

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

The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

NOT LATE yesterday for the Lake Cisco Park swimming pool. Legionnaire a crew making ready to enable the pool to open. While there, a group came from Coleman on plans for a 4-day of freshman and girls — some 200 of in June.

across the swimming the bathhouse would wonderful picnic ground cleaned up and land. The Lake Park, you flows with picnic the spring and summer. Cisco has been coming up the park. Even being made ready for opening.

Abbott is getting open his miniature golf in a week or so. Last rain caused a lot of work to be re-done. But he about the rain.

ating rink is getting a these days and evenings.

OVER TO Eastland with the group the other morning a meeting of the Commissioners' Court to ask for a in providing the National Guard unit here and at with incidental expense. But the court didn't

trip wasn't loss, however, Doc Cabaness let us drive new Chrysler New home. He had just traded. He drove it out to over the week end to brother and family and of a shakedown cruise. the car, indeed.

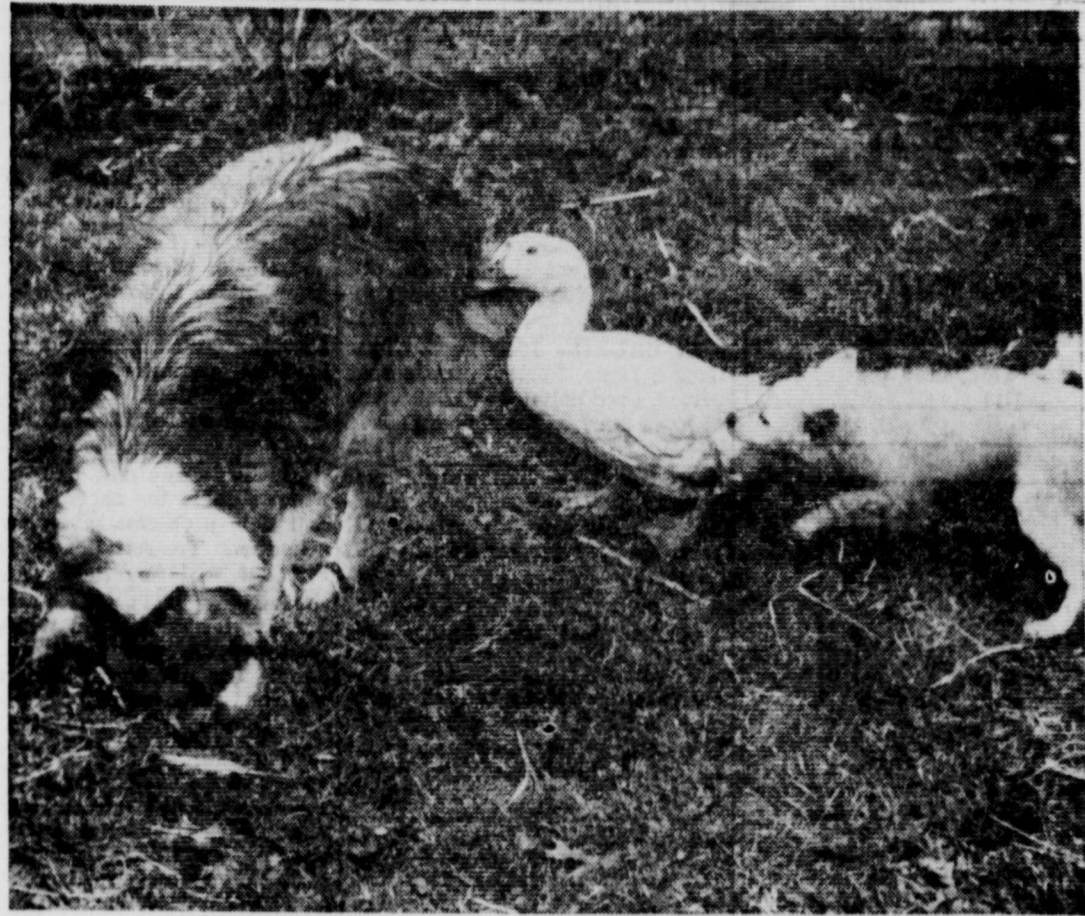
THAT MR. Bill Huff of the Humble Pipe Line here is working in for a spell. As they the Army and Navy, it's very additional duty.

FULLY expected it to be today. The windows at res office were out Tuesday Wednesday in a remodel-gram. And this is usually good sign of rain. The coming along pretty good. knew that hammers and could make so much noise.

