STATE AND CIVIL SERVICE JOBS: Now hiring. Your area. \$13,550 to \$59,480. Immediate openings. Call 1-315-733-6063, ext. F1730. T21

WORK WANTED: College student needs part time work in evenings and on weekends. Have own car. Call 442-1555, ask for Lonnie. c-104

WANT TO BUY: Military medals, insignias, old political buttons, law enforcement badges and other related items. Yesteryear Antiques, 704 Conrad Hilton, Cisco, 442-1974. c-22

DRIVER NEEDED for delivery service. Must be 21 or older and own vehicle. Apply in person Mon. thru Thurs. 4:30 p.m. at Jody's Pizza, Eastland. No Calls. T-22

FRIENDLY CASHIER wanted. Apply in person Taylor Center. T-104

HELP WANTED: Clerk-Typist. The City of Cisco is now taking applications for a part-time civilian clerk-typist for the Police Department. Applicants must be responsible, mature, be able to show initiative and discretion, possess excellent typing and clerical skills, and must pass thorough criminal background investigation. Applications must be turned in to City Hall by March 21, 1988. The City of Cisco is an equal opportunity employer. 21

LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE: Lawn mowing, pruning, trimming, etc. For FREE estimate, call 442-4645. R-24

WORK WANTED: Yard work, small repairs, tree cutting, cleaning and light hauling. Bobby Garrett, 442-2285 or 442-3144. T21

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JOSEPH PORTABLE BUILDINGS. We build all sizes, shapes and prices. Pre-winter specials! (1) Basic sheet iron garage \$695. (2) Basic 8'x16' storage \$399. 629-2805. T104

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 14 ft. Chrysler Dolphin Sail Boat. Call 629-1107 after 5 p.m.

EASTLAND COUNTY Precinct 2 is taking bids on a Caterpillar Motor Grader "Minus" the wheels and tires. Contact Commissioner Norman Christian at 647-1463 or 647-3639 to see machine. Bids to be mailed to Eastland County Judge, P.O. Box 327, Eastland, Texas 76448. Bids to be opened at regular meeting March 14, 1988 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. Eastland County reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids not in the best interest of the county. T-21

FOR SALE: Cross-ties \$3.50 a piece or \$3.00 a piece for 300 or more. Call 647-3736 in Ranger. R-24

FOR SALE: 2 lots, quiet neighborhood, lots of trees. Would like someone to assume payment on 14x80 mobile home. 629-8165. T21

FOR SALE: 1980 Buick Rivera, \$2500. See at Olney Savings, Cisco. For more information, call Patsy Hogan, 442-1605 in Cisco, or Mary Wells, 647-3277 in Ranger. R104

1982 BUICK Century for sale. Call Pat Caraway (639-2545) after 5:00 p.m. T-23

FOR SALE: 14x80 mobile home, no down payment. 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Call after 6 p.m. 653-2210. T-23

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Coastal hay, square bales, \$1.50 in barn, small loads welcome. 893-2975, DeLeon. T26

FOR SALE: 7 1/2 acres, Hwy. 80 East, Ranger. Stock tank, shop building, and old house. Call 915-762-2926, days, or 915-762-2271 nights. R26

FOR SALE: Approximately 83 acres grass and timber, 2 water wells with pump, pecan trees, tank, 20x50 building on slab. Three miles out of Gorman on Kokomo Road, 1/4 mile off Highway. \$55,000. 817-734-2909. T-20

FOR SALE - 1979 Silverado Suburban, Power Steering, Power Brakes, Tilt, Cruise, AM/FM 8-track, 350 V8, 69,000 miles, Running Board. Call 734-2121. T-20

TAKE OVER 5 ACRES. No down. \$49 month. Beautiful trees. Near lake and town. Owner financing: (818) 988-5697. C21

FOR SALE: French white bedroom suite-full 4 poster canopy bed and 6 drawer dresser with mirror \$250. Call 629-8681 after 6 p.m. T-24

FOR SALE: Ford Jubilee Tractor, New paint with 6' Corisican shredder, new gear box, 3 pt. lift, 2 wheel stock trailer, also 2 BR house for rent north Rising Star 629-1652. T-21

HAY FOR SALE: Fertilized coastal \$1.50 per bale in stack. Bright leafy peanut hay in barn \$2.50 per bale. Call 639-2459. T-24

ASSUME PAYMENTS \$179 mo., 1986 16x70 Suncrest, very clean, MUST SELL QUICK!! 2 BR/2 BA Call J.B. 817-326-5861. T-21

FOR SALE: Sears gas range, good condition, \$50.00. See at 1006 Ave. F, Cisco. Call 442-4464. c-20

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FOR SALE: Wheelchair, built-in Kenmore dishwasher; Montgomery Ward 19.2 cu. ft. upright freezer; electric cookstove; and porch swing. Call 442-3242 after 5 p.m., weekdays and anytime on weekends. If no answer keep trying. c-26

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: 1010 E. 10th, Cisco. Clothes, toys, bikes and much more. Nothing over \$5.00. Friday, 8 a.m. until dark. C20

6 FAMILY INSIDE SALE: Tools, glassware, clothes, books, furniture, antiques, table saw and miscellaneous. 9 a.m.-7 p.m. 7306 W. 11th, Cisco. C21

ANTIQUE AND MISC. SALE: Twin tubs and wringer, scale collection, "Tear Drop" cake stand, "Heisey" bowl and platter, Tobacco cutter, quilt, king spread and ruffle, cream separator, hames collector's china and glassware, daisy churn, restored doll buggy, garage full of stuff and things. Thursday and Friday, March 10 and 11. 804 Ridge Lane, Eastland. T-20

GARAGE SALE at 505 S. Marsh, across street from cemetery in Eastland, March 11 and 12 from 9:00 to 5:00. Ladies Jr. clothes sizes 7-8, some baby clothes and misc. T-23

GARAGE SALE: 913 Oddie Street (across from St. Rita's Catholic Church) in Ranger, Saturday & Sunday, March 12 & 13th, from 8:00 a.m. til ? Some furniture, fruit jars, canning cooker, lamps, and odds & ends. R-21

GARAGE SALE: March 11, 503 East 21st, Cisco. 8-6. Clothes all sizes and lots of decorations. Judy Cozart. T-20

