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The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

DEAR GP: Since you're such a champion of orphan animals, will you kindly put in a plug for a good home for two adorable gold kittens, named "Frankie and Johnnie," that Dot and Dash are reluctantly prepared to part with to make room for new puppies (which will be ready for distribution later—they're just a month old and refuse to leave their mother just yet). May be seen at 512 West 5th Street anytime after school. Would-be kitten or puppy owners must come armed with parents' permission, as we know how we feel about the kids bringing home more pets without

Thank you for your help in rehabilitating the feline and canine population. Would also part with the mother cat (an excellent mouser), but DON'T try to talk me out of our big black Satin — part of the family.
Sutton and Mary Crofts.

IF YOUR favorite bird dog has been from home, call Mrs. W. Martin at 674-W. A full grown dog, white with brown spots, adopted the Martins and seems to like his new home. Since the Martins have a dog of their own, they are anxious to find the dog's owner. With quail season coming up soon, we have an idea that the owner will be happy to locate him.

NOTE TO Mr. A. R. Westfall, who has been adopted by a stray cat: We understand Mr. T. Thomas has lost one. Our scouts report that Mr. T. claims all cats, particularly horses, cows, sheep and so forth.

THE WATER was shut off at the Lake Cisco Fish Hatchery Tuesday after the last of the fish were moved to the new Possum Kingdom hatchery. Mayor C. C. Rosenthal wrote the state agency that it had been shut off. Understand Mr. Walton, superintendent of the hatchery, will remain here until the state works out something about the problem. And Mr. Pence, another state hatchery employee, will go to the Possum Kingdom hatchery.

Cisco National Guard Unit Will Be Inspected For Federal Recognition

Officers of the Cisco unit of the National Guard were notified Tuesday that the unit would be re-inspected on October 5 for federal recognition. The group was inspected in February of this year but failed to obtain the recognition.
The inspector general of the 4th Army Division in San Antonio will conduct the inspection, it was reported.
Members of the Guard were busy this week getting their equipment and arms in order. The City of Cisco furnished a bull and a grader to clear the grounds of trees and to level the area. Plans call for the gradual landscaping of the area by planting shrubs, grass and flowers.
Recently the unit received word that Sgt. Hilbert B. King had been transferred from the inactive list to the active list. King has been working for Lane Wells at Cisco and has made drills at Cisco.

The unit participated in the parade at the annual Rising Star Fall Fair and had two vehicles in the parade. Plans call for members of the unit to appear

Cub Scouts To Hold Meeting On Friday

The regular monthly pack meeting of the local Cub Scouts will be held at 6 p. m. Friday at the First Presbyterian Church, was announced by Ace Lucas, packmaster. The meeting is being held at 6 p. m. so that it may be returned by 7:30 for the Cisco-Leon football game which begins at 8 o'clock.
Packmaster Lucas urged all parents and their parents to attend the important monthly session. He also asked all boys between the ages of eight and 11 who are interested in becoming Cub Scouts to attend the meeting and bring their mothers.



LOUD INVASION—The eight-inch guns of a U.S. Navy cruiser take a west Korean military target under fire near Inchon. Upon landing nearby, troops waged a successful campaign in approaching Taicon in an effort to recapture that city. (Dept. of Defense Photo from Acme.)

HOUSING UNITS INCREASE IN CISCO DURING PAST 10 YEARS

The number of dwelling units in Cisco increased 362, from 1,542 to 1,904 during the past 10 years, while Eastland County as a whole lost 101 houses, according to preliminary figures released today by the Bureau of the Census.
In 1940 Eastland County had 8,874 units as compared with 7,975 in 1950.
Breckenridge gained 293 units during the 10 year period. That city had 2,397 units in 1950, com-

pared with 2,014 in 1940. Stephens County, however, lost some 220 — from 3,951 in 1940 to 3,736 this year.
Callahan County lost 108—from 3,288 in 1940 to 3,180. Shackelford County had a slight drop, from 1,822 10 years ago to 1,782 in 1950.

V. A. Explains Check Procedure

A. R. Collier, veterans counselor at Cisco Junior College, received word this week that subsistence checks to veterans would be delayed this month due to the large enrollment in the educational program.
The release was as follows: "The fall enrollment of several thousand veterans during a short period of time creates a heavy work-load in this office. We wish to assure you and all veterans enrolled that every possible effort is being and will be made to minimize any delay in getting the subsistence checks to them."
"It is hoped that the schedule be worked in a manner that will cause a minimum of inconvenience to all concerned."

BUSINESS MEET TONIGHT

The regular monthly business meeting of the East Cisco Baptist Church will be held at the local church's mid-week service at 7:45 p. m. today, according to Rev. Paul Stephens, pastor. All members of the congregation were urged to be present.