TES FROM our new copy Imperial Type Metal Magazine a man's hobby have made one more en- . If a man is determined, nothing can stop him another man who is not determined . . . By the eighteen a girl thinks all there is to know, should be all right if she's finances in order . . . A especially appreciates an older man especially a compliment from a man . . . The best way to a creative mind it to it with detail . . . If it's menu, only two men in resist ordering spare riders.

the time in life when you ford champagne, you're so you wish you were home . . . I like to work; it fuses me. I can sit and look for hours . . . We all find of time to do the things want to do . . . When a ven- turns out successfully, we planned it that way . . . is a wonderful incentive, even those who are paid in- res need a spoken word of encouragement occasionally . . . all sopranos sing in a key, faxes voices and my nerves, to those concerned: The thing that curbs my gener- lack of funds . . . We that the people who ad- most don't know us well; that we know that those who us best are nastily critical. What makes a man think can be healthy, wealthy rise, all in one lifetime? . . . you have a tough hide, it's as well not to struggle for in the upper social . . . A verbal apology us- to be adequate, but now it be expressed with a dozen or a bottle of perfume.

and Mrs. Charlie Goodman water visited in the home aunt and uncle, Mr. and H. J. Wooldridge, over the end.



AN EYE FOR AN EYE—When Quack-Quack, a most unfriendly drake in Atlanta, Ga., was trying to annoy Missy, a collie pet who was minding her own business, Jerry, a puppy, got into the act. Quack-Quack was creeping up on Missy from the rear, and Jerry is shown doing the same to Quack-Quack who's about to receive the most unpleasant surprise of her life.

60 PIANO STUDENTS OF LOCAL TEACHERS ENTER IN AUDITIONS

The National Piano Guild auditions were completed at Cisco Junior College Tuesday in the first event of this kind ever held in Cisco. Seven piano teachers from this area entered 60 pupils in the two days the auditions were held with Mrs. Iva Guy of Washington D. C. as judge.

Robert Clinton was chairman and reported that the auditions were a great success from every standpoint. Mrs. Guy was very complimentary of the students although she was very strict in her grading.

Albany Wins Top Honors In Volley Ball Tournament

The Albany Junior High School volleyball team came from behind Saturday afternoon to edge out the Cisco Junior High School Eighth graders in the finals of the tournament held in the local gym to take first place trophy.

The Cisco team won the first of a three game series in the finals 15-4 and were leading in the second game when the Albany girls hit their stride to win the second and third games.

Putnam won the consolation trophy after eliminating the Cisco Sixth and Seventh grade team in two overtime contests. The Cisco team had lost its opening contest to Eastland.

Two teams from Albany, two from Cisco, one from Putnam, Eastland, May and Scranton made up the eight team card for the tournament. Local school officials hoped that the Cisco tournament would be the beginning of several to be held in the area before the closing of school for the year.

Lake Park Greets 2 School Groups

Several groups have planned spring outings at Lake Cisco Park and two groups have been there during the past few days, it was reported today.

A group of adult leaders was here from Coleman Tuesday to make plans to bring some 200 club girls here in June for a 4-day encampment. Plans are also in the making for a similar group to be here at a later date.

Monday visitors at the park included 20 members of the Breckenridge school volleyball team. Headed by Miss Jay Childers, teacher and coach, they enjoyed a picnic and skated.

The senior class from Gordon High School in Palo Pinto County was here last Thursday. They went through the Lake Cisco dam, skated and enjoyed a picnic.

Plans Completed For H-SU Rodeo Event This Week

ABILENE, April 25 — Fifth annual Hardin-Simmons University rodeo will be held this weekend, beginning with matinee and night performances Thursday in the Carl Myers Memorial Arena.

Students were graded on accuracy, tone quality, technique, rhythm, phrasing, dynamics, interpretation, and repertoire. Students received grades which told them whether they were superior, excellent or good.

Students of Miss Ora Howell who placed in the excellent class were Judy Kay Slaughter, Linda Evans, Claudene Tucker, Leannah Leveridge, Dyanne Moad, Camille Lee and Darlene Dunning.

Students of Mrs. B. A. Butler who rated superior were Linda Lucas, Peggy Hailey, Ann Carothers, and Mary Wayne Houston.

Students of Mrs. Ben Krauskopf who rated excellent were Reeta Sue Burroughs, Linda Bennie, Linda Curry, Bille Jean Moates, Jan Cameron, Gail Graham, Linda Sue Pyle, and Shirley Ann Fowler.

Students of Mrs. Krauskopf with a good plus rating were Pat Hussey, Frank Aycock, Norma Sue Shaefer, and Arlene Bint.

Students of Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark who rated excellent were Jan Johnston, Linda Cheves, Gatha Thompson, and David Cheves.

Students of Mrs. Clark with good ratings were Jerry Turner, Patricia Mayer, Annelle Popalio and TiaJauna Alford.

Students of Robert Clinton who rated superior were Johnnie Turner and Gayle Williams. Excellent ratings were made by Patsy Nell Haynie, Ellen Whatley, Barbara Hightower and Hleen Taylor.

Students of Charles Kiker who rated superior was Judith Anne Brannan. Students with an excellent rating were Rhelda Reed, Johnnie Brannan, Janis Knox, Pat Bonney and Fred Shockley.

Students of Mrs. E. C. Waddell who rated excellent were Beth Isenhower, Marq Helen Isenhower, Carolyn Sue White, Marilyn Gilliland, Barbara Snyder, Beverly Koneczak, and Sarah Hatchett.

