

Somewhat colder, possible rain  
Sunrise 7:10  
Sunset 6:19

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If you spend a dollar at home you have some hope of getting it back; if you don't you just spend a dollar!

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## The Gay Philosopher



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By J. W. S.

A LETTER addressed to "A Suckeeper, Cisco, Texas, USA" was delivered to the J. C. Penny Company store here recently, it was from a ten-year-old girl, Colleen, St. Fillans, Perthshire, Scotland.

"I HOPE YOU do not mind me writing to you," she wrote, "but my other friends have someone to write in America, so I wrote this letter hoping it would land with someone who had time to write back to me.

"I live in a little village beside Loch Earn, and it is nearly all ways raining here, but sometimes the sun shines in summer. I am the youngest of five. There are three girls and two boys, and we have two cats and a dog.

"Do you know anyone who has any old cowboy clothes for my two brothers, they like cowboys very much and would like to write to one if you know any. We get holidays in the autumn to pick potatoes, and sometimes Mum lets us keep some of the money we get. So maybe I could send you money if you could find some old clothes for my two brothers, one if you know any, do not bother about it because Mum would be angry if she thought I was bothering anyone about them.

"I think American boys and girls are very lucky because they don't have to give coupons for sweets and things like we do. We get 4 oz. a week of sweets. We get one oz. a week of bacon which we eat on Sundays with an egg if we can get any.

"We have a radio in our home it is very squeaky. I have often tried to get America, but all I get are loud groans, but I have heard it on someone else's radio. My Dad is a wood cutter. He works far away up in the highlands and only comes home on Saturday nights.

"If you know any cowboys could you ask them to write to my brothers, Dave and Jim who would be delighted if you could do so.

"Yours Sincerely,  
"Kathleen Laing."

THE PEOPLE at the Penny store are fixing up a box of things to send Kathleen and her family. She is 10 and her brothers are 13 and 12.

If you want to put something in the box, leave it at the Penny store.

**SERIOUSLY ILL**  
The condition of G. M. Kimbrough was described as serious today by hospital attendants. He was taken to the hospital last week. He is the father of Mrs. J. J. Honea of 1006 West 8th.

**STILL IMPROVING**  
J. O. Barnhill, local automobile salesman who was taken to the hospital Sunday after suffering a heart attack at his home, was reported to be resting well and his condition much improved today.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carlyle and sons of Ballinger visited here over the weekend with Mrs. Carlyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Fenley and other Cisco relatives.

## Berliners Demonstrate Against British Film



German policemen swing nightsticks as they attempt to stop the second riot of 150 angry Jews who stormed a Berlin theater which was showing the British film "Oliver Twist," protesting it was anti-semitic. During the disorders, the second in two days the mob defied fire hoses and warning shots fired by police. — ACME.

## Local People Uncovering Many Of The Original 1847 Silver Spoons

The story carried in the January 21 issue of the Cisco Daily Press regarding the tribute paid to the Rogers brothers who were the pioneers in the silverplate industry has been responsible for the uncovering of many old silver spoons that have been put away for many years and in some instances forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Knight were the first to notify the Press that they possessed some of the century old tableware. The spoon was given to Mr. Knight by his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Barnhill, who live on route 2, dug down into their heirlooms and found that they had several of the old spoons that had been handed to them from their grandparents.

They also have some very old trays and china with which their ancestors began keeping house. W. P. Caldwell was displaying six of the old spoons that were plainly marked showing them to be authentic. They were from the original patterns of the Rogers brothers.

Mr. Caldwell has other valuable relics of early America. From his grandparents in Kentucky he received priceless letters and many items of china and silver. Among his most

## Orchard Field Day Held Friday At Stephenville

The Orchard Field Day held at the West Cross Timbers Agricultural Experiment Station near Stephenville Friday was attended by 35 Eastland county men and women it was said today at the County Agent's office.

The all day program on fruit and orchard work is an annual affair and usually held at some orchard in Eastland County. The orchardists this year were invited to the station by T. E. Denman, Horticulturist.