Former Cisco Youth Is Injured in Korea

Private Buford B. Brown, a former resident of Cisco whose home is now at Dickens, Texas, has been reported seriously wounded in action in Korea on Sept. 11, according to information here today.
His parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Brown, reside at Dickens. Private Brown was serving with the First Cavalry at the time of his injuries. A brother, William H. Brown, also a former resident of Cisco, was last heard from en route to Japan and is believed to be in Korea at this time.

WORKOUT TONIGHT

The Cisco High School Loboos cancelled their regular afternoon workout today in order that members of the team might attend the funeral of A. L. Black, father of Halfback Bobby Black. Coach Jack Everett said that a light workout would be held at 7:30 p. m. at Chesley Field.

Farmer of the Week . . .

J. W. McKinney Combines Crops And Livestock In Farm Success

About seven miles southeast of Cisco a sign by the side of one of the roads in that area marks the J. W. McKinney place. This prosperous 160 acre Pleasant Hill farm is sowed in grains — mostly oats, with the exception of about 20 acres of alfalfa and clover.
This year some 325 head of hogs will march to market from the McKinney farm. At present 50 head of steers are enjoying the hills around about. All this, plus 150 white Leghorn hens, help to keep Farmer McKinney and his two sons busy the year around.
A passerby cannot help but admire the beautiful 7-room dwelling atop one of the hills on the place. Shrubbery, a beautiful lawn and the fences help to add to the beauty of the place and make it an ideal farm home. The

Arkansas Pastor Will Speak At Baptist Service

Rev. Truman Rucker, who is pastor of the First Baptist Church at Malvern, Ark., will speak at the First Baptist Church here tonight at 8 o'clock. He will appear at the regular prayer meeting service.
Mr. Rucker was invited here by the pulpit committee of the local church.
A native Texan, Mr. Rucker grew up at Dublin. He is a graduate of Baylor University and of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth. He has been preaching in Arkansas for nine years, and in his present pastoral seven years.
Mr. and Mrs. Rucker have one son, Douglas, who is nine years old.

West Ward P-TA Holds 1st Meeting

The West Ward P-TA held its first regular meeting of the '50-51 school year at the building on Sept. 20. Mrs. Delmar Johnston, president, was in charge.
Following the room count and a sort business session, the group went to the cafeteria where light refreshments were served. The first meeting was more of a social affair so that parents and teachers might have the opportunity of getting acquainted.
Some 150 old members, new members and teachers attended the meeting.

Seranton Cagers To Play Friday

The Seranton High School basketball team will meet the Abilene Christian High School Boys "B" team in a game Friday night, Sept. 29, at the Seranton Gym, Coach W. A. Donahoe reported today. The Seranton grade school team the Abilene school's grade school club will play on the same program.
The general public has been invited to attend.
Last Thursday night Seranton teams played their first games of the school year with the Williams School of Brown County. The high school boys lost to Williams 17-14, and the high school girls dropped a game to the Williams girls, 11 to 3. The Seranton grade school was defeated by three points. In another fast and well-played game, Seranton grade school players defeated Williams.

1951 Wheat Crop Near Completion In Most of State

Drilling the 1951 wheat crop was rushed toward completion in the important high plains area as the week of mostly open weather permitted full scale operations. Northern plains farmers had almost three fourths of their intended acreage in the ground, while farmers in the central and southern plains are about half through. Stands of early seedlings are reported good.
Showers and rains in the excessively wet North Texas area continued to restrict harvest and other field work. Weekend rains again stopped wheat seeding and further slowed maturity of cotton and grain sorghum in the Panhandle, but will benefit fall feeds and pastures as well as permit preparation of land for fall vegetables in the extreme south, some southeastern, and coastal counties.
Cotton harvest made good progress in central counties, but another week of excessive rain has caused delays and continued deterioration in crop prospects in northern areas. Limited harvest was under way in the northern low rolling plains with some interference by rains.
Harvest of peanuts continued in East and Southeast Texas and the fall crop was maturing in southern areas. Harvest has not started in northern commercial areas where dry weather is needed.
Sweet potato harvest was general in all commercial areas, but some growers were holding back because of unfavorable markets.
A lush supply of green range and pasture feed continued available in northern and northwestern counties. Heavy rains during the week or at the weekend over a great part of the state will particularly benefit ranges in extreme southern counties where dry feed is short. Heavy rains in Trans-Pecos and Edwards Plateau counties will soon start winter grass and weeds. Plains farmers were inquiring for November delivery of stocker cattle to run on wheat pasture.
With the abundant moisture reserves in that area, wheat pasture prospects are unusually promising for this season of the year. Demand for all classes of stocker cattle and sheep continues strong.

Community Chest Completes Organization; Makes Plans



Gloria Yates and Claire Stewart, WFAA radio and television stars, will appear four times daily at 1:45, 2:45, 4:45 and 6:45 p.m. at the Natural Gas Building on the grounds of the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, October 7 through 23. Among the many features in the building will be a model kitchen complete in every detail just as it is pictured in the October issue of the Woman's Home Companion magazine.

Rev. Seymour Named President of Board

The Cisco Community Chest completed its formal organization work and elected officers to serve during the first year at a session of the new board of directors Tuesday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce offices.
Rev. Leslie Seymour, superintendent of the Cisco District of Methodist churches, was elected president of the board. J. R. Deen, Humble Pipe Line Company employee here, was named as vice president. Mrs. C. E. Paul was elected secretary, and C. E. Higginbotham was named treasurer.

Beside the officers, members of the board of directors are: Felton Underwood, Rev. Chief Warden, J. W. Sitton, James McCracken, Charles Graham, Stanley and Mrs. John Shertzer.
Manager B. A. Butler of the Chamber of Commerce, whose organization sponsored the formation of the Community Chest, presided over the meeting until the officers were elected.
The board selected various committees to handle details of the forthcoming annual Community Chest financial drive. Under the by-laws of the agency, all public financial drives will be combined in one big drive. The various organizations who conduct annual drives, including the Boy and Girl Scouts, the Red Cross, the ABC Club and others will be invited to submit their budget needs before the over-all campaign is planned.
The campaign will be planned under the direction of a committee composed of Rev. Warden, Charles Graham and J. W. Sitton.
The budget committee is composed of J. R. Deen, James McCracken, Felton Underwood, O. L. Lee and Mrs. John Shertzer.
Materials and supplies will be arranged under the direction of B. A. Butler and C. E. Higginbotham. Publicity matters will be handled by C. C. Rosenthal, B. A. Butler and J. W. Sitton.
The directors scheduled a breakfast meeting for 7:30 a. m., Saturday, Oct. 7, to discuss campaign plans.

LOCAL TEAMS READY FOR TWO FOOTBALL GAMES ON THURSDAY

Plans were moving forward today for the doubleheader football game scheduled for Thursday night at Chesley Field, with the Cisco Junior High Midgets playing the junior Albany eleven, and the Cisco High "B" team meeting the Mineral Wells "B" team.

Proceeds of the game will go into the Midgets uniform fund. The Midgets lost their uniforms in last spring's gymnasium fire and had to buy new gear for this year, and they're hoping that game proceeds will pay for the equipment.

LOBO TICKETS ON SALE

Tickets went on sale Tuesday afternoon at all Cisco drug stores for the Cisco High School and DeLeon High football game scheduled Friday at 8 p. m. at Chesley Field. The game will open the 1950 conference race for the Lobos.

The Midgets will suit out 22 men for the game. They're starting lineup will include James Thorman and Bill Smith, ends; David Gray and Fred Anderson, tackles; Tommy Reynolds and Harold Pippen, guards; Fred Hayes, center; James Brogdon, quarterback; Bill Miller and Marcos Gallegos, halfbacks, and George Callerman, fullback.

The Lobo "B" team will include most of the squad's first year men and transfers who are not eligible for this year's eleven.

The probable starting lineup was given as follows: Ingram and Reynolds, ends; Farley and Gaines, tackles; H. L. Coats and Farnsworth, guards; Mosley, center; H. L. Youngblood, Freddy Smith, Albert McCurdy and Sonny McCrea, backs.
The game will begin at 7 p. m.

Funeral Services For A. L. Black Set for Today

Final rites for A. L. (Joe) Black, 46, were to be held in the First Baptist Church at 4 p. m. Wednesday by Rev. Otis Strickland and Rev. Judson Prince. Mr. Black died in a local hospital at 12:20 p. m. Tuesday following a heart attack suffered late Monday at his home, 1110 W. 7th.

A native of Hamilton County where he was born on March 25, 1904, Mr. Black came to Cisco some 25 years ago from Comanche. He was married to Miss Clara Surlis in Cisco on March 6, 1926. At the time of his death he was employed as bookkeeper for Gulf Oil Co. in Cisco.

Survivors include his wife, a son, Bobby, who is a member of the Cisco High School football team; five brothers, Dee Black of Cisco, Frank Black of Pittsburgh, L. M. Black of Leesville, La., Bert Black of Crosbyton and Bradley Black of Lubbock; five sisters, Mrs. Lewis Jacobs of Ranger, Mrs. Little Humphries of Comanche, Mrs. W. B. C. York of Comanche, Mrs. Dug Davis, Mineral Wells, and Mrs. E. W. Gregg of Cisco.

Burial was to be in Oakwood Cemetery with Thomas Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements. Pallbearers were named as follows: Jack Everett, Buck Overall, Irvin Allen Brunkenhofer, David Pippen, Rev. Evans, Douglas Johnson, Robert Jackson, Donald Watts, Herbert Coats, J. C. Suggs, Doc Dawson, Gene Voss and Leo Farmer.

Guard Auxiliary To Be Organized

Wives of members of the local National Guard unit met on Sept. 12 to organize a National Guard Auxiliary for Cisco. After a discussion of the problems it was decided to meet the following week for organization.
On Sept. 20 eight members met in the home of Mrs. J. D. Collier and completed the organization. They are to meet tonight for the purpose of electing officers. Following the meeting of Sept. 20 the group served guard members with refreshments in the home of Mrs. Collier.
Those attending the last meeting were Mrs. Douglass N. Busbee, Mrs. Vernon L. DeLong, Mrs. Billy O. Kendrick, Mrs. Frank N. Sayer, Mrs. Wilfred R. Penn, Mrs. Jack E. King, Mrs. Wayne E. Rupe, and Mrs. Colier.

Credit Directors Hold Meeting

The meeting date of the Merchants Credit Association membership will be the second Monday night of each month in the future, according to action at a meeting of the Board of Directors Wednesday morning.
The new meeting date was selected after the old date conflicted with football games and other activities.

The directorate authorized the preparation of an appropriate resolution in memory of the late Henry S. Drumwright, who was a past president and a current director of the association upon his death.

A committee composed of Chas. Graham, Nick Miller, and J. W. Sitton was appointed by President George Boyd to work with school officials in making plans for the Nov. 11 football game to be played here by the Cisco Junior College football team.
Other business matters, including the trade promotion program, were discussed.

Present at the meeting were George Boyd, E. L. Jackson, A. G. Sander, Austin Flint, Charles Graham, J. W. Sitton, Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, Nick Miller, and Mrs. Lucile Huffmyer.

Rev. Seymour To Attend National Church Meeting

Rev. Leslie W. Seymour of Cisco, superintendent of the Cisco District of the Methodist Church, will be among the 700 leaders of that denomination who will attend a nation-wide meeting in Indianapolis Oct. 3-5. Purpose of the conference will be to hear reports of the first two years of Methodism's Advance for Christ and His Church and to brief the leaders on plans for the next two year program.
The four year Advance program includes a nationwide preaching and teaching mission, launched last year, and emphasizes increased missionary support via personalized giving. Next phase of the Advance will be a simultaneous study of "Our Church" in the next six months by the 8,500,000 Methodists in America.
The study will include a major section on "The World Church" and interdenominational relations. Because of their key positions as leaders in the church, the 570 district superintendents have been officially called together by Bishop William C. Martin of Dallas, chairman, and Dr. E. Harold Mohn, Chicago, executive director of the Advance. Others who will attend the conference will be most of the bishops of the 35 episcopal areas of the U. S., editors, board secretaries, and other officials.
Headline speakers will include Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, New York; Bishop Arthur J. Moore, Atlanta; and Bishop Gerald Kennedy, Portland, Ore. Several other bishops and nearly a score of outstanding church leaders are also scheduled to appear on the program. Dr. James R. Houghton of Boston University will direct the music.
Bishop Richard C. Raines of the Indiana area will be host.

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Did you know that you are required to stop your car immediately before passing a school bus which is discharging children, if that bus is on a highway outside of a business or residence district? After stopping, you may then proceed at a prudent speed not to exceed 10 miles an hour, until you are safely beyond the bus. This law was passed in 1947 by the 50th Texas Legislature as a part of the Uniform Act of Traffic Laws.

If you will notice within the next day or so, you will see in operation some of the approximately 6,000 school buses which carry tens of thousands of Texas children to and from school each day. The law stated in this article is one of several which have to do with the operation of a motor vehicle in the vicinity of a school bus which is loading or discharging children.

Each year a number of accidents occur which usually involve a passing car and one of the children getting off the bus. These accidents are of the most heart-breaking kind because they usually mean that some young, happy school child has either been killed or possibly maimed for life. Each driver of an automobile should know and follow the rules concerning motor vehicle traffic around school buses, because the rules were made in an effort to protect the children who ride them. It is often a hardship for some of these children to get ready in time to ride the buses the many long miles into school each day. Certainly if these boys and girls will put forth that much effort, the drivers of automobiles on our streets and highways can exercise enough care to protect their safety on the way to and from school.

Drive Carefully — the Life You Save May Be Your Own.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Altom and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Parks Poe and daughter visited here on Sunday with Mrs. Alton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Poe.



BACK IN THE RING—Joe Louis is still the great Brown Bomber to these kids who came down to see him working out in his training camp at Pompton Lakes, N. J. Joe's working hard on his timing, and trying to lose some of that retirement weight he acquired, for his attempt to reclaim his heavyweight crown on September 27.

Governor Proclaims State Employees Day At State Fair of Texas

AUSTIN, Sept. 27 — Governor Allan Shivers Wednesday designated Oct. 7 at the State Fair of Texas as a day honoring Texas'

22,000 hard-working state employees.

In an official memorandum, Gov. Shivers proclaimed State Employees' Day at the Fair "as a small measure of recognition for the state employees' hard, conscientious work the past fiscal year."

The day has been set aside, the governor continued, "in order that these faithful servants will have an opportunity to partake of the cultural, educational and recreational facilities of the State Fair of Texas."

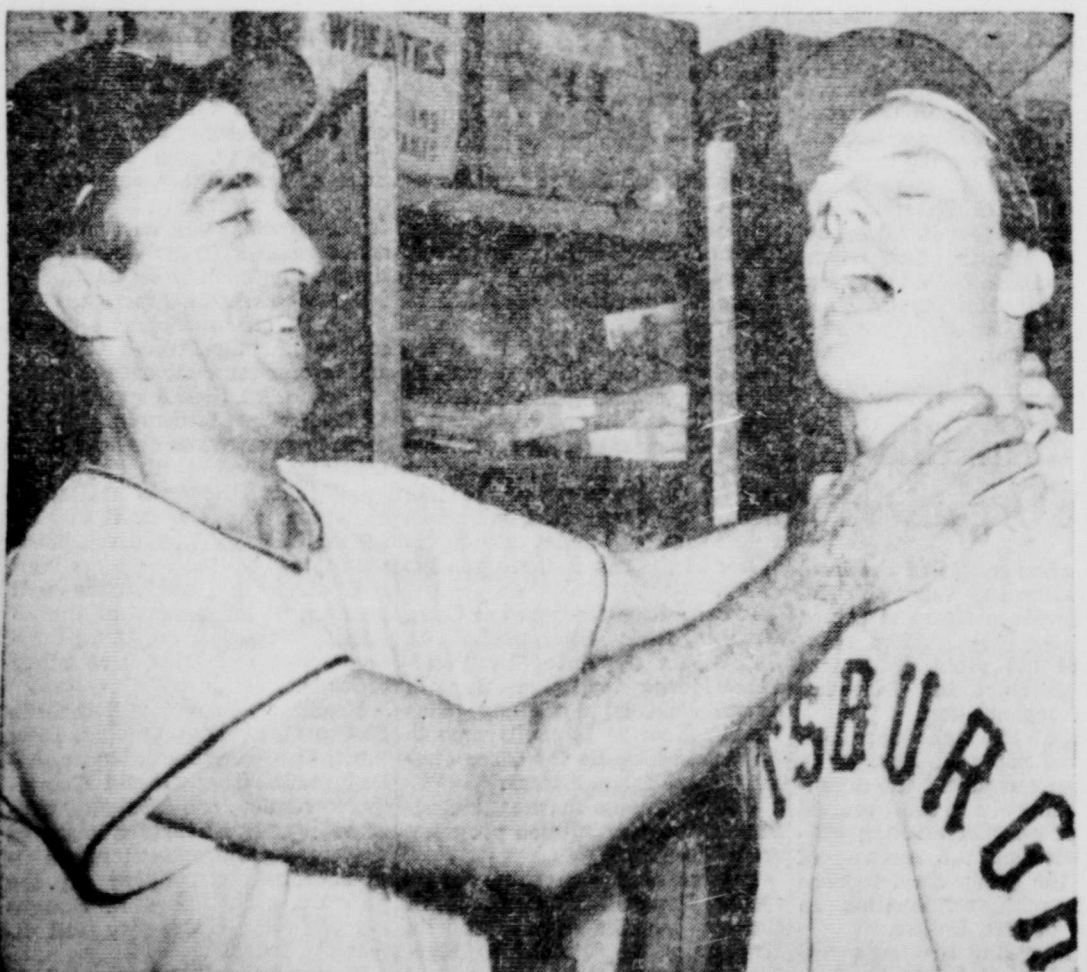
Employees of the state will swarm to Dallas to enjoy the Fair's gigantic 1950 Mid-Century Exposition on this specific day, arranged by the Texas Public Employees Association.

Many of the Association's membership of 16,500 state employees, and delegates from its 52 local chapters, will gather at the Hall of State on the fair grounds for a business meeting. Then they will take in the many colorful exhibits and the stage show "South Pacific."

Ray L. Greer, who has been visiting his brother, Ralph Greer of Route 2, Cisco, for the past week, left Tuesday for his home at Yakima, Washington. He visited another brother, Ross Greer, at Sioux Falls, S. Dakota, while on this trip.



SAD MEAL—While seated along vehicle tracks on sandy terrain, these tired, grimy GIs of the hard-fighting 27th Regiment bend over full mess gear somewhere in South Korea. In place of glass chandeliers, they have the tinkle of aluminum mess kits. Dinner conversation is grim.



ALL IN FUN—Giant hurler Sal Maglie wraps his huge paws around the neck of Pirate Gus Bell after the latter had popped one of Sal's pitches for one of those extra special "two-bit homers" during a game in New York's Polo Grounds. Bell's cheapie stopped Maglie's scoreless streak at 45 innings. But four cuts shy of Carl Hubbell's National League mark.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sherill visited here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coats while en route to Odessa, their former home, from Miami, Fla., where they have spent the past 14 months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Webb of Burgett were weekend visitors in Cisco, guests of her mother, Mrs. D. R. Dowda, and her aunt, Miss Swails.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rider and children spent the weekend at Ranger where they were guests of relatives. They were met there by her brother who visited them and other relatives.

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AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

WCS Celebrated Tuesday

Meeting by Groups

The Women's Society of Christian Friends of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday evening in the spacious dining room of the hotel in celebration of their 10th anniversary since reorganization of the church's church society.

The receiving line composed of Mrs. E. H. Lightfoot, Mrs. Joe I. Patterson of Gorr, and Rev. and Mrs. Les Seymour, Mrs. John Shertel, J. E. Crawford, and Mrs. Smith greeted the guests.

Carrel Smith, WCS president, presided over the meeting and presided over the singing of "Faith of Our Fathers" with Miss Jane Huestis at the piano. Prayer by Rev. E. Lightfoot, church pastor, followed. Minutes of the meeting for 1940, date of the reorganization, were read by Mrs. Brock, secretary. Names of charter members were read by W. M. Joyner; Mrs. John read the list of members and Life memberships; and

the six names and the donors added to the list this week, which are as follows: David Largent, given by his grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Slaughter; Mike and Billy Rainbolt, by their grandmother, Mrs. G. P. Rainbolt; Margaret Latch, by her aunt, Miss Lela Latch; Misses Jane Huestis and Patsy King by the Society. Mrs. E. H. Lightfoot was next presented for three vocal solos, ending with "At the End of a Perfect Day."

Talks were made by Revs. Patterson and Seymour; Mrs. Patterson sang a group of songs in the Negro dialect, which she had learned in Virginia when a child. Birthday greetings were extended by Mrs. Leslie Seymour in which she explained the purpose of the organization and told of the wonderful growth and of the plans made for the future; as candles were lighted by Mrs. Carrel Smith. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Smith.

A social hour was then enjoyed. The decorated birthday cake, with tall burning candles in crystal candleholders flanking the sides, which centered the lace covered table, was admired by the assembly.

Punch was ladled by Mrs. Carrel Smith and refreshment plates with white cake squares, mints, and nuts were served by members of the WCS to more than 90 people who registered their names.

The refreshment committee was composed of Mrs. O. C. Lomax and a corps of efficient helpers.

Ciscoans Enjoy Trip To Queen City, Texas For Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Vol Latson of 3095 45th St., San Diego, came by recently and took her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clements, with them to Queen City, Texas, where they participated in a reunion of the Clements family.

Members of the family began arriving on Thursday and enjoyed visits over the weekend until Tuesday. Many of the relatives participated in the Sunday service in the church in which their parents had worshipped.

The Clements home was the choice place for the reunion, but for a larger space, the Beaver Park was offered and accepted by the relatives as it afforded splendid accommodations. On Sunday the long east side table was laden with an abundance of the choicest foods and drinks. When the visitors had eaten a full meal, there was still food enough for a large number. Trays of food were sent to their shut-in friends.

One hundred three people, relatives of the Clements family, gathered there and enjoyed the weekend reunion; among whom were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clements of Cisco and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Vol Latson of San Diego; others from points in Louisiana and Oklahoma and from Texas cities: Texarkana, Wills Point, Jefferson, Winnsboro, Houston, and many relatives in Queen City.

Reception Shower In A. A. Hansen Home Honors Bride Elect

Mrs. Albert Hansen, Mrs. Ed Huestis, Mrs. E. S. Martin, Mrs. A. T. Gorr, Mrs. Van Gardenhire, Mrs. Jimmie Lee, Mrs. Bobby Isbell, Mrs. Bob Latson, Mrs. John Dudley and Mrs. Holland Nix were hostesses for a reception shower held Saturday, Sept. 23, in the Hansen home honoring Miss Margaret Hailey whose marriage to Owen King of Dallas will take place here September 30.

The house decorations were of dahlias and other seasonal flowers, and the dining table, covered with a mosaic embroidery table cloth, had as a centerpiece a pretty arrangement of pink and white dahlias. Tall pink candles in silver candleholders flanked the centerpiece.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Hansen who then presented them to others of the receiving line who were Mrs. C. E. Hailey, mother of the bride elect, Miss Margaret Hailey, and Mrs. D. P. King, mother of the groom-to-be. Mrs. Holland Nix passed cards to the guests as they entered and asked each to write a good wish for the bride, which she put in a wish box to be given to her.