Mrs. Guy is widely known in the music world and has attended major schools. She is in considerable demand for auditions and talks.

MARENE'S MINSTRELS PROVES BIG HIT FOR CISCO AUDIENCE

A near-capacity Cisco audience applauded the work of some 50 Eastland residents here Tuesday night in the presentation of Marene's Minstrels at the high school auditorium.

The program, featuring the old time interlocutor and his black-face comedians, was highly entertaining in all respects. It featured colorful dialogue and stories, good songs and music and a variety of numbers with appeal. Interlocutor Bruce Pipkin was in top form.

The minstrel was in two acts, giving virtually all of the some 25 black-face men opportunities to sing or perform. A "between-acts" program featured guitarists, a tap dance and a routine by some 15 teen-age girls.

The minstrel was presented here by the Cisco Lions Club, and all profits from the show will be divided by the Lions and the Eastland players. The Cisco funds will be used by the Lions in building a playground at the Community Gym, while Eastland's share will go into their city's hospital fund.

The Lions expressed their appreciation to the Eastland group for bringing the show to Cisco, to local merchants for donations of country store prizes and for program advertising and to others who contributed to the success of the show.

Lion President T. C. Williams said the show was a success in all respects. The total receipts for the event was not available.

Eligibles Urged To File Claims For SS Benefits

Some persons in the Abilene area have already lost one month's benefit by not filing their claims before the end of March, according to Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene social security office.

Mr. Fisher explained that many persons became eligible for monthly old-age and survivors insurance benefits when the new social security law went into effect on September 1, 1950. Since the law permits retroactive payments for only six months prior to the month in which a claim for benefits is filed, an eligible individual who did not file his claim before the end of March has already lost his payment for September. However, the loss can be held to one month by filing application this month, since a claim filed in April can be retroactive to October of last year.

Among those who became eligible for benefits last September are dependent children, widows, and parents of deceased veterans of World War II. Also, retired workers who have reached the age of 65 are eligible for benefits if they have worked at least 18 months under social security. If the worker is 75, it is not necessary for him to retire in order to qualify for payments.

Anyone who was made eligible by the new law should file a claim before the end of April to prevent further loss of benefits, Mr. Fisher said. Claims should be filed with the nearest office of the Social Security Administration. The Abilene office is at 308 Post Office Building, Abilene.

College Official Is Cisco Visitor

In a letter signed by Dr. Alfred H. Nolle, chairman of the committee on standards and classification of the Texas Association of Colleges, officials of Cisco Junior College were notified Wednesday that Physics department of the school had been approved by the association.

The approval means that credits in the Physics Department of any college students may enter after leaving Cisco Junior College. The approval was effective for the current term of school which began on September 5.

The 1950-51 school year marked the first time in recent years that Cisco Junior College had offered Physics to students and it is unusual that approval by the association is given the first year. With the approval of the Physics department all the science subjects taught at the college are accepted by association members.

The Science Department of the school is under the direction of Lester Matthews, a graduate of North Texas State College, where he obtained his degree as Master of Science.

Boy Scout Pow Wow Planned At Eastland

The regular Monthly Pow Wow for Scouters of the North District of the Comanche Trail Council will be held on the Roof Garden of the Connelle Hotel in Eastland at 7:30 p. m. Monday, April 30th. E. R. Maxwell of Breckenridge is district chairman of the two county district composed of Eastland and Stephens counties. Eastland Scouters will be host to the group.

Dr. J. C. Whittington is vice chairman representing Eastland. Arthur Merritt is in charge of arrangements of the supper. Maxwell urged every Scouter to be present and participate in the important matters up for discussion.

Dr. Armitage Gives Program At College

Dr. Frank Guy Armitage, a well known entertainer, appeared at the assembly hour at Cisco Junior College today and gave imitations of characters in Charles Dickens works.

Dr. Armitage, who was born in Canada, is a graduate of both Harvard and Yale Universities and hold almost every degree offered.

He appeared under the sponsorship of Southern School Assemblies, an organization presenting programs to school gatherings.

Location Announced For Deep Wildcat Test West Of City



GOING HOME—Danish actress Osa Massen presents a pretty, sea-gold view as she sails from New York aboard the liner Independence. The voyage was the initial one for the new 29,500-ton liner which is the most modern American passenger vessel.

HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR AND BAND TO ENTER CONTESTS THIS WEEK

The Cisco High School Choir under the direction of Robert Clinton will be one of 17 choirs to participate in the Region II Competition-Festival to be held in Brownwood April 26th. The rules and ratings will be the same as for the bands, which play Friday and Saturday.

Judges for the event will be Dr. Gene L. Memmie, Texas Tech; Dr. Frank McKinley, North Texas State College; Robert Page, Odessa Junior College; and Euell Porter, Hardin-Simmons University.

The Cisco Choir will be given two ratings; one for the performance of three numbers sung without music, the second for their sight-reading ability.