RUMMAGE SALE: Thurs.-Fri. March 10 and 11. Clothes, odds and ends, United Pentecostal Church at back. 206 N. Dixie, Eastland. T-20

LARGE GARAGE SALE: 5hp Roto-Tiller, bass boat with GT 150hp motor, chain saw, one man boats, trolling motors, 7.5hp boat motor, portable stock pen, feeding and watering troughs, gates, two wheel trailer, lots and lots of miscellaneous. One mile south of Cisco on Rising Star Highway. March 12-13. 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. daily. C21

EMH's "Something Special" features gently worn clothing and gift items. Open 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. Located 109 E. Main, Eastland. All proceeds benefit the hospital. R-24

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE: BRANGUS BULLS. Call 647-1155 or 647-1182 in Ranger. recrsb104

FOR SALE: Angus Bulls. Call James W. Ratliff at 647-1260 or 647-1667 in Ranger. R20

MISCELLANEOUS

ADDRESSES NEEDED: Cisco High School Class of 1968. If you can locate any member of the CHS Class of '68 for our upcoming 20 year reunion, please send the address ASAP to: Ann Wright Meyer; 6918 Kenwhite; Dallas, Texas, 75231. We'd also like to hear from teachers who were at CHS during 65-68. c-40

NOTICE: Charles Hatten Roofing Co., Commercial and Residential. Composition shingle, hot topping and metal, wood and T-locks. Free estimates. References. New work guaranteed. Eastland County resident 15 years. 801 W. 9th, Cisco, 442-4607. C25

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FOR SALE: Antique glass and furniture and other collectibles. "We Buy Estates." The House of Antiques, 908 S. Bassett, Eastland, Texas. Open every day.

MOBILES

TRADE-INS WANTED! Trade in your old Mobile Home for a New Home at Art's Oak Creek Village. We need your used home. Early, Tx. 915-643-3608.

CHILD CARE

LICENSED child care 24 hours in my home. 629-2879. T22

THANK YOU

CARD OF THANKS
To the Church of Christ members and friends who brought food that was not labeled or accounted for, we appreciate your thoughtfulness.
The Family Of Major Notgrass

CARD OF THANKS
For the lovely flower arrangements and food that was sent by our neighbors, you're expression of sympathy is greatly appreciated.
Vina Notgrass
Hazel Burrows
Sue Brown

We would like to express our gratitude for the flowers, food, prayers and acts of kindness shown us at the passing of our husband, father and grandfather, George Lowrance. Thanks to the doctors, Eastland Memorial Hospital staff, congregation of Mesquite Street Church of Christ and Gary Montgomery. Carrie Lowrance
Gary Lowrance and family
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dobbs and family
Mr. and Mrs. Willis Rainwater and family

We would like to thank everyone for their thoughts, prayers, and offers of help that we received during the past four months. We would also like to thank the ladies from the First Methodist and First Baptist Churches for providing us with a meal.
Words to fully express our appreciation are hard to find, but to each of you - a most heartfelt THANK YOU.
The Family of Ann Reed

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Lights From The Christian World

By Josephine Cleveland

I think I can trace the cause of all the times when I was overwrought to my simple unbelief.

How can I fret when I know my past is forgiven? How can I doubt when I know Jesus' helpfulness is adequate for every desert experience? How can I waver when I know there is hope for my future as I abide in Christ?

God never changes when my mood changes. He never wavers when I stagger. God gave us the stars, His beckoning lights, to remind us that with Him there is no variability.

He is infinite and I finite. I will never understand His ways nor His thoughts: for He is God.

Unbelief is full of "whys," but faith has one answer to the "whys," and that answer is - GOD. We walk by faith and it is required of us that we "ask" in faith; for God has made faith a condition for our receiving. Did not God honor Rehab's faith when she received the spies who were sent to spy out the land? Did not the walls of Jericho fall when with faith the men circled the walls

seven days? Did not Moses and the Israelites pass through the Red Sea on dry ground because they dared to believe God?

God honors our faith and assures us of our reward. One totally believing individual can "move a mountain." Will you not be the one in the providence of God who believes that "with God all things are possible" (Matthew 19:26)?

Programs Set On Estate Taxes

COLLEGE STATION--Farmers and ranchers have been concerned for years about high taxes that erode their estates. Thus the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is planning four educational programs across the state to address that concern.

Two-day seminars are planned as follows: Sheraton Hotel, Tyler, March 21-22;

Sheraton Hotel, Amarillo, March 28-29; Rudder Center, Texas A&M University, College Station, April 7-8; and Holiday Inn, McKinney, April 11-12.

"The seminars will help farmers and ranchers learn how to reduce taxable estates," points out Dr. Wayne Hayenga, Extension Service economist. "They also will learn new methods

for passing their operations to the next generation without burdens on taxes and administrative procedures."

Each seminar will begin with a discussion on estate taxes, including deductions, expenses and tax rates.

Basic estate planning devices will be explained in depth. Among these are wills, by-pass trusts, gifts, disclaimers and property titles.

"Relating estate plans to income tax savings can be of even greater benefit than just a single plan," notes Hayenga. "In fact,

sometimes income tax savings over many years can even be greater than estate tax savings for people with commercial-sized farm and ranch businesses."

A separate segment of the program will deal with treating beneficiaries fairly, a critical concern when there is a farm or ranch in the family and only some of the heirs want to run it, says Hayenga.

Another discussion will center on estate planning tools for agriculture, including corporations, partnerships and selling part of the business to heirs.

The second day of each program will be devoted to special estate tax rules for agriculture. These include special farm land valuation, deferred estate tax payment rules, life insurance, "flower" bonds and other property.

"Estate planning is a step toward reduced taxes," points out Hayenga. "This process should start when you plan to inherit substantial property, when you have an active and growing business, when you still have time to take tax-saving actions, when you have minor children, and when your children marry or divorce."

For more detailed information about the seminars, contact any county Extension office or Hayenga in the Department of Agricultural Economics, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843; phone: (409) 845-2226.

Investigate Before Buying Timeshares

COLLEGE STATION--This time of the year thoughts turn to planning a family vacation at the beach, mountains or lake - and finding a way to afford it.

A timeshare, or purchasing a unit in a resort area for use a specific week every year is a good solution for some families, says Bonnie L. Piernot, a consumer

economics specialist.