Miss Billie Hailey, the bride's sister, was in charge of registration. After the names had been registered, Mrs. John Dudley showed each guest into the adjoining room where Mrs. W. V. Gardenhire presided over the lovely gift which had been brought for the bride elect; and assisted each



FARM AND RANCH CHATTER

By LAYNE BEATY

Not many people who have been in competitive bidding at livestock auctions have experienced having the bidding suddenly stop and the animal become their property as a gift with no strings attached.

But that's what happened to Harold Brackett, Future Farmer of America member from Garland, last week at the T. J. Harrell Hampshire sale at Fort Worth. After Harold and other buyers had bid the gilt up to \$175, Mr. Harrell noticed that Harold had bid, and asked the auctioneer to stop the sale and award the animal to the FFA boy.

It is a generous gift given in a spirit of encouragement for the lads who are making such progress as the FFA and the 4-H club boys and girls studying agriculture and livestock. But it is also an excellent way to build good will for a breed and a herd.

You'd be surprised at some of the plantings of Kentucky Fescue 31 around here now. Two years ago this grass was practically unknown here, but some folk in Kentucky had discovered it in 1931, hence the name and had been developing it since then. It seems to do fine in the blackland and in the winter time.

Kr Yellow Bluestem is making fine pasture hereabouts, too.

It is good to see people with the financial means to do it buy old wornout land and bring it back to fertility by putting them in the right grasses, etc., and giving them the proper soil conserving face liftings that they need.

Especially do we like to see this happen when the business or professional man who's doing it doesn't rely altogether on his own store of agricultural knowledge, often out of date or meager or both, but gets counsel from men who know the proved methods.

Of course, when a man of means buys into a neighborhood, he often finds himself paying higher wages for hired labor than his neighbors, which upsets the labor situation there and makes him grossly unpopular with said neighbors, and that is not good.

We like the approach of Dr. A. Keller Doss, a Fort Worth physician took when he aspired to become a farmer. As soon as he had acquired a wornout dairy farm and moved a good family onto it, he got in touch with the right man who knew what to do about soil conservation.

That man happened to be Arthur courtade, a work unit conservationist for this soil conservation district.

After two years, gullies are disappearing, and good pasture is on the way back. Dr. Doss does much of the labor himself on his weekends and afternoons off. It's his hobby. He'd rather drop a grass seedling into a hole than make a hole in one on the golf course.

His farm isn't a showplace, but one of these days folks are going to be driving miles to see his pastures. And he hasn't upset any wage scales for helpers.

In seeing them.

Mrs. Jimmie Lee next escorted the group to the dining room for refreshments. Mrs. Bobby Isbell had charge of the silver tea service at an end of the table and poured; refreshment plates of open face sandwiches, cookies, and mints were served, and a favor of miniature pink sail on a white marshmallow boat, bearing the names, Margaret and Owen, was placed on each plate.

Others assisting in the dining room were Mrs. A. T. Gorr and Mrs. E. S. Martin.

Popular numbers of recorded music were played throughout the hours of the reception.

Seventy-five friends called and sent gifts during the evening.

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FARM NEWS

By The Hired Hand

This week we made several visits in the Romney community and found some interesting bits of news about folks and farms south of Cisco.

At the Reed Grocery of Romney we met Everett Martin from Carbon who is employed by the county farm agent. Martin had several aerial photographs of farming country around Cisco. He told us that most of what he knows about farmers around here would not do to print. You see, these photographs are very revealing in that they show the government how much each farmer fudges on his allotted acreage of peanuts, cotton, etc.

In a more serious mood, Martin told us that most of the farmers around Cisco are very cooperative with the government's farm program.

Inside the grocery store we met W. J. Bishop, E. D. Brooker, and B. C. Mitchell from Long Branch. These men had been chasing a couple of stray horses and had stopped by the grocery to buy themselves some cold drinks and lunch snacks.

Down the highway we met Mrs. A. Rich who was planting turnips in a garden by the side of their dwelling. She told us that the ants had eaten up her last planting of turnips.

Mr. Rich was out in the field digging peanuts. They reported that their peanut crop was looking mighty good so far.

The Riches also have some fine looking white Leghorns and Rhode Island red chickens.

We found Mr. and Mrs. Simpson in the front room of their lovely farm home. Mrs. Simpson was shelling peas and Mr. Simpson seemed to be having a good easy time of resting. Said he was planning to begin harvest-

ing peanuts Wednesday.

The Simpsons are raising almost everything on their farm. They have some 340 white Leghorn pullets that are just now beginning to start laying. They said that they have not decided yet whether or not to go into the new deal to sell No. 1 eggs.