Starting at 10:15 A. M., the program consisted of talks and demonstrations on fruit varieties, pruning, laying out orchards, cover crops, fertilizers, control of diseases and insect pests, and constructing an electric hot bed. Beside Denman others on the program B. C. Langley, Superintendent of the Station, and R. G. Burwell, District Extension Agent, J. M. Cooper, Eastland County Farm Agent acted as program chairman.

A picnic lunch was served the group at noon in a shed on the experiment station farm.

Orchard men from Ranger, Alamo, Cisco, Eastland, Carbon, Gorman, Rising Star and Pioneer were in attendance at the meeting.

## Coach Postpones Spring Football Training Here

Spring football training at Cisco Junior College, originally scheduled to begin this week, was postponed until next week due to rainy weather, according to Coach Jack Everett.

Original plans called for the first drills to begin Tuesday.

## Local Teacher To Talk To Rotarians

Mrs. Bernice Carter, Junior High School Mathematics teacher, is to be the principal speaker at the Rotary Club's Thursday luncheon, using as the topic of her address, "Modern and Past Methods of Teaching."

Rotarian Floyd Sheppard, program chairman for February 24, will introduce the guest speaker. Mrs. Carter, who has been teaching in Cisco, Public Schools for more than nine years, first taught school in Stephens County for three years. Later she moved to the Long Branch School District and was employed there for another three years before the district was consolidated with the Cisco Public Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Anderson visited in Dallas over the weekend with their son A. D. Anderson, Jr., and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimmel were in Dallas Tuesday where Mr. Kimmel served as pall bearer at the funeral of Mr. Bruce Miller.

## PROPOSED BOOST FOR MILITARY PAY



Defense Secretary James Forrestal, right, was the first witness before the House Armed Services Committee in Washington, on a bill to boost military pay. Representative Paul J. Kilday, Democrat from Texas, author of the bill, uses chart to

## City Commission Plans Extensive Water Improvement; Buys Pipe

### Local Bowlers To Compete In Dallas Tournament

A large group of local bowlers and their wives will leave Cisco at noon Saturday for Dallas where they will participate in the Southwestern Bowling Tournament.

This is the first opportunity bowlers from Cisco have had to bowl in any large gathering of bowlers since the local alleys have been sanctioned by the American Bowling Congress. The Southwest Tournament extends over four week-ends and attracts over 9,000 bowlers from Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Louisiana, Colorado, and Texas.

A team composed of Dick Bearman, Captain; Roscoe Ponsler, Tut Tabor, Roy Fonville, Jr., Bob Anderson, and Glen White—sponsored by Mr. Victor Cornelius of the Victor Hotel, will take the alley Saturday night at 7:30 for their five-man team event. Sunday morning at 9 o'clock the doubles and singles will be played. Over \$17,500 in prizes will be distributed among the players and the Cisco boys have been training hard.

The management of the local alleys and team members extend their thanks to Mr. Cornelius for his interest and for his financial aid which made last night's participation possible.

### Farmers Jubilant As Rain Covers Area Wednesday

More than one half inch of rain was recorded at 3 p. m. in Cisco from moisture that began falling early Wednesday morning and continued during the day. Farmers and stockmen were jubilant over prospects for crops and pasture.

The Wednesday fall brings the total for the year to almost six inches and sets a record for precipitation during the first two months of the year.

Much of the small grains over the area is in the ground and farmers were preparing their fields for feeds, peanuts and other crops. Grass was beginning to show green in low places and prospects for good grazing were better than in several years.

The moisture that has fallen during January and February has raised the level of Lake Cisco several inches. The fall has been slow and most of the water was absorbed by the dry ground or was caught by the scores of small tanks in the lake watershed.

### IN MEMORY OF GEORGE WASHINGTON



Senator Margaret Chase Smith, Republican from Maine, part of the Senate's celebration reads Washington's farewell Address of Washington's birthday.

## Livestock Show Officials Discuss Plans For Annual Show At Monday Meeting

The Cisco Livestock Show Association met at the Chamber of Commerce Monday night to discuss plans for the annual Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association show to be held in Cisco on March 25 and 26, according to President A. Z. Myrick.

Announcement was made that the program and bulletin of the show was off the press and ready for distribution to cattlemen and club boys of the county. The 44 page bulletin carries all the rules and regulations regarding the show and lists all the prizes in the various divisions.

It was announced that material for the improvement of the horse show sheds had been purchased and that construction is to begin as soon as the weather permits.

The committee in charge of the program arrangement reported that it was working in entertainment for the two show and that Murray Cox, farm editor Radio Station WFAA, had accepted an invitation to visit the show and to originate one of

his regular noon broadcasts from the show grounds on March 25.

Inquiries regarding the Horse Show have been received from many points in Texas and as far away as Michigan. A bigger and better horse show is expected this year.

Plans for financing additional buildings were discussed and passed for further study. The association's plans call for the addition of one or two buildings within a few years and plans for the expansion have been discussed at all meetings. Officers and directors of the show hope to make it the best little show in Texas, Myrick said.

Miss Elizabeth McCracken, Mrs. Fay Smith, Mrs. Lambert, and Mrs. Evelyn Braine attended the Beauty Convention in Dallas last weekend.

### Takes Blame



Major General Charles Willoughby, General MacArthur's chief intelligence officer, has accepted full responsibility for information contained in the Sorge spy report and said he welcomed threats of a libel suit by Author Agnes Smedley, who was named as a Soviet spy in the report. Willoughby, however, declined to accept responsibility for making the report public. —ACME

## Nazarene Zone Rally Will Meet In Ranger Friday

The Ranger zone of the Church of the Nazarene will meet in Ranger Friday, it was announced here today by Cecil Stove, local minister who is general chairman of the group.

The Women's Missionary Society will be in charge of the program from 2 p. m. to 3 p. m. and beginning at 3 p. m. Rev. W. B. Walker, district superintendent of the Abilene district, will preach. That part of the program is to be sponsored by the young people of the Sunday school department.

Dinner will be served at 5:30 p. m. at the church building and the meeting will close with another talk by Mr. Walker beginning at 7 p. m.

## Methodist Young People Enjoy Frankfurter Feast

Heralding the approach of spring, a large group of high school and college students turned out at the Lake Cisco Park Tuesday for the First Methodist Church young people's bi-annual frankfurter roast and skating party.

Mrs. James Moore, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinkscales, Sunday School teachers of the department, accompanied the group which rode out to the park in a wagon filled with hay.

Prior to the skating party, the group enjoyed a weiner roast.

Thirty-eight young people attended, including Harold Sides, Dorothy Rippey, Bobbie Jean Dean, James Huestis, Richard Moore, Patsy King, Buddy Wright, E. L. Hazelwood, Jr., Betty Sue Wagle, Sutton Crofts, Darlene Farmer, Hub Harwell, Joe Ed Bacon, Zel Sandler, Jack King, Jim Ewell, Robert Rendall, Gene Schaefer, Elizabeth Kleiner, Gene Milsap, Leon Parrish, Elova Moad, Willis Black Stanley Sharpe.

Dixie Hansen, Mary Hill, Barbara McCauley, Jimmy Cummins, Russell Johnson, Scripp Cluck, Bill Tabor, Harvey Haynie, Wayne Hayes, Betty Bearman, Gene Milner, Roy Trapp, Robert Jackson, Douglas Johnson, and Mrs. James Moore and Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinkscales.

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Coyotes Survive War Against Them, J. Frank Dobie Says

Coyotes have survived man's unabating warfare against them because of their ability to adapt themselves to changed condition and to take advantage of whatever situation arises...

ences of rancher friends to demonstrate the coyote's cunning; How one animal seemed to know the range of a shepherd's gun and operated just out of its range...

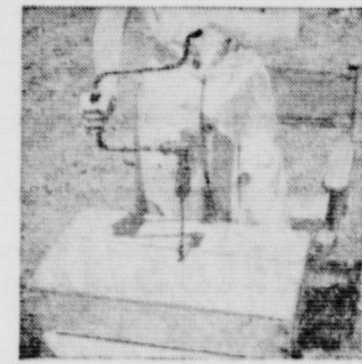
Since 1915, Federal agencies have officially destroyed more than 2,000,000 coyotes in the Western half of the United States and state agencies and private ranchers have killed thousands more...

"Curiosity and fondness for smells lead far more coyotes into traps than hunger does," Mr. Dobie declares, and tells of two that could not be lured by scent but fell into a blind trap while investigating a ticking alarm clock planted nearby.

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The best material for a wick is fibre glass, which is sold for the purpose, and which will last for years. A piece of new clothes line will also serve for the few weeks necessary to bring up plants...

go away from home, even during the critical period of infancy when, with other methods of watering, daily inspection would be necessary.

If a large pan is used, enough water for several days may be supplied at one time, allowing you to

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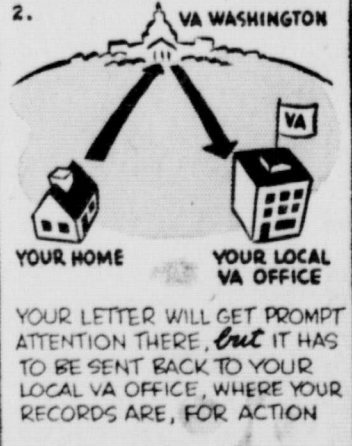
Following a serious speech advocating preparedness for the nation's armed forces, General Hoyt Vandenberg, Air Force Chief of Staff, got the "business" from his Dallas, Texas, hosts.

of Dallas Reserve Officers Club, and finally he was sworn in as a bonafide Deputy Sheriff. Here, wearing the fruit of his labors the General brandishes a six-shooter, wears a typical Texas hat, and—note—Deputy Sheriff's badge on blouse just under his decorations.

FOR VETERANS ONLY ... Don't Write Washington!



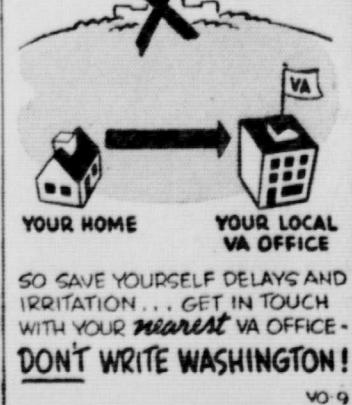
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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CISCO:

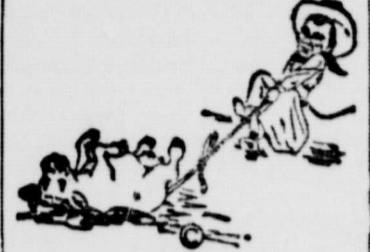
That an election shall be held on the first Tuesday in April 1949, same being the 5th day of April, 1949, at which election the qualified voters of the City of Cisco, shall elect a Mayor and two commissioners each to hold office for a term of two (2) years.

That said election shall be held at the City Hall, of the City of Cisco, between the hours of 8 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M., to be conducted according to the ordinances and charter of the City of Cisco, that provides that a notice be given 20 days prior to date of election, and in compliance with the election laws of the State of Texas.

Approved and adopted the 22nd day of Feb., 1949.

EDWARD LEE Mayor ATTEST: Hal Lavery, City Secretary.

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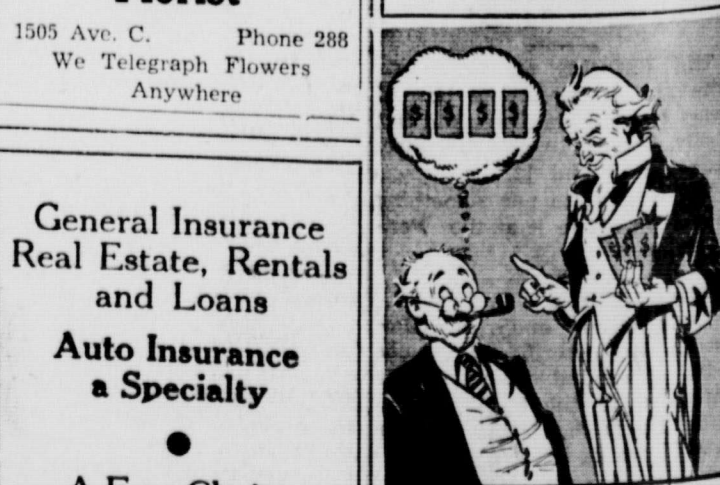
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# SOCIAL and CLUBS

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### LYDIA CLASS PARTY WITH MRS. INA MARTIN

Mrs. Ina Pyle Martin was hostess when Lydia class of First Baptist Sunday School met in her home Thursday afternoon for the regular meeting. The meeting was opened with prayer

by Mrs. O. L. Mason, teacher; and the devotion, brought by Mrs. W. D. Hazel, which was followed by a short business session. Two new group captains were appointed as follows: Mrs. G. M. Beene for Group One; and Mrs. Ina Pyle Martin for Group Two.

Gifts were next presented to members whose birthdays were in January. They were Mrs. F. D. Wright and Mrs. J. M. Wilson.

During the social hour a nice refreshment plate with a cup of hot coffee was passed as Mesdames O. L. Mason, Eula Grantz, G. M. Beene, O. J. Russell, Fred Grist, E. L. Wisdom, C. S. Surles, W. D. Hazel, J. M. Wilson, L. B. Mayhew, O. G. Lawson, D. R. Harper, J. V. Heysler and Ina Pyle Martin.

Mrs. G. A. Enpler was co-hostess of the meeting.

### MRS. COOPER HOSTESS FOR REBEKAH PARTY

Mrs. Katie Cooper was hostess in her home last Thursday evening to the members of the Good Will Rebekah Lodge. The party was given honoring the birthday of a member, Mrs. Rhoda Burkett.

The evening was spent in conversation and games, after which refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served to the following members and visitors: Mesdames Leona Hitt, Ethel Moore, Effie Mayhew, Laura Jensen, Ruth Bolinger, Hazel Deitker, Ruth Powell, Lydia Krauskopf, Dee Clements, Iva Harper the honoree, Mrs. Rhoda Burkett, and the hostess, Mrs. Cooper.

### EAST CISCO W. M. U. HAD PROGRAM MONDAY

Mrs. Carlton Holder, vice chairman, presided when Women's Missionary Union of East Cisco Baptist church met in the church Monday afternoon for a Royal Service program. The meeting was called to order with prayer by Mrs. Wayne Hodnett after which a short business session was held. The group voted to purchase material and each member present agreed to

### Knows He's Good



Boxer champion Mazelaine's Zazarac Brandy stands by his cup in New York after being judged the best in 73rd annual dog show of the Westminster Kennel Club at Madison Square Garden. The dog is owned by Mr. and Mrs. John Phelps Wagner of Milwaukee. — ACME.

make a pair of pajamas for children of Buckner Orphans' Home.

Mrs. B. F. Thomas was leader of the program at which the topic, "The All-sufficient Savior," was discussed. The devotion was given by Mrs. Paul Stephens and others assisting with program parts were Mrs. J. E. Whisenant, Mrs. Ray Maricentel and Mrs. Carlton Holder. The program closed with prayer by Mrs. J. E. Whisenant.

Those present were: Mesdames B. F. Thomas, J. E. Whisenant, Carlton Holder, Ray Maricentel, Wayne Hodnett, Paul Stephens, and a new member, Mrs. Donald Duke. Mrs. Claude Tucker had charge of the Sunbeam group at the same hour.

### LEGION AUXILIARY HAD FINE MEETING

American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion hall Monday evening with Mrs. H. N. Lyle, president, in charge; and Mrs. Charles Robarts, acting secretary. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Miss Mayme Estes and was followed with prayer by the Chaplain Mrs. James Flournoy.

Interesting reports were made by Mrs. D. J. Gorman and Mrs. Charles Cofer, Child Welfare and Rehabilitation chairmen. They told of splendid work they were doing for families of Ex-service men. The Auxiliary voted to donate \$5.00 to the March of Dimes; and it was decided to send a high school girl to Austin for Girls' State Week in June. Membership chairman reported a membership of 124 and said the drive closed February 14. Thirteen new members were secured during the drive.

The "losers" will entertain the "winners" next Monday evening, February 28 at the Legion hall. Mrs. Charles Cofer and Mrs. D. J. Gorman promised a real surprise and a good time.

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They asked that reservations be made by Friday, if possible. The entertainment will be free and Jordan of Abilene, new president of district 17, will be present. Mrs. Paul Poe gave an instructive paper about "World War Orphans" and stressed the schooling and educational advantages to which they are entitled. Mrs. Charles Roberts, Parley, announced that their organization with the help of the Auxiliary will get subscribers for Holland's magazine and if 50 new subscribers are secured the prize will be a set of silverware for the Legion hall. Mrs. H. A. Bible was appointed chairman. A social hour followed adjournment of the meeting. Those present were: Mes-



**KITCHEN MEMO** BY JEAN CLARKE

For that individual touch to a meal for guests or when you feel the family would especially appreciate your adding a decorative food, serve **Orange Sweet Potato Baskets**. Squeeze the juice from 8 large orange halves. Remove and discard the membrane. Cut the edges of the orange shells in a scallop design. Mash 2 cups cooked sweet potatoes and beat in 1/4 cup orange juice, 1 tsp. brown sugar and 1 tsp. salt. Pile sweet potato mixture into orange shells. Dot with 1 tsp. melted butter or margarine. Place on broiler tray under a medium flame and broil 12 mins. Save time and gas by serving a complete broiler meal including thick ham slices and broiled grapefruit halves.

An 1890 cook book advised cooks to drop water on the oven bottom. If the water hissed, the oven was supposed to be hot enough for baking. Today the thermostat on modern gas ranges keeps baking temperatures at exactly the degree needed.

Yellow and light green celery tops combined with brown onion skins simmered in water over a low flame for about 20 minutes makes a nourishing and tasty drink. The liquid can be added to soups and gravies for flavoring.

All water has some sediment in it. To keep your automatic gas water heater free of this sediment, once a month draw off a quart or two of water until it flows clean.

When washing windows in cold weather add a little vinegar or household ammonia to the water to prevent it from freezing on the glass.

### A Good Hot Dish



When the thermometer zooms zero-ward it takes more than just warm togs to keep the family well-fortified. A piping hot, satisfying meal that's nourishing as well, is needed to help keep the wintry winds from causing too much discomfort. With bread as a wholesome ingredient, **Stuffed Baked Spareribs**, for two are perfect to serve on a particularly chilly day. To easily prepare this dish for two use: (proportionately larger for four)

- 3 cups soft 1/2" bread cubes
- 1 tablespoon melted fat
- 1/2 cup chopped, cooked apricots
- 2 tablespoons washed raisins
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 pound spareribs
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon paprika

Combine soft bread cubes, fat, apricots, raisins and salt. Cut strip of spareribs in half and dip them in mixture of flour, salt, pepper and paprika. Place stuffing between the two strips and tie them together with string. Place in a baking dish and bake uncovered in a moderate oven (375° F.) for one and one-fourth hours. Yield: 2 servings.

While your main course dish is in the oven, bake two potatoes, and serve frozen corn on the cob dripping with butter or margarine for an added winter treat. With individual baker's pies, warmed in the oven just before serving, and a beverage, you'll have a cold weather dinner that will give you a top rating as cook with your 2-mill!

