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INTRODUCTION

Running in 3K or 4K of memory, TEXT EDITOR 21 is a COSMAC VIP's answer to the text editing capabilities of the "big boys". There are video boards on the market costing more than your computer - that don't have the features of this simple piece of software.

TEXT EDITOR 21 gives you auto scrolling; up to six pages, sixteen lines by sixteen characters; underline cursor, and tape read/write routines so you don't need to reset the computer to record and play back data.

Characters are normally entered from left to right, with your cursor performing an automatic carriage return at the end of the lines. Typing past the last line on any page will trigger a scroll up operation - additional text is then typed in on the bottom line. Any page may be shown in any order. Even reverse video, black on white, is provided. You can turn off the cursor. You have over 1500 characters of storage in a 4K system, including lower case letters. Practically the whole ASCII set is here! (The only missing characters are the "@" and the "&" - because I could not construct them within a 3 x 5 area.)

So why the name "TEXT EDITOR 21"? Because that's how many functions you have at your command! Here they are:

<u>KEY</u>	<u>FUNCTION</u>
8	Cursor left
9	Cursor right
A	Scroll up
B	Scroll down
C	Control Select (not a function by itself)
D	Carriage return
E	Cursor up
F	Cursor down

.....but just wait. That's not all. Remember key C?