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The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

WE'RE REPRINTING today an article taken from The Handbook of Texas for reader interest. It will be included along with some 15,000 articles on life in Texas to be printed in book form this year. If readers wish to report inaccuracies, they should write to the Managing Editor, The Handbook of Texas, Texas State Historical Association, University Station, Austin, Texas.

The forthcoming book will deal with every phase of Texas from the primitive Indian to the present time. The following article is a short history of Eastland County. Basis for the article was a "History of Eastland County" written in 1904 by Mrs. L. Langston, and "A History of Eastland County" written by H. Lindsey, Jr., as a thesis for master's degree at the University of Texas in 1940.

The article follows: Eastland County, in West Central Texas, has an area of 925 square miles. Its rolling to hilly surface is partly in the eastern Cross Timbers and part on the prairies. The average altitude is 1,400 feet. The county is watered by some eighteen creeks and rivers, the chief of which are Savana Creek and the North and South Leon rivers. The upland soils have come from the underground rocks of sandstone, conglomerate, and limestone, varying from sandy and sandy loam to black sandy and shaly alluvials.

During the Mexican period the present area of Eastland County was a part of the department of Texas and was included in the 31 empresario grant to Stephen Austin and Samuel May Williams. The grant of the Republic of Texas to the Peters' Colony in the Texas Immigration and Land Company in 1841 also embraced Eastland County.

An act of the Seventh Legislature, in 1858, created Eastland County from Bosque, Travis, and Freyell counties and named it in honor of Captain William M. Eastland. A Mexican, Francisco Sanchez, was said to have been the first settler in the county. His families included those of William A. Mansker, Charles C. Blair, and James Ellison. The census of 1860 recorded ninety-nine people living in the county, classified chiefly as stock farmers. From 1860 to 1865 Blair's part gave frontier settlers protection from roving Kiowa, Tonkawa, and Comanche Indians.

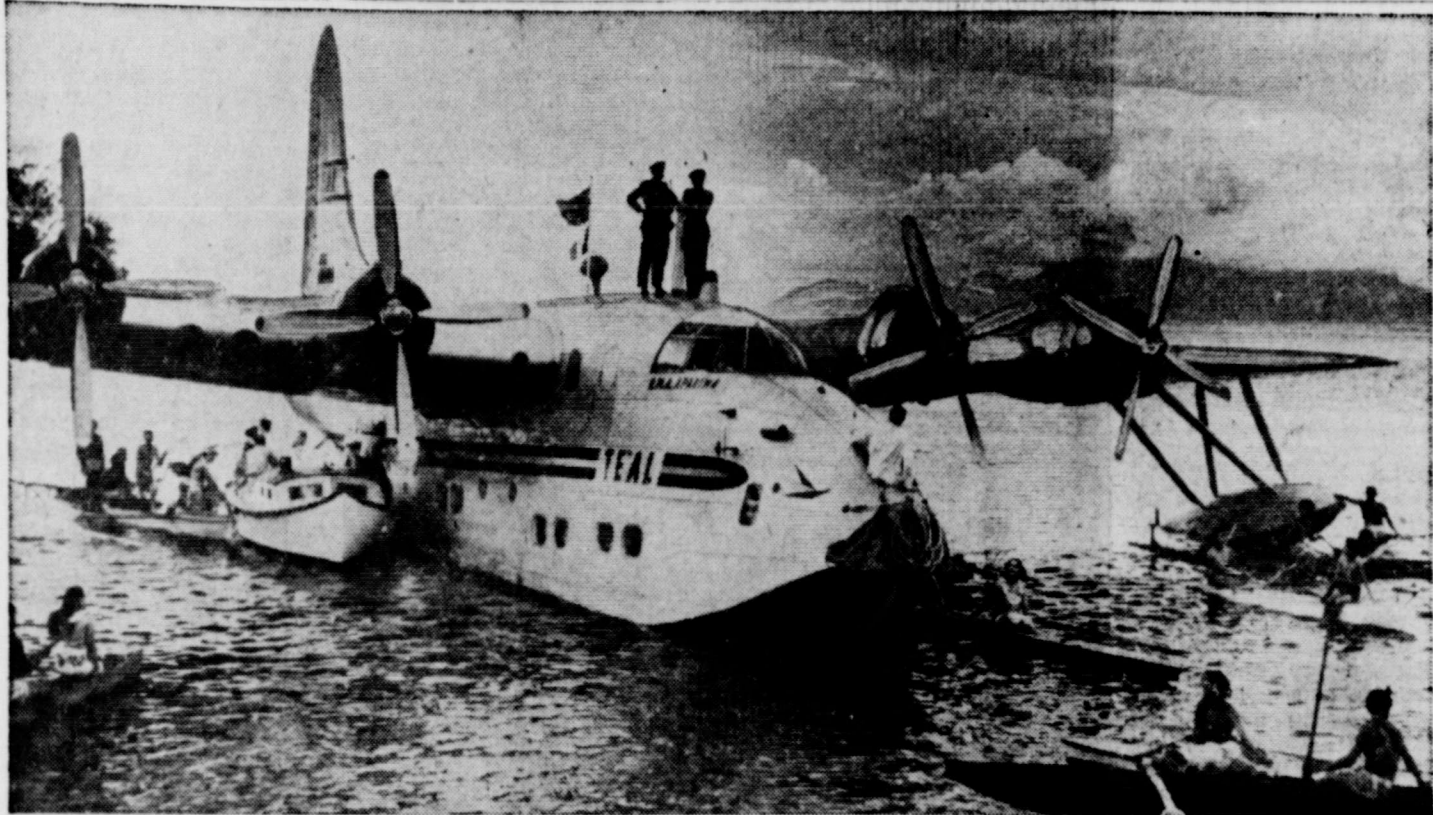
The county was organized on December 2, 1873, after the presentation of the petition for organization and division of the county into commissioners precincts on November 11, 1873. Hannegan's Ranch headquarters, called Merriman, became the county seat in February, 1874, but in 1875, Charles U. McPherson was instrumental in moving the county seat to Eastland.