After all of the choirs have sung there will be a Festival Chorus under the direction of Dr. Gene Hemmle in which all of the choirs will come together and sing for an hour. During this time Dr. Hemmle will demonstrate some of the things that were found to be wrong with the choirs.

Civil Service To Hire Inspectors For Air Forces

More than 200 positions for inspectors of Air Force maintenance and production are available in twelve states of the southwest and south, the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners announced today, inviting interested persons to obtain experience ratings.

Salaries for the positions in various categories range from \$3100 to \$4600 a year.

The Board explained that the inspectors are needed by the Air Force to administer, supervise, perform work involved in maintenance surveillance of contractors performing Air Force work in manufacturing plants, to assure compliance with contractual requirements in aircraft manufacturing, modification and repair.

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Positions exist for such inspectors in the Southern Air Procurement District which include New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina and Alabama.

The board pointed out that application forms may be obtained from post offices in any of the principal towns and cities of the area and the completed forms should be mailed to: Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Post Office Box 9038, Fort Worth, Texas.

New Project Planned For Bankline Field

A new wildcat oil test for the Cisco area is the Intex Oil Company No. 1 A. J. Phippen to be drilled one and a half miles northeast of Dothan in Eastland County. Location has been made, but drilling equipment had not been moved in early this week.

Location is 467 feet from the south and east lines of Section 3182, TE&L Survey. Permit calls for a well 4,150 feet deep with rotary equipment.

Another new location for the area is to be an effort to extend the Bankline-Owens pool, five miles northeast of Cisco. Bankline Oil Company has obtained several permits to drill on the J. I. Evans Estate land, located just south of production in field.

First location to be drilled with the Bankline Oil Company's No. 6 J. I. Evans Estate. The tract is located in Section 47, Block 4, H&TC Survey. Equipment was being rigged up today to begin drilling operations.

Bankline's No. 12 A. V. Clark was drilling at 1,365 feet today in the Bankline-Owens pool.

Two new locations have been announced for the area east of Cisco. S. D. Johnson, Wichita Falls, will drill his No. 1 W. J. Matthews as a 3,500-foot rotary test some seven miles southeast of Cisco in Section 23, Block 4, H&TC Survey.

The same operations will drill his No. 1 O. C. Holcomb in the John House Survey some one and a half miles northeast of Eastland.

South of Cisco, the McElroy Ranch Company No. 1 Dan Wendle was drilling ahead today at 3,167 feet. The Lake sand was topped at 3,140 feet in the wildcat test late Tuesday and a drill stem test showed some oil and gas. Location is 467 feet out of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of Section 52, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

4-H Club Judging Team Is Picked

The Eastland County 4H Club livestock judging team is completing its preparation for the district elimination contest, in Stephenville on Saturday, according to C. V. Whitaker, assistant county agent and coach of the team.

Nine boys started training this year but this week the four boys were selected to make up the team. All of the boys are from the Scranton 4H Club: Dan Jobe, Don Jobe, Marvin Anthony, and Don Slabton.

These boys will compete against eleven other teams at Stephenville and the two high teams will represent District 8 at the state roundup at College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clinton of Scranton will accompany the team and assistant county agent on the Stephenville trip. Bill Clinton is the local leader for the Scranton 4H Club and the uncle of Dan and Don Jobe. Mrs. Whitaker and Carla will also make the trip.

Cawleys Are Back From Coast Visit

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cawley returned Saturday from Seattle, Washington, where they had been to take their son, Pvt. Max Cawley, to Fort Lawton where he was to report for assignment, probably to an Alaskan post.

On the return trip the party visited friends and relatives in San Francisco and Los Angeles. They were accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lanier of Abilene. Mr. Lanier is a brother-in-law of Mr. Cawley.

PLAY SCHEDULED TONIGHT

The public was invited to a play scheduled for the Church of the Nazarene at 7:45 o'clock tonight. The play entitled "Sand, Soup and Sagebrush" will be presented by the young people of the North Fort Worth Church of the Nazarene. Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Clegg will accompany the group to Cisco for the presentation. Rev. Clegg, minister of the Fort Worth Church, was one time minister of the local church.

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The Course To Steer

In the first fireworks that followed the President's abrupt and unexpected dismissal of General MacArthur from his four commands in the Far East, some of the big underlying issues tended to be submerged. Political comment, with a few exceptions, followed party lines — the Republicans said it was a black day for this country and the Democrats said the President had no alternative. White House spokesmen said the General had clearly exceeded his authority, and intimated he had been deliberately insubordinate to his Constitutional superiors. A close associate of the General denied this flatly. MacArthur partisans said the President had played into the hands of the communists and enormously weakened the free world. MacArthur opponents said his removal greatly enhanced the chances for a workable peace.

Time will settle this part of the debate — and that debate reached blow-torch heat when MacArthur returned to this country and spook for himself. In the meantime, entirely aside from the MacArthur incident, foreign policy, in all of its many ramifications, is again squarely in the national spotlight.