"Especially for larger families, a timeshare may be much less costly than comparable hotel or motel rooms, mostly because you can accommodate more people and eat more meals at home rather than in restaurants," she says.

"No matter how attractive the deal, however, consumers should carefully investigate before buying a timeshare," cautions the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economist.

Piernot says it's most important to know what kind of timeshare you're buying. An ownership, or "interval" timeshare, gives you a simple interest in the property, providing title, deed and title insurance. You can sell your share of the property, will it or give it away.

"Right-to-use" timeshare offers no equity in the property. You're given the right to use a specific unit for a certain period of time, after which possession reverts to the developer. This type of timeshare may also be called a vacation license, lease or club membership, she explains.

"Contests and gifts have been used to induce people to visit a site where unscrupulous sellers then apply heavy pressure," the specialist says.

"Texas laws protect consumers by allowing a 3-day cooling off period, during which a buyer who did not actually visit the timeshare unit or a comparable unit can cancel a contract and get a refund," notes Piernot. "However, if you plan on

buying outside Texas, check with the State Attorney General's office in the other state, since regulations vary."

Before signing a timeshare contract, the consumer specialist suggests you figure your total costs, including interest to be paid for financing and annual maintenance fees.

"In general, time shares should not be purchased as

an investment, since resale is often difficult and may bring 30-40% less than the original price," she advises.

Piernot also warns consumers to avoid buying a timeshare on impulse. "Make sure it's a resort area you want to visit year after year and that you really will be getting your money's worth, by comparing the availability and cost of simply renting a vacation unit."

Hospital Report

Eastland Memorial

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

Bernice M. Stephen
Kathryn Laura Simpson
Francis E. Bullock, Sr.
Terry Jane Roberson
Lonnie Thelma Rasberry
Randall Clarence Finley
Pauline T. Skinner
J.C. Poe
Velma F. McCrary
Cleo Davis
Roland Price Hall
Steve G. Howeth
Baby Boy Roberson

Letter To The Editor

ABOUT THE EDITOR

The editor is a most responsible person. At times he is even responsible for telling his readers what they honestly don't want to hear. But not too often, lest they flee to a more comfortable place, like a church where a preacher stresses assurance and never mentions sin.

The editor is sometimes a doctor for writers. He tries to prevent hoof-in-mouth disease so hazardous to the writer's well being. He may even abort a brain child and toss a bit of inept or deformed scribbling into the "round file" beside his desk.

He is Chief Cook as he tries to serve up something to the public taste.

He is bread winner for more than his own family because he must succeed if the entire staff is to make a living.

He is not only responsible for about everything from material shortages, defects, typographical errors and hurt feelings to law suits and failure to foretell what the public needs to know.

He doesn't need Harry Truman's sign on his desk to tell him where the buck stops. Thank him when things run smooth as silk for a long period?

Heck no. That is the way he is supposed to keep it.

I prefer to cooperate with the government not just because it is the law but I find it impossible to return the census of agriculture form by Feb. 1 this year chiefly because it did not arrive until Feb. 18. But, gee, how I wish I could turn back the clock and calendar as that would require to comply. However, I would hardly stop at going back 18 days.

With thousands less farms each year, it should cost far less to conduct the census of agriculture but I wouldn't bet a plugged nickel on it.

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Corinth Baptist Church
King And Queen

The fourth annual Valentine's Fellowship for Corinth Baptist Church was held at the Church Fellowship Hall on Wednesday, February 17, 1988. The gala affair was sponsored and hosted by the Fellowship Committee: Marsha Beesley, Sharon Davis, Joan Ferguson, Peggy Hagan, Merle Reed and Venita Smith.

The Valentine Sweetheart King and Queen for Corinth Baptist Church for 1988 are Roy and Venita Smith. They were crowned by 1987 King Benny Thompson. The incoming Queen was crowned "Queen Venita, Sweetheart of Corinth". The incoming King was crowned "King Roy, Charmer of Corinth".



The outgoing Queen Martha and King Benny Thompson extend congratulatory wishes to the incoming King and Queen for a spirit filled 1988 reign. In her coronation address, Queen Venita said "The greatest gift that you

can give one another is yourself." 1988 is a special year for Corinth Baptist Church. The congregation and community will celebrate its 100 Anniversary in December 1988. Benny Hagan is pastor of Corinth Baptist Church.

"For Keeps" To Show
At Majestic Theatre

The cinematic population explosion continues. However, unlike "Three Men and a Cradle" and "Baby Boom," "For Keeps" makes its characters go through the messy inconvenience of actually giving birth, and the result is a much richer, more affecting film than its predecessors.

Darcy and Stan (Molly Ringwald and newcomer Randall Batinkoff) are teenage sweethearts expecting an uneventful final year of high school, until Darcy realizes that she's expecting something else. Suddenly, their futures are completely changed as they contemplate how to handle this crisis.

romantic comedy. The film's success is due primarily to a sensitive cast and a well-crafted screenplay by Tim Kazurinsky and Denise DeClue. As in their previous collaboration, "About Last Night," Kazurinsky and DeClue excel in presenting carefully observed slices of life and infusing their fairly ordinary characters with enough idiosyncrasies to keep them from lapsing into cliches. They also take pains to dramatize the seriousness of Stan and Darcy's plight, although the story's unabashedly romantic ending may still bring complaints that the film encourages teen pregnancy.

Ringwald continues to mature into a very fine actress, and she's supported well by this cast. Batinkoff's performance is unencumbered by the ties we've come to expect from most of today's young actors, so he comes across as just an average guy. This trait works especially well opposite Ringwald's natural ease on camera.

An Ex-Con Talks To Teens
In "Twice Pardoned" Film

"Twice Pardoned," a new "must-see" film presentation created especially for teenagers, examines the destructive ways in which many young people try to cope with the pains and pressures of growing. It will be shown March 13, 1988 at 7:00 p.m. (part I) and March 20, 1988 at 6:00 p.m. (part II) at First Baptist Church, 405 S. Seaman.

loved. Speaking from personal experience, he explains how feelings of inferiority can make them vulnerable to peer pressure. He also shares, in a down-to-earth manner, some of the tragic consequences of his wrong choices.

"Twice Pardoned" has been enthusiastically endorsed by noted family psychologist and best-selling author Dr. James Dobson. "I have never seen a more powerful message for teens," Dobson said. "Every young person in America needs to see these films."

don by Georgia Governor George Busbee on March 15, 1981. Morris' first book, Twice Pardoned: An Ex-Con Talks to Parents and Teens, has ranked near the top of Christian best-seller lists since its release in June 1986 by Focus on the Family Publishing.

WORD of GOD

Repent!

Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Acts 2:38

Tournament
To Be Held
At Lake Cisco

ENRE and United Energex of Cisco are planning a Carp Tournament to be held Saturday and Sunday, April 9-10, at Lake Cisco.

The tournament will start at 12 noon on Saturday, and the weigh-in will be at 3 p.m. on Sunday at The Point at Lake Cisco.

Cost will be \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 16. There will be a \$1.00 Calcutta for big fish in both divisions.

Entry forms are available at Enre Corporation, Quickway Grocery, Dixon Auto Supply, Ted & Rex's One Stop, and Cisco Pump.

To receive entry forms by mail, call 442-1045 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., or 442-1603 or 442-1619 after 6 p.m. All entries must be in by 12 noon Saturday, April 9.

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Eastland County 4-H News

The 4-H Rabbit Showman-ship Clinic and Contest was a huge success with 50 members and parents in attendance.

Shelly Rogers, accomplished 4-H Showman from Stephens County, presented the program. She covered how to prepare the rabbits for show, what the judge would look for and how

to select a market and breeding rabbit.

The day was topped off with a Showmanship Contest. Ms. Rogers stated that she had a tough time deciding on a Champion Showman; however, when the fur settled, Kari Schuyler, 4-H member from Cisco received the top honor.

The Eastland County 4-H Council and Adult Leaders and Parents Association will have a taco supper in conjunction with their regularly scheduled meeting on Saturday, March 12, 1988. It will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the TU Reddy Room in Eastland. Taco meat and shells will be provided; however,

everyone is asked to bring their favorite topping. Finger foods and desserts are also welcome. The business meetings will follow the supper. All parents are asked to attend!

4-H member, Eric McDonald and mother, Barbara, of the Ranger 4-H Club will attend the 4-H Photography Workshop slated for March 12th, at the State 4-H Center in Brownwood. They will be involved in sessions covering the techniques of photography, including darkroom procedures.

The workshop is being sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service along with Eastman Kodak Company.

If you or someone you know would like to attend this workshop, please call 629-1093.

Open Auditions To Be Held At Cisco

Carol Price Brown, director of theatre at Cisco Junior College, announces open auditions for several principal roles in THE KING AND I. THE KING AND I will be the final production of the 1988 summer dinner theatre season and requires three featured female singers and one male singer. Although the production also requires 30 children, 20 chorus women and 10 chorus men and dancers, those roles will be auditioned in early June.

Roles open for audition are Anna Leonowens, the schoolteacher who goes to Siam to teach the king's children, Lady Thiang, the king's favorite wife, Tupim, the young princess from Burma and Lun Tha the

essary from Burma who is in love with Tupim. The women's roles have a second soprano/soprano range and the male role is a tenor.

Dr. Thomas Soai of Sam

Houston State University in Huntsville, will perform the role of the King. He is remembered in this area for his 1986 portrayals of Dracula in COUNT DRACULA and Daddy Warbucks in ANNIE.

Any area community person or student interested in being considered for these

roles should contact Carol Brown by March 10 in order to arrange an audition time. The audition will consist of singing and reading from the script. Person's interested in being considered should be available from July 1. The production runs August 5-13 at the Hilton Community Center.

Mr. And Mrs. June Hogue To Travel To Denison To Participate In Play

With the help of Olney Savings of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. June Hogue of Clyde, members of the Cisco Junior College Drama Department will travel to Denison to participate in a play festival. The Texas Junior College Speech and Theatre Association Festival, last year held in Temple, hosts 10 junior and community college plays in a festival atmosphere this year. The donors assistance will allow seven students to compete and audition in Denison this year.

Cisco Junior College's entry, GOING TO SEE THE ELEPHANT by Karen Hensel, marks the second time Cisco Junior College has been represented. The production features Jana Sitton Spangler as Belle Wheeler,

Sandy Mazel as Sara Wheeler, Cecelia Aragon as Etta Bailey, Stefanie Tankersley as Helen Nichols and Lonnie Betts as Frederick Nichols. Directed by Carroll Price Brown, Mr. Betts also serves as stage manager. David Luna has written original music for the production and will travel with the company to perform his music live with the performance.

The Texas Junior College Speech and Theatre Association Festival also provides an opportunity for sophomore students to audition for representatives of senior colleges. Miss Aragon, Mr. Betts and Mr. Luna will audition Friday, March 4 at the Grayson County College campus.

GOING TO SEE THE ELEPHANT will compete Saturday, March 5 in Denison at 12:30 p.m. It will also be Cisco Junior College's spring dinner theatre offering and will run from April 11-16 at the Hilton Community Center.

Lakewood Recreation Center

L.E. Allen, president of Lakewood Recreation Center, on State Highway 36, midway between Cross Plains and Rising Star, announces that during March and April, there will be no initiation fee for new members.

"Just begin paying the \$20 monthly dues is all that's required," he says.

All facilities of the club, including golf, fishing, picnicking and ladies activities are offered in the two-month deal.

Persons interested in possibly joining the recreational facility are being invited to look the place over, view numerous recent improvements and leave the first month's fee with either Mr. or Mrs. John Roberts at the Pro Shop.

Thursday, March 10, 1988

Fishing Outdoors

By Terry Wilson

As water temperatures on area lakes begin climbing into the 50° range, more bass move shoreward to absorb the heat and cash in on the growing food supply.

Warmer water is a definite key, the backs of sun-baked coves could be as much as 10° warmer than the main lake and the bass in these areas are experiencing a healthier appetite.

During this time one of my favorite baits is a spinner. Retrieves can be quickened to a more moderate pace, but don't expect those lunkers to chase one moving like a bullet yet.

Try casting beyond stick-ups, logs, stumps or weed patches and use a steady retrieve past the cover. Sometimes it pays to even bump your spinner into the cover to entice that lunker into biting.

Often times, larger fish prefer something other than a straight retrieve. For this reason, learn several variables to try next time out. As always the key to success is often trying something different, be flexible.

Dropping a spinner bait is probably the hottest big-bass techniques when fishing one at this time of year. Timing and concentration are a must. After casting beyond the intended cover, bring the spinner bait back to the edge and stop it, allowing the lure to free-fall. The rod tip should be lowered as the lure drops, so that the bait will fall straight. Maintain only a small amount of tension to detect light strikes.

Next time out we will be

bringing you an updated list of tournaments scheduled in our area. If you know or have any events you would like listed, please contact me before Thursday. Till next cast, remember it's not just cast, remember it's not just cast and release, but "Live Release."

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News From Canterbury Villa

By MAE GREEN

The monthly birthday party was hosted by the Industrial Art Club. Everyone was served angel food cake and ice cream. Birthday honorees were Edith Curry, Mary Cooper, Edna Hightower and Alma Berger. It was a lovely party.

Pastor Urban and several WMW women of Redeemer Lutheran Church conduct Wednesday morning sing-along and Bible study.

Pastor Deadman and wife Joyce conduct a sing-along and Bible study.

The Lonnie Hood Ministry provides a movie for the residents' pleasure.

Mary Cooper, Beulah, Chief Bender, Clara Horton and Herman Barron visited Senior Citizen for lunch. They enjoy going to Senior Citizen. They get a chance to visit with friends and old acquaintances, sometimes former neighbors.

The residents look forward to the Senior Citizens Rhythm Band and Monday Night Gospel Singers, also. The Rhythm Band plays at the nursing home the last Friday night of each month.

Gracie Hamilton is home from the hospital. Ida Schaefer, Cleo Bell and Imogene Fehl are still in the hospital. If you have a chance stop by for a visit.

Betty Jordan and Jackie Simmons won the friendliest smile certificates for the month of February. Betty is working as a nurses' aide and going to Cisco Junior College, studying to be an R.N. Jackie is our all around maintenance man.

Thanks to Margaret Whitlams and Madeline Stewart for the valentines. Also thanks to Carolyn's Florist for the beautiful

flower arrangements.

Churches scheduled to visit the home for February were: Church of Christ, Word of Life, Calvary Baptist, First Christian and First Assembly of God. If you're unable to conduct services on your scheduled date, please try to get someone to fill in for you. Thank all of you and God bless.

Bible verse of the month: "Thou, Lord... hast laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the works of thine hands. Hebrews 1:10.

Mrs. Mobley Is Honored With Birthday Tea

Mrs. J. S. (Ada) Mobley was honored with a tea celebrating her 95th birthday on February 7 in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilson, in Houston.

The tea table was laid with a sheer linen cloth with a silver epergne of small white daisy mums mixed with pink carnations. A birthday sheet cake frosted with pink and white peonies, tea sandwiches, nuts and mints were served. The silver coffee service and silver punch bowl completed the table.

For this most special occasion, the honoree wore a hyacinth blue silk dress with a yellow rose corsage sent by a granddaughter.

Eighty-nine guests attended and enjoyed the event. Among the guests was Mrs. Annalee Brunkenhoefer, a former Cisco resident. Ada said she only wished all her Cisco friends could have joined her at this time.

Vietnam Women's Memorial To Decorate Veteran's Memorial

Representative Albert Bustamante has been lauded for his support of a House Bill authorizing a statue of a female veteran be erected at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, D. C.

In expressing satisfaction with his action, Jess Johnson, volunteer for the Vietnam Women's Memorial Project, noted, "Everyday, popular support is growing for offering formal recognition to the women who served during the Vietnam War."

"Too long forgotten, the more than 250,000 women who served their country during those difficult years need the kind of national recognition and honor that this statue represents, and which male veterans have received," said Johnson.

The proposed legislation authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to select a site for the statue on the grounds of the Washington park which now includes the black granite wall inscribed with the names of all the men and women who lost their lives in Vietnam and the statue of three infantrymen representing all the men who served there.

A similar bill has already been introduced in the Senate with hearings on the matter beginning in February.

Johnson explained why Congressional action is necessary. "The Vietnam Women's Memorial Project has been working for four years to get approval for this statue. We have patiently and systematically plowed through every level of bureaucracy. Then last fall, the VWMP reached the Commission of Fine Arts, whose job is to advise the government on public structures. They turned us down. We need Congress to pass a law to override that decision."

The Fine Arts Commission rejected the statue proposal on the grounds that it would set a precedent for other

"special interest groups" who might wish to be represented, disrupt the existing artistic balance of the memorial, and not contribute to the stated objectives of the VWMP.

In response, the Project has noted that the Memorial was dedicated to "the men and women of the armed forces of the United States who served in the Vietnam War." Since the Vietnam Veterans Memorial is land dedicated specifically to honoring the Vietnam veterans it is the most appropriate location for recognizing the female Vietnam veteran, according to Johnson.

"Further more, since the Memorial is dedicated in part to women, they should not be considered a special interest group," stated Johnson. "If the men are physically represented by the statue of the three infantrymen the women should be represented in a similar fashion."

Now the Project needs individuals who support the statue to make their voices heard in Washington, says Johnson. "We're asking everyone we know to write, or call, their senators and representatives, sign petitions - anything to convince the people on Capitol Hill that the statue is what their constituency wants."

Citizens are urged to write their representatives in support of HR 3628 at the U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. 20515. Letters to senators endorsing S. 2042 should be sent to the U. S. Senate, Washington, D. C. 20510.

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Moran News By Mrs. Luke Huskey

Roger Bean is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Maezell Crocker.

Moran and community received some much needed rain last Wednesday. About 2/10 of an inch fell, but much more is needed. The grain is beginning to look bad from the lack of moisture. On Thursday, the weather was cold, so a varied weather conditions exist, with the wind blowing from the south on Monday.

If you are in Moran, drive by the First Christian Church Building and see the new roof that was put on the building last week. This is a very good start for restoring the building, which has been bought by the Moran Historical Society for the future site of the Moran Historical Museum. Much more work will have to be done on the building, but the roof is a start, with the cleaning up to come as can be done.

BEER ELECTION
The beer election held in Moran last Monday was defeated by a vote of 153-102. A total of 255 votes were cast including the absentee votes. The election was held Monday, Feb. 29, 1988, at the Moran Community Center.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dill of Dublin were greeting friends in Moran last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Dill are former residents of Moran.

James T. Matthews received treatment in the Eastland Hospital last week.

Mrs. Wilbur Mitchell is receiving treatment in Humana Hospital, Abilene.

Mrs. Lometa Walls is visiting friends in Hurst and Irving this week.

Prosper Walker of Belton visited with his mother, Mrs. L. L. Walker, Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Baker of Longview is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. L. L. Walker. Mrs. Walker had the misfortune of falling last Wednesday and hurt her shoulder, but fortunately, no broken bones.

Mrs. Margaret Schooler and John attended the funeral of their nephew and cousin, David Harris, in May last Thursday.

Funeral for Mrs. Beatrice Rannels of Fort Worth, formerly of Moran, was held

in Abilene Monday. She was a sister of H. D. Connolly of Moran.

Mrs. Margaret Schooler and John spent the weekend in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Curville and Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Huskey III and granddaughter, P.J., of Big Spring spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Alvin Huskey, and other relatives.

Frances Green spent the weekend in DeSoto with her daughter, Mrs. Jerry Mcoughlin, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hill of Austin spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Arnold.

The Moran School children will have a spring break starting March 28 through April 1, with classes to resume on April 4. People are asked to be on the watch for the children on spring break, as they will be out for a week and be playing around, so be on the look-out for them.

Mrs. J. R. King and Mrs. Mildred Smith attended the funeral for their brother and brother-in-law, Willard Smith, in Bangs last Thursday.

Mr. Smith, 60, passed away in a Temple Hospital on Thursday. He was raised in Moran, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garrett of San Angelo spent the weekend in Moran with relatives.

Mrs. Morris Snyder is able to drive her car after falling last fall and breaking her hip.

Mrs. Cleve Collinsworth was brought home from the Cisco Hospital Sunday.

Remember the Moran School trustee election and the Moran City election. Anyone wishing to have their name on either ballot can contact the Moran Business Office at the school for the trustee election, or the City Secretary for the Moran City election. The elections will be held on Saturday, May 7.

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Social and Business Meeting Held For East Cisco Baptist

The Faithful Workers Sunday School Class of East Cisco Baptist Church held their quarterly social and business meeting Thursday, March 8, 1988, at 7 p.m. in the Educational Building of the church.

The hostesses for the salad supper were Marie Brock and Omalee Holdridge. They had the tables set and decorated when the ladies arrived.

All present formed a "Circle of Love" around the table, repeated the watchword, Psalms 19:14, and were led in prayer by Doris Crutchfield.

After the delicious meal, Omalee gave the devotional of "Faith and Hope." Bible references on faith were Heb. 11:1 and 11:6, James 1:5-6 and Eph. 2:8, and on hope Psalms 42:11, First Peter 1:21 and First John 3:3.

After the devotional was finished, the business meeting started.

The old business included a report from Omalee Holdridge and Marie Ivie that they, on behalf of the class, delivered a plant to Leona Morton in memory of Mrs. Ida Morton, Leona's mother-in-law. The next item concerned canned goods collected by the class

to help the needy during the holidays. They didn't get a name of anyone to help, so it was decided to give the food to the church kitchen to be used as the church hostesses deemed necessary.

The new business was "Project Easter" for residents of Canterbury Villa Convalescent Home. Bonnie Ervin and Doris Crutchfield brought illustrations of some lovely handmade items the class could make. After several suggestions and ideas were exchanged, it was agreed and voted on to meet at Doris' home on March 9 at 2 p.m. to begin work on the project.

When the business was completed, the class again formed a "Circle of Love" and the class teacher, Marie Ivie, dismissed the group with a prayer.

The refreshments served were tossed salad, potato, egg, tuna, mixed fruit, broccoli, cornbread, apricot and strawberry jello salads, deviled eggs, individual strawberry shortcakes with toppings, two kinds of crackers, tea and coffee.

Those attending, other than the hostesses, were Bonnie Ervin, Doris Crutchfield, Marie Ivie, Leona Morton and Jewel Kinard.

Juanita Watson Named To Dean's List At Trinity

Juanita (Lynn) Watson of Cisco has been named to the Dean's List for the 1987 fall semester at Trinity University in San Antonio. Watson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Watson, is a senior. She will graduate with a degree in speech and drama from Trinity.

The Dean's List honors Trinity students who have

earned a grade point average of 3.65 or better while enrolled in a minimum of 15 semester hours. The fall semester Dean's List honored 270 students.

Trinity University, founded in 1869, is an independent university dedicated to excellence in the liberal arts and sciences. Trinity annually enrolls approximately 3,000 students from throughout the United States and numerous foreign countries. The university is primarily undergraduate with master's degrees offered in selected fields. Trinity is related by covenant to the Presbyterian Church, USA.

PUTNAM NEWS

By Rudy Weathermon

Seems like March is coming in like a lamb. Of course it isn't over until midnight and Charlie says a storm is due - so by the time you read this you will know if it was a lamb or lion.

Lois Henderson from Albuquerque, N.M. was buried in the Putnam Cemetery on Tuesday morning. The family met at the Community Center for lunch. She was a former resident of Putnam, went to school and graduated here.

The Putnam Extension Homemakers Club met Tuesday afternoon in the Community Center with county Extension Agent Debbie Christian from San Angelo for the regular monthly meeting. The President, Mrs. Edith Muzny called the meeting to order to ten members and one guest. The program was on communication. Refreshments were served to the following by hostesses Ruby Weathermon and Edith Muzny: Mrs. Evelyn Fry, Ida Mae Waddell, Edith Ivie, Ruth Lindsey, Annie Mae Donaway, Meta Isenhower, Sarah Smith, Debbie Christian and guest Mrs. Mona Leaton.

Our new corner of Putnam is Mrs. Mona Leaton and we want to welcome her. We are always happy to have new comers to our town.

There is still time to sign up to get on the city ballot. Two aldermen and mayor are due to be elected.

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Wanda's Corner by Wanda Hallmark

According to Roy McQueen over at Snyder, students are still pretty much the same despite many technological and scientific advancements.

With mid-semester tests now history, a recent collection of tests answers reveal a continuing flare for innovation and imagination. Here are some examples:

The future tense of "I give" is "you take".

The parts of speech are lungs and air.

The inhabitants of Moscow are call Mosquitoes.

A census taker is a man who goes from house to house increasing the population.

Water is composed of two gins, oxygen, and hydrogen. Oxygen is pure gin. Hydrogen is gin and water.

Define H2O and CO2: H2O is hot water and CO2 is cold water.

A virgin forest is a forest where the hand of man has never set foot.

The general direction of the Alps is straight up.

A city purifies its water supply by filtering the water and then forcing it through an aviator.

The four seasons are salt, pepper, mustard and vinegar.

The people who followed the Lord are called the 12 op-
posums.

The spinal column is a long bunch of bones. The head sits on top and you sit on the bottom.

We do not raise silk worms in the United States because we get your silk from rayon. He is a larger animal and gives more milk.

One of the main causes of dust is janitors.

A scout obeys all to whom obedience is due and respects all duly constipated authorities.

To prevent head colds, use an agonizer to spray in the nose until it drips into the throat.

We have heard reports of people in Cisco hunting rattlesnakes. One young man has been out several times. He is "saving" his snakes to enter in the Sweetwater Rattlesnake Roundup to be held toward the end of the month.

The Breckenridge Rattlesnake Classic was held a couple of weeks ago. One of the snake handlers with the Texas State Diamond Hunters of Granbury was bitten by a rattlesnake on two fingers.

Kenny Wells was treated at the scene and taken to Stephens County Hospital and later released. He is under the care of a plastic surgeon at a Fort Worth hospital. At last report he may lose one of his fingers.

Wells was not bitten during the snake handling demonstrations. Reports are that he was moving a box inside the show pit in preparation of closing down the area for the night when he was struck by one of the rattlesnakes.

Over 2,553 pounds of rattlesnakes were turned in at the Classic. The longest snake was 61 1/2 inches long! And they say to stay calm when you come across a snake! I'm sure it would be easy to stay calm if you saw a monster snake that long, wouldn't it. They said during the demonstrations that if you see a snake, just don't move, because they can't see

very well, and the snake will think you are just a tree or a big rock. But if you move fast they will strike.

Project Graduation will be held again this year for the area graduating high school seniors.

This will be the second year for this fantastic program. Several volunteers are working hard to get everything together to present a safe and happy graduating night for our seniors.

Last year several of the seniors who attended Project Graduation thoroughly enjoyed it. And this year's will be just as great. But they need help.

Fill out the form we have been running in the paper and send it in. It's for our kids.

The Cisco Volunteer Fire Department were called out to 1501 Bullard to extinguish a grass fire last Sunday. Cisco Fireman David Gill said the weather is still so dry that almost anything can start a grass fire. He said with the wind this area has been experiencing lately, it makes it extra dangerous.

Everyone needs to be cautious until we receive some rain to help these conditions.

Sunday was my birthday and it was one of the best ever. My mother cooked a steak dinner for me and my family, and one of my gifts from my in-laws, was a video tape of a Roy Rogers western.

Roy has been my hero since I was old enough to watch TV on Saturday mornings. And I still watch the old Roy Rogers reruns on Saturday mornings. I was telling them about a dream I had when I was about 8 or 9-years old and I was sitting beside Roy on the stagecoach and I felt so important. I told Viola, my mother-in-law, I guess I had taken Gabbie Hayes place as Roy's sidekick for awhile.

Monday morning my Roy Rogers tape wasn't where I had left it. I asked Herrel, my husband, where it was and he said to look behind the right rear wheel of the car. He doesn't share my ideas about Roy.

Another one of my heroes was Annie Oakley. I still have one of her books that I bought when I was a child. Kids had some decent heroes back then, didn't they.

Requirements For Hospital Board Directors

CORRECTION
The following requirements to file for the election of the Cisco Hospital District Board of Directors were inadvertently omitted from the list of requirements in the story printed in the last issue of The Cisco Press.

The requirements are that a person must be a real estate owner and pay taxes in the Cisco Hospital District and as stated, they must also be a registered voter and live in Cisco for at least six months.

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Cisco Elementary School Fourth Six Week's Honor Roll

The honor roll for the fourth six weeks at Cisco Elementary School has been announced by Principal Bob Lindsey as follows:

FOURTH GRADE

"A" Honor Roll

Lori Boersma, Brandon Carlile, Garrett Gerhardt, Kevin Hearne, Holli Mc-

Culloch, Kelly McCulloch, Gabriel Moore, Dietrich Odom, Amanda Saunders, and Kristen Stroebe.

"A-B" Honor Roll
Joel Baker, Crystal

Barnett, James Bates, Marcey Beebe, Stephanie Boyce, Jeremy Castleberry, Crystal Coslett, Joshue Fee, Jason Gary, Ryan Hunt, Shawna Ingram, Bobby Jones, Chris Maples, Sherrie Murphy, Michael Rabb, Christopher Rios, Michael Ritchie, Justin Sneed, Steven Stephens, Wendy Strickland, Leighana Walker, Christopher Ware, and Richard Whitt.

Fourth grade teachers: Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Kirk and Mrs. Maxwell.

FIFTH GRADE

"A" Honor Roll

Chris Gerhardt, Jane Hounshell, Tessie Ingram, Lillian Lewis, Bridget McCulloch, Carrie Roark, Jill Rutledge, Gary Summers, and Larry Wende.

"A-B" Honor Roll

Amanda Cearley, April Duncan, Blyth Dunlap, Tamara Fields, Sheaneeta Fletcher, Jennifer Glover, Jason Glueck, Jason Harris, Wes Hogue, Benjie Honea, Elizabeth Ingram, Heather Lewis, Lanell Lobstein, Rita Morano, Jennifer Myers, Bobbi Jo Nunez, Michael Power, Kevin Prickett, Shalor Pryor, Rebecca Stedum, Heather Thompson, and Oscar Weeks.

Fifth grade teachers: Mrs. Bassham, Mrs. Clark, and Mrs. Schaefer.

SIXTH GRADE

"A" Honor Roll

Amy Anderson, Stacy Boersma, Kerstin Gerhardt, Lucinda Harris, Brody Honea, Ann Hounshell, Sandra Ingram, Andrew Moore,

Anna Odom, Stephen Reich, Ginger Rhyne, Ronnie Sims, Micah Stone, Shane Thompson, and Annie Wright.

"A-B" Honor Roll

Daniel Bray, Carrie Conger, Stacy Doty, Tommy Edwards, Dustin Ferguson, Matt Howard, Linda Jer-nigan, Carrie Kearney, Brandon Lacy, Brent Lee, Jeff McCoy, Brenda McFadin, Adam Montgomery, Amenda Palacio, Veronica Patton, Reagan Pence, Ladena Rogers, Matt Schaefer, Mendi Senterfitt, Debbie Skinner, Jason Ware, Stacy Watson, Connie Weiser, David Williams, Dusty Wood, and Kevin Ziehr.