On a road to the left of the highway, we met L. W. Slone. He is supposed to be a retired farmer but he keeps pretty busy on his small Romney farm. Mr. Slone has most of his land rented out for the raising of peanuts and feed.

Down the road from the Slone farm, we met Hi Sims who told us that he is just about ready to begin harvesting peanuts. Sims has a mighty nice looking little farm.

M. C. Miller is raising mostly peanuts and maize this year. He also has some chickens, cows and a horse on his farm. Mrs. Miller said that they keep the horse for "sentimental reasons."

L. C. Gipson also has a good crop of peanuts on the way, according to his mother who lives on the place. The Gipson farm is also blessed with some beautiful white Leghorns.

We found W. H. Maynard on a new John Deere tractor just in from several hard hours of plowing. The Maynards have an orchard of peach and pear trees. They told us that the hail damaged the most of their fruit this year.

Along the way we met Miss Pearl White, a lady farmer who has had a fine vegetable garden all summer, and still has a beautiful flower garden in the front yard of her little home.

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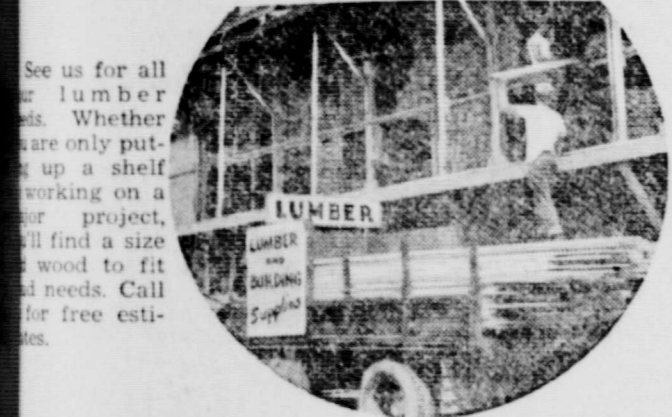


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Mrs. F. O. Schaefer celebrated her 75th birthday last Sunday, at which time she was honored by a group of kinfolk and friends who brought many nice presents to her. Mrs. Schaefer and husband live just west of Cisco in the Reich community.

nell of Corinth; Mrs. Agnew and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Huestis of Cisco; Mrs. Golda Warren of O'Donnell and her mother, Mrs. Susie Archer of Cisco.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. R. A. Agnew and family the past Sunday were their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Evans, and daughters Elizabeth and Bur-

Mrs. Joe Wilson and Mrs. A. J. Olson went to Woodson Monday and visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wilson and children. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Jones who also visited relatives there.



EASY TO HANDLE—Jimmie Lee Roberts isn't having a bit of trouble in picking up six dogs at one time in San Antonio, Tex. They're new-born Chihuahua puppies but when they're full grown, they'll weigh less than two pounds each, and Jimmie Lee will still be able to manage all of them together.



NICE WORK—Judges, left to right, Will Connell, Melvin K. Archer and Albert Stewart have the enviable chore of selecting one of these girls as Queen of the Los Angeles County Fair, in Pomona, Calif. The girls are all students at Mount San Antonio College there.

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Mrs. Willie Hines of Pleasant Hill community accompanied her son-in-law, Maj. McCurry and his wife and two children, to Cisco Monday where they left for California. They have been living in the Philippine Islands for the past few years. While in Cisco they stopped for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Tucker have returned from a weekend visit with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Peters and family at Hood Village.

Mrs. Roy Phippen is spending the week in Fort Worth with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Drury, and their infant daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe plan to leave early Thursday for Hope, Ark., to accompany their aunt, Miss Ida Carlton, who has been their guest the past three weeks, on the return trip home. The Poes will remain there for a few days' visit.

Carol Ann Atwood Complimented With Birthday Party

Mrs. E. L. Atwood entertained a number of children at her home, 1103 Ave. L, Tuesday afternoon, honoring the fifth birthday of her daughter, Carol Ann Atwood.

Hours of the party were from 4 to 6 p. m.

A number of interesting games, in keeping with the ages of the children, were enjoyed, and pictures were made of the group.

The guests were next invited into the dining room to see the pretty birthday cake with five glowing candles atop. The chil-

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dren grouped around the honoree and sang "Happy Birthday to You" and watched as she blew out the candles. Refreshments of ice cream and birthday cake with favors of candy mints and balloons were passed out by the hostess to the following:

Carol Ann Atwood, Sonja Kay Thackerson, Erlene Townsend, Bernie Don West, Dee Ann Boyd, Roger Weaver, Eddie Hayes, Carnell Hogan, Howard Hamilton, Sharon Kay Shoemaker, all of Cisco; Peggy and Denise Padgett and Dennis Howard Padgett of Moran.

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