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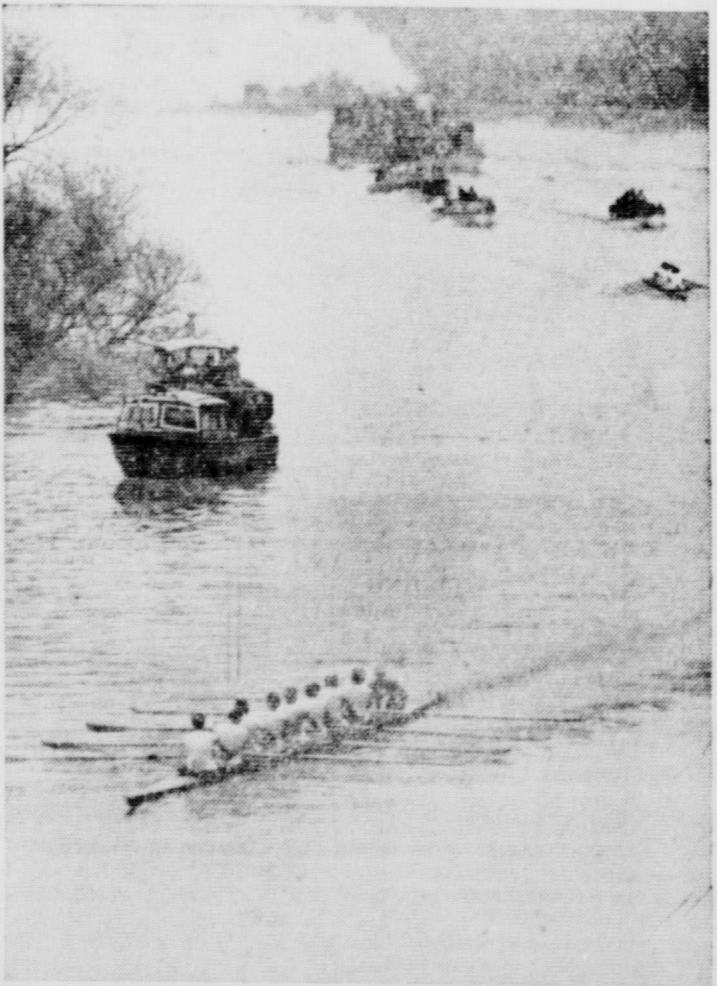
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BEAUTY FOR THE BEACH—Although lovely starlet Mona Knox would be an asset to any beach, for some reason she got no farther than a Hollywood photographer's studio for this picture. But he's thoughtfully sprinkled some sand around to imitate nature.



BLONDES PREFER BOOKS—Author Eunice Gray, left, is autographing a copy of her new novel for burlesque queen Dardy Orlando in Chicago. Dardy's one glamorous blonde who obviously has no aversion to books, and Eunice is another who's more interested in writing a novel than in merely reading one.



WINNING BY 12 LENGTHS—Cambridge crewmen rest on their oars on the Thames River in London after winning the re-row of the 97th annual Oxford vs Cambridge boat race. The Cambridge crew won by 12 lengths and rowed 4 1/4 miles in 20 minutes and 50 seconds. The first race was abandoned when the Oxford shell sank and the Cambridge craft became water-logged.

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AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

W.S.C.S. Has Program And Tea At Meet Tuesday At Church

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday in the basement of the church. The meeting was opened by the singing of the song, "In Christ There is No East or West," followed by prayer by Mrs. John Shertzer. The meeting was then turned to Mrs. Paul Wood, who gave a short review on the study of "The Near East," and then introduced the speaker, Miss Eudora Hawkins. Miss Hawkins gave a discussion on Palestine and showed a film strip on Palestine. The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mrs. Leslie Seymour. A tea followed the business session. The table was covered with a dark green cloth. Hot tea, sandwiches, and cookies were served to the following visitors: Miss Eudora Hawkins, Mrs. Marion Sampson of Abilene, Mrs. Lawton of Athens, Mrs. Davis, and the following members: Mesdames: E. H. Lightfoot, T. J. Dean, Leo Clinton, O. H. Dess, A. M. Baird, D. P. King, B. J. Osborn, Paul Woods, W. E. Ricks, R. I. Collinsworth, Carrell Smith, Joe Wilson, John Shertzer, O. C. Lomax, Walter Boyd, Leslie Seymour, William Joyner and Mike, R. F. Elliott, Sam King, S. H. Nance, G. P. Rainbolt, George Davis, Stella Wilson, Cora Plumlee, Ed Aycock, W. W. Moore, Lou Mendenhall, Mrs. Snoddy, R. W. Merket, Zed Kilborn, Tom Stark, A. R. Westfall and Billy, Miss Minnie Eppler, Miss Ura Leveridge, Miss Bessie Wilson, and Mrs. E. L. Gaines.

East Baptist GA's Have Social Meeting

The East Cisco Baptist G. A.'s met Tuesday evening in the home of Annette Thomas for a business and social meeting. The meeting was opened by the group repeating the G. A. Watch Words. Lavonne Harrelson led in prayer. A new program chairman, Lavonne Harrelson, was elected. The devotional, "Mary The Mother of Jesus," was led by Annette Thomas. Plans were made to attend the Coronation Friday night at

Ranger. The meeting was dismissed with the singing of the Prayer Song.

A social hour followed the business session. Games were played, gifts were exchanged, and refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, and drinks were served to the following: Lavonne Harrelson, Jean Thetford, Triva Wood, Nell Green, Kay Pelfrey, and Annette Thomas.

Adult Group Meets At Lipsey Residence

The Junior Adult Training Union of the East Cisco Baptist Church met recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lipsey for the regular monthly business and social meeting. Mr. M. Slaughter, president, presided. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Carlton Holder. The devotional was led by Mrs. Lipsey. New officers were elected. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Don Rupe. Refreshments were served to: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Little, Sheryle, and Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Holder and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McBeth and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rupe, Mrs. Lois Nichols, Dianne, and Garland; Mrs. Florence White and Jean, Mrs. B. F. Thomas, Mrs. Roy Marcontell and Barbara, Mr. H. V. Kirby, Mr. Robert Murphy, Mr. M. Slaughter, Mr. Arlin Agnew, Mrs. Althia Lipsey, Benji, Lorelei and Charles.

YWA Holds Meeting At Spearman Home

The Y. W. A. of the East Cisco Baptist Church met this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spearman, Abilene highway, to present a community missions program. The meeting was opened with the group singing "Amazing Grace," led by Mary Wood. Pat Gryder led in the opening prayer. Jessie Warren called the meeting to order and the group sang, "Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross." The program was then turned over to Melba Rae Harrelson, Jesse Warren, Mary Wood, Dolores Kilgore and Melba Harrelson, who presented the program.

Other members present were: Mary Wilson, Patsy Gryder, Mary Dell Abbott, and Mrs. Jimmie Erwin. A duet, "It Is No Secret," was sung by Mary Wood and Jessie Warren. The meeting was closed with prayer led by Mrs. Jimmie Erwin.

Christian Group Has Meeting On Monday

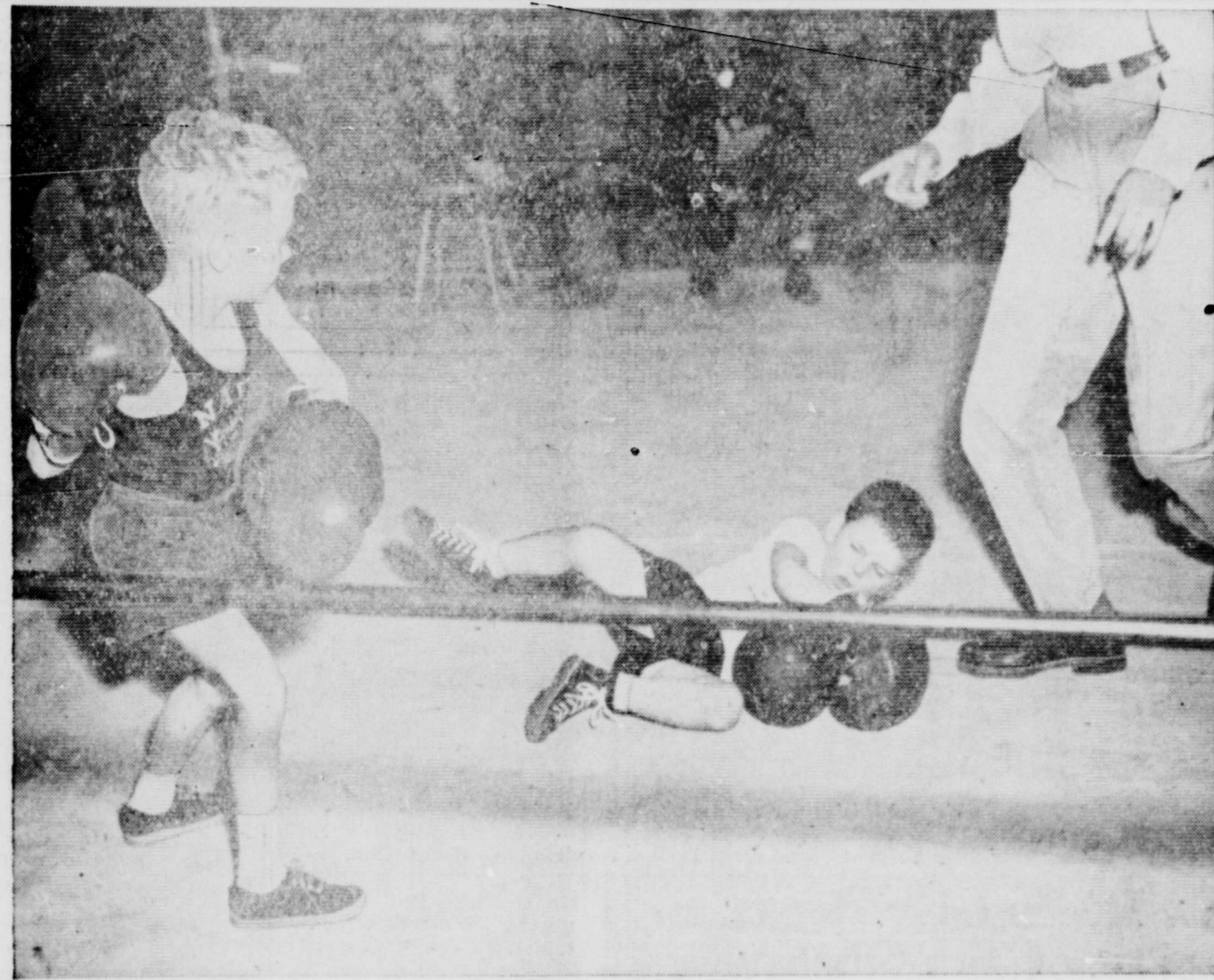
The C. W. F. of the First Christian Church met Monday evening at the church for their regular monthly meeting. Group Two gave an interesting program about the Philippine Islands. The Philippine Island theme was carried out for the program and refreshments.

Mrs. Latimer presided over the business session. An announcement was made about the Fellowship Luncheon to be held at the Methodist Church on May 4 and also about the C. W. F. training school to be held at Brownwood May 8. Plans were made for a mother-daughter banquet earlier in May. The meeting was closed with the Missionary Benediction. Refreshments were served to Twenty-six members.

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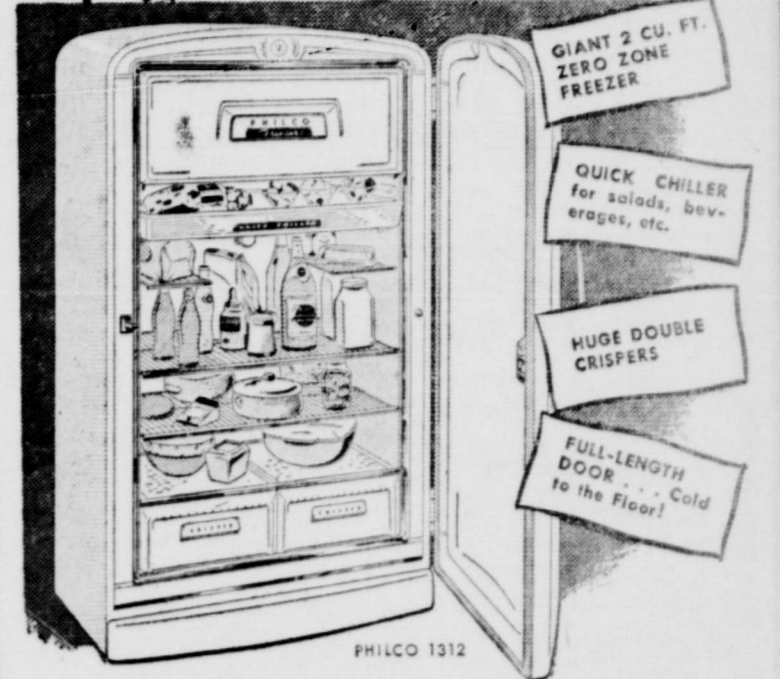
TRYING TO EARN A LIVING—Any place is a place of business during these days in war-shattered Seoul, Korea. Here, at the foot of a shrine in the heart of the city, a native woman tries to sell food. Her young son does what little he can to help his mother.



BRAND NEW CITIZENS—Little Andzej Moczynski, a five-year-old Polish refugee, took over the bridge as the U.S. Navy transport Gen. Sturgis docked in New York. Brought over by the War Relief Services of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, the lad and his family will make their home in New Cambria, Mo.

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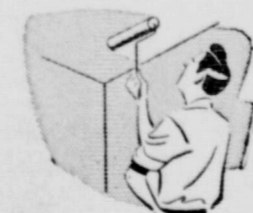
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams returned home Tuesday night from St. Louis, Missouri, where they have been on vacation. Mr. Adams is the minister of the local Church of Christ.

Mrs. W. E. Clopton of Loraine is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Woodridge, who suffered a broken hip a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kimberlin, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Alexander, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander and baby, are planning to attend the opening of the Colorado City Lake May 1. They will also visit with relatives of that city.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McCrary in a Ranger hospital recently a daughter, Barbara Sharon. Mrs. McCrary is the former Jeanne Leopold.

Mrs. O. R. Turner visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shepard, in Gunsight Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Bethel Gallagher will leave Thursday to accompany her mother, Mrs. Madge Herring, of Eastland, to Fort Worth where she is to undergo surgery in the Harris Memorial Hospital Saturday.

Mrs. B. Reeves of Trent spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCaries.

EASTERN STAR MEETS
The Order of The Eastern Star met Tuesday at the Masonic Hall for their regular meeting with Mrs. Stella Lisenbee, Worthy Matron, and Joe Brown, Worthy Patron present, presiding. The Annual Memorial Service was planned for May 8 and other routine business was transacted. Twenty-five members were present.

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TROUBLE IN BRUSSELS—Disabled Belgian war vets are shown parading in Brussels in a demonstration for higher pensions. The banner they carry reads: "Money for non-veterans; nothing for war amputees." They later made a pile of their artificial limbs at the city's busiest intersection.

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Mr. and Mrs. Phil McCaries visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCaries, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Michael of Odessa were guests in the home of Mrs. I. J. Davis Sunday.

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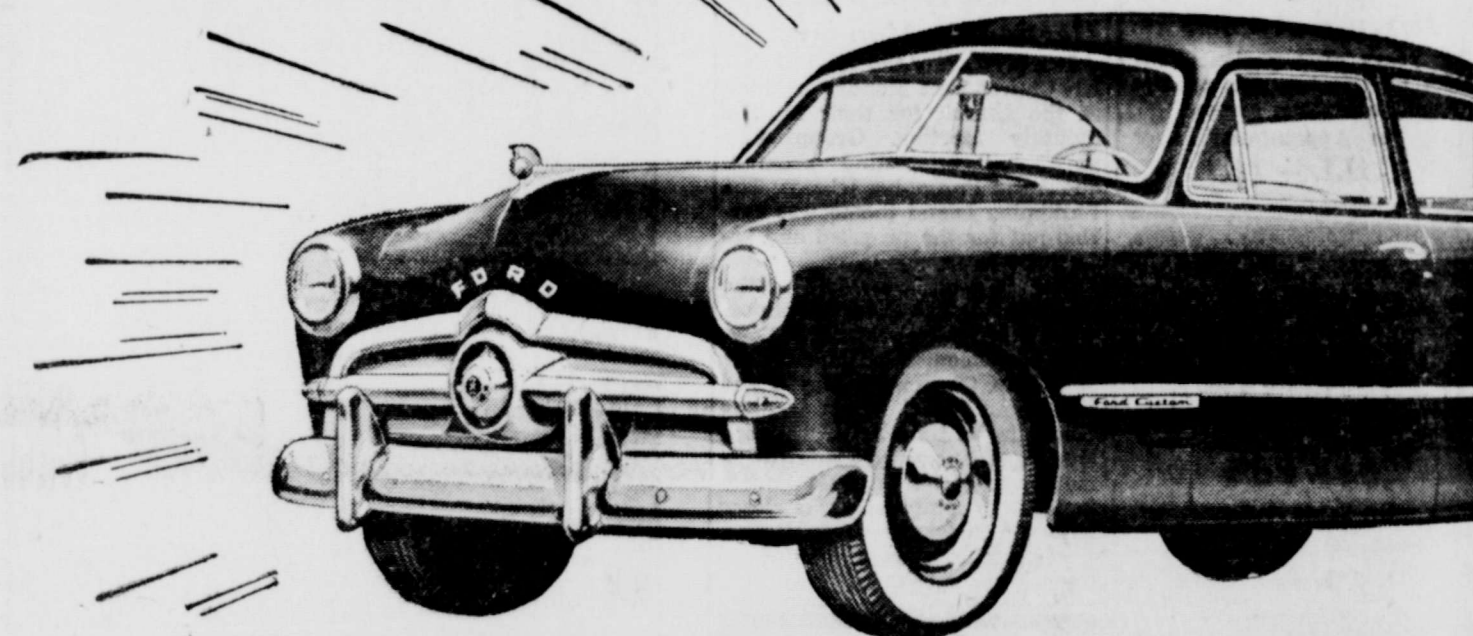
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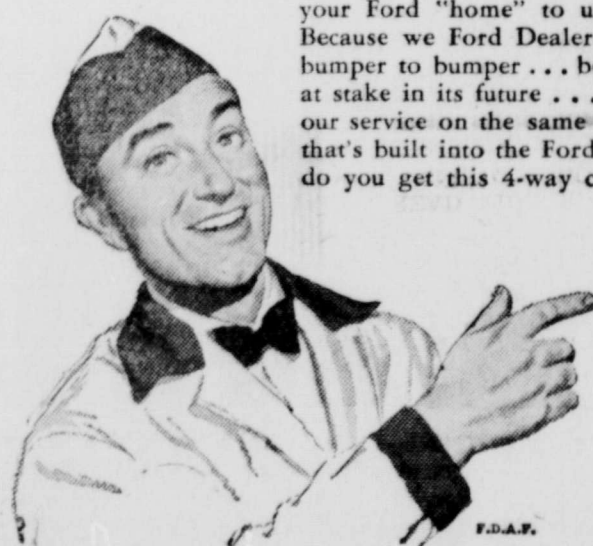


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