## Ask U. S. to Lead Garden Drive to Clean-up Nation

### NATIONAL HOME GARDEN PROGRAM

A national conference of garden leaders in Washington, D. C., called for a long-time program of urban, suburban and rural home gardens, under the leadership of the U. S. department of agriculture. Experience has shown, it was declared, that home gardens can:

- Help feed the family better, with protective foods.
- Help feed the family economically.
- Give healthful recreation.
- Furnish valuable educational and esthetic interests for youth and adult.
- Stimulate all-year use of fruits and vegetables.
- Help feed the nation in time of emergency.
- Improve community surroundings and develop better community life.

Garden leaders who conferred in Washington, D. C., Jan. 10 and 11 at the call of the U. S. department of agriculture, warned that the United States is losing ground in the battle against ugliness in home and community surroundings. "Smoldering garbage dumps too often welcome the visitor to both metropolis and rural village," said resolutions adopted by the conference. "The village green of song and story is often a neglected waste. Many of our highway rights of way are garlanded with discarded tin cans. Good housekeeping of our home grounds and community surroundings is urgently needed to prevent the growth of new urban and rural slums.

"Unless public consciousness is aroused to the danger of this deterioration in civic standards, we believe it will have social consequences far more costly than the expense of correcting it now."

As remedies, the conference called for a long-term program of home gardening both for food production and home grounds improvement; and for active steps by all

communities to clean-up and improve public areas.

The U. S. department of agriculture was called upon to assume leadership in this program in urban and suburban as well as rural localities. Department activities are at present confined by law to rural areas, and no federal funds are available for the employment of extension workers in towns and cities. The conference urged that "cities be encouraged to support, wholly or in large part, the services of urban extension agents trained in horticulture."

In some states a beginning has been made in this direction. A horticultural agent has been authorized for Detroit, Mich., supported by the state and county. In Greater New York, horticultural agents for each of the boroughs may soon be employed.

Work with young people of towns and cities, comparable to that in rural areas by 4-H clubs which is conducted by agricultural extension service, was recommended by the conference.

dames, H. N. Lyle, Gorum Pollard, James Flournoy, Tommy King, Clarence Moon, D. A. Morgan, D. J. Gorman Ray, Hailey, Irene Hallanrk, C. C. Greenhaw, James Haynie, Charles Cofer, O. C. Lomax, Joe Lovelady, Opal Blackstock, Myrtle Anderson, Paul Poe, Charles Roberts, Miss Mayme Estes; and a new junior member, Patty Nell Haynie.

### LOCAL DAR CHAPTER MET AT EASTLAND IN PERKINS HOME MONDAY

On Monday, February 21st Charles Crawford Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, met at Eastland in the home of Mrs. Joseph Perkins with Mrs. A. F. Taylor co-hostess. This being the annual George Washington Coffee, and house decorations were patriotic

in theme; flags and red and white carnations.

In absence of the Regent, Mrs. Perkins presided over the short business session, which was opened by the Pledge of Allegiance and prayer by Mrs. Charles West. The Star Spangled Banner was sung with Mrs. Albert Gleason, mother of Mrs. Perkins, at the piano. The following officers were elected: Regent, Mrs. W. W. Wallace; vice regent, Mrs. Frank Castleberry; recording secretary, Mrs. Alex Spears; treasurer, Mrs. F. E. Harrell. Mrs. Perkins told of the very interesting book, "Music America Sings," to be used in the schools next year. Mrs. M. H. Hageman of Ranger reported on legislation now before Congress Mrs. Taylor presented three pupils in piano numbers and her two granddaughters, Glenna and Gail Kilgore who

played an arrangement of Dvorak's New World Symphony; Miss Helen Taylor concluded the program playing Gen. Grant's March.

The following were present: Mesdames F. E. Harrell, Alex Spears, Homer Slicker, Charles R. West, Randolph Lee Clark, J. E. Elkins, of Cisco; M. H. Hageman and B. A. Tunnell, Ranger; A. F. Taylor, Joseph Perkins, Frank Castleberry, Mallory, Miss Elizabeth Davenport, Eastland, and Mrs. Albert Gleason of Gleasondale, Mass.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cozby of Vernon spent the weekend in Cisco with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cooper spent Sunday in Abilene with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Duhamel.

Mrs. Arlin Agnew was able to return to her home at 303 West 18th Street Tuesday after having been a patient in Graham hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Myrick went to Abilene today where they are attending a lecture-ship at Abilene Christian College; this week being Lectureship week of the College.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pippen and sons, Benny and Harold Pippen, visited over the weekend at Merkel with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allen.

W. S. Kendall, who has been in a Ranger hospital for the past few days, returned to his home in Cisco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCaw of Ennis were visiting here Friday and Saturday in the home of

their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Krings. While here they attended the high school coronation.

Mrs. E. Mayer arrived from Albuquerque, New Mexico, Monday to stay for some time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Mayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Buffington S. Mayer of Baton Rouge, La., spent Monday and Tuesday as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Mayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil McCanlies and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith of Sweetwater visited over the weekend here in the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCanlies.

Mrs. Gentry Elston and little daughter, Mary Jo, spent last week in Waco with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Waterbury, Jr. and son, Larry III. They were accompanied on their return to Cisco by the Waterburys, who spent the day Sunday here in the home of their mother, Mrs. L. A. White.

Philathea Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church

will have a business and social meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church. All members were urged to attend.

Mrs. R. H. Dunning and Mrs. Paul Weiser were business visitors Tuesday in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stroebel and daughter, Anita, Paul Weiser, Robert Hintz, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stroebel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stroebel and Mrs. Dorothy Prange heard the noted Dr. Miers speak at Waco last Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Weiser and daughter, Virginia, Mrs. Alex Zander and daughter, Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wende, Misses Ruth Lanham and Elaine Ziehr were among the group from the Lutheran Church hearing the choir from Winfield Lutheran College, Winfield, Kan., in Abilene last Sunday.

Out of town relatives and friends here for the funeral of Mr. Bruce Miller Monday were his

mother, Mrs. Nannie Miller, Mrs. Exa Woods and son, Panche, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wright, two daughters and son in law of Galveston; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller of Rondado; Mrs. Lucille Woodyard and Miss Woodyard of Waco; L. C. Hipp Mrs. Florence Hipp, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hipp, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cearley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hilliard and sons, all of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. John Heffner, Mrs. Hull, Ranger; and Mr. and Mrs. Denton Hamilton of Abilene.

FIREMEN HOLD FEAST

City firemen held a barbecue in the fire station headquarters Saturday night in observance to an annual tradition originated by the Department here.

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years, even putting up \$5,000 reward. She flew to New York from Chicago to see her husband after he was arrested on a forgery charge. — ACME.

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Selden Chaplin, United States Minister to Hungary, and his wife are pictured in Paris, France, on their way to the United States. Chaplin, whose recall was asked by Hungary, will report to Washington on the Cardinal Mindszenty case. He stated in Paris that life in Hungary "is beyond imagination and defies description." The country has "degenerated into a police state," he added. — ACME.



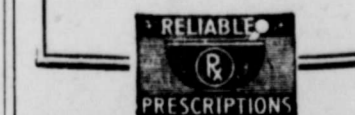
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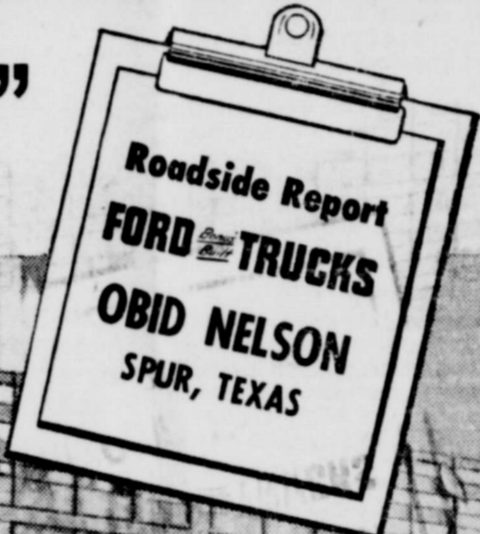
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