Sixth grade teachers: Mrs. Cearley, Mrs. Choate, Mr. Denison and Mrs. Zell.

Area Scrabble Players Invited to Join New Club

Thursday, March 3, Scrabble Players Club 321, met with 13 members present. High average for the night went to Gloria Turner and David Whitehead, who tied for first with 350 points per game. George Gallegos was second with an average of 340 and Randy Taylor third with 307 points per game.

Gloria Turner, director of the Cisco Scrabble Club said, "If you are at least 13-years

of age and like to play, or want to learn to play, you are welcome to attend the club meetings. There are no dues and no officers." She added, "We do play by the official Scrabble Players Rules and use the official Scrabble Players dictionary."

Members of the Cisco Scrabble Club are, Gloria Turner, director, Ginny Taylor, director, Randy Taylor, Andy Taylor, Betty

Taylor, David Whitehead, Charley Cole, George Gallegos, Cam Webb, Cindy Webb, Margaret Webb, Imogene Pogue, Russell Pogue, Dorcas Sittton, Carolyn Page, Rebecca Walker, Helen Hounshell, Gloria Dopson, Jeanne Jamison, Evelyn McGuire, Pat Owens, Audie Bowers, Louie Taylor, Billy Joe Taylor, Liz Murphy, Jessica Cater and Beryle Estes.



NEW COPIER-- The Cisco Chamber of Commerce will be able to make plenty of copies now that their new Minolta Copier has arrived. The copier was delivered last week by Jim Dollar of Steven Company. Shown in the above photo are (Left to right) Don Shepard, CofC manager, Emma Watts, CofC president, Jim Dollar and Helen Gaeta, Chamber secretary. (Staff photo, courtesy of Cotton's Studios)

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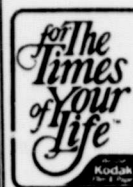
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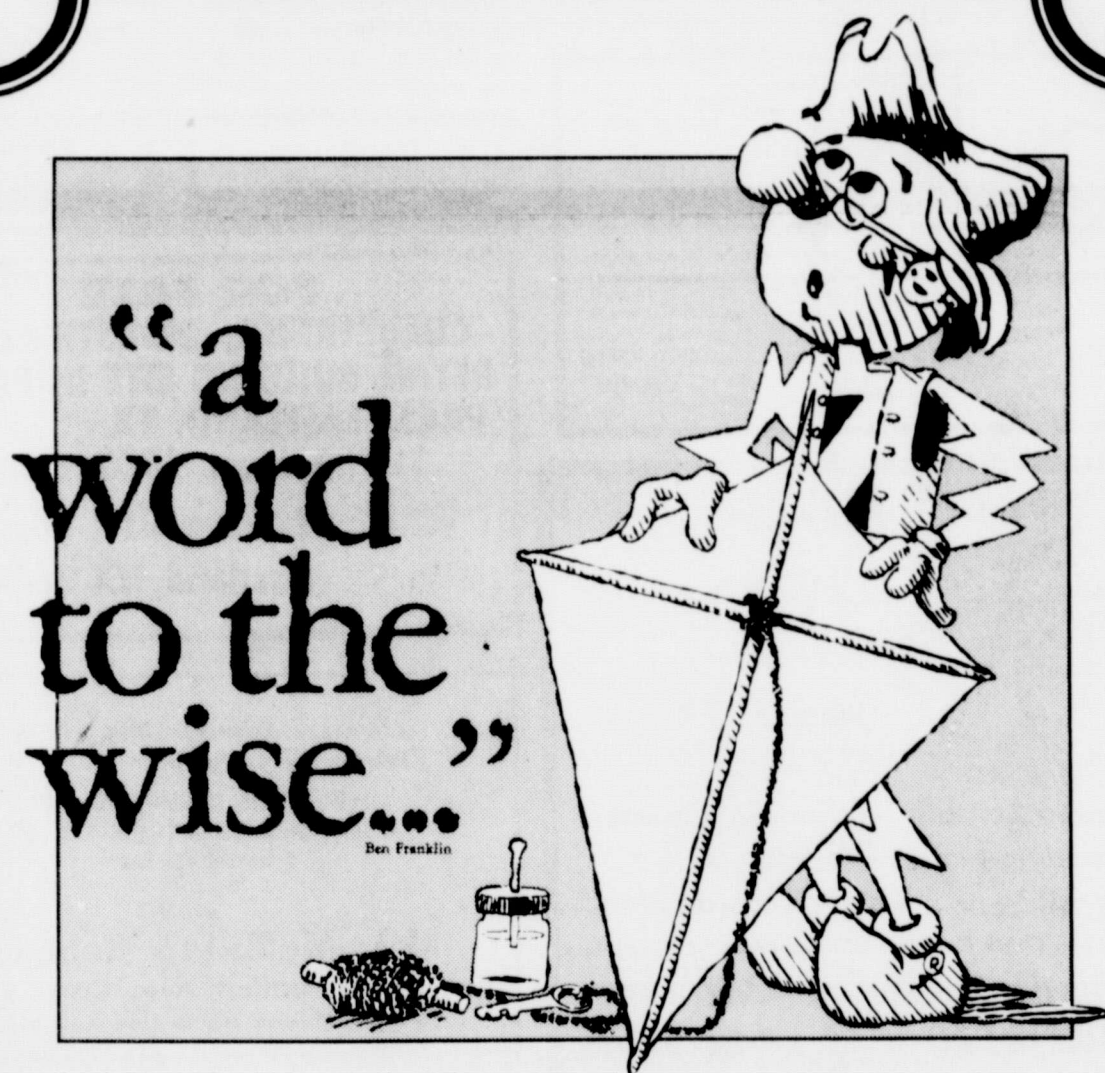
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- ☐ Always fly kites on dry, clear days, remember, wet string will conduct electricity.
- ☐ Always fly kites in open areas FAR FROM ELECTRIC POWER LINES and avoid busy streets and highways.
- ☐ Always call WTU if your kite gets snagged in a power line; do not pull on the string to retrieve it.

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Remember: Kite flying should be fun, please keep it safe.