About half of the area of the county is in pasture; the raising of sheep and goats is the principal livestock industry. Beef cattle, hogs, and mules are produced for market, as are dairy and poultry products. Peanuts are the chief money crop; corn, wheat, oats, grain sorghums, and soybeans are grown. Vegetables and fruits are produced principally for local consumption. Industries include oil refining, flour milling, and poultry dressing. On October 11, 1917, oil was discovered near Ranger, and a boom was started which lasted until 1922. The population increased from 23,421 in 1910 to 30,505 in 1920. The 1940 census showed 30,345, but by 1950 population had dropped to 23,793. The county is served by the Texas and Pacific and the Missouri, Kansas, and Texas Railroads. Retail centers are Eastland, Ranger, Cisco, and Rising Star; Cisco is a recreational center.

MEMBERS HEAR TALK

Members of the Cisco Volunteer Fire Department heard a discussion of resuscitation and the respiratory system by Dr. E. E. Kelly at a regular meeting Friday night at the fire station. All members of the department were present, Secretary Bill Kendall reported.

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WELCOME IN TAHITI—Natives are swarming around a flying boat in Papeete, Tahiti, in a South Sea Island welcome. The greeting climaxed the plane's inaugural flight from Auckland, New Zealand, to the colorful island in the South Pacific.

Pete Rumley Is Critically Hurt In Auto Mishap

Wilburn W. (Pete) Rumley, 35 year old Cisco tailor, was in a critical condition Saturday morning in a Weatherford hospital following an automobile accident which occurred Friday night 10 miles west of Weatherford. Floyd Atterberry, 33, of Weatherford was killed in the accident and two others were in the Parker County hospital with critical injuries.

State Highway Patrolman E. J. Wimberly said that the cars driven by Rumley and Atterberry collided head-on and that a third car driven by Morris Horton, a Merchant Marine radio officer, collided with a horse trailer at the rear of Rumley's car.

Irvine Is Named Chairman Of Red Cross Roll Call

George Irvine, assistant division superintendent for the Humble Pipe Line Company here, has been named chairman for the annual Red Cross Roll Call for the Cisco area, it was announced Saturday. The drive will be conducted between March 1 and 15. This city's 1952 quota is \$1,700—\$200 more than last year—due to the heavy expenditures of the Red Cross in the Kansas floods last spring and in the Korean war. Cisco led all Eastland County by exceeding its quota by \$434 last year in a drive directed by Mrs. Willard K. White.

Mr. Irvine was expected to begin organization work for the drive this week.

Mrs. T. B. Bryan of Socorro, New Mexico, is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. H. McCannies.

CISCO SELECTED AS HOST CITY FOR BAPTIST DISTRICT MEETING

The First Baptist Church of Cisco was selected as host church for the 1953 meeting of District 17 of the Texas Baptist Convention, a district composed of 160 churches, at the district meeting Friday in Abilene. The next meeting will be held Oct. 1 and 2, 1953.

The Rev. Ralph T. Wootton, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cisco, served as chairman of the committee to select a church, time and preacher for the 1953 meeting. The invitation of Cisco was accepted. Rev. Melvin Rathel, Eastland, will be the preacher.

Ciscoans appearing on the program included the Rev. F. C. Bradley, pastor of the East Cisco

Donkey Basketball Game Planned At Community Gym Saturday Night

A donkey basketball game arranged by the athletic department of Cisco Junior College has been scheduled for 7:30 p. m. Saturday, February 23. The game will be played at the community gymnasium as the climax of the cage season of all Cisco schools.

The donkeys are owned and have been trained by Cliff Dunham of Oklahoma. They will wear rubber shoes in order to keep from damaging the gym

Two Cisco Teams In Tourney Final Rounds Saturday

Two Cisco Junior High School teams advanced to the finals of their own basketball tournament with victories over their opponents Friday afternoon and were to play in the final rounds Saturday night.

The Cisco girls "B" team won a decisive victory over the Olden girls to enter the consolation finals. They will play the winner of the Eastland "B" team-Scranton game which was scheduled for 2 p. m. Saturday.

The Middlets will play in the Saturday night finals for the tourney championship after ousting Olden Friday afternoon 28-12. They were to play the winner of the Albany-Scranton game at 9 p. m. Saturday.

In other games Friday afternoon the Moran boys won their consolation game from Putnam and the Moran girls defeated the Putnam girls.

There was a possibility that four Cisco teams would play in the finals. If the Cisco "B" boys defeated Eastland and the Cisco "A" girls defeated Eastland the four local teams were to face opponents Saturday night. A complete story on the Saturday games will be carried in the Tuesday issue of the Press.

CHAPTER WILL MEET

There will be a called meeting of the Cisco Chapter, R. A. M., on Monday at 7:30 p. m. at the Masonic Hall for the purpose of conferring degree work, Secretary L. D. Wilson announced Saturday.

Local Rain Gauges Register .3 Inches

An all day slow drizzle Friday and a flurry of snow Friday night which lasted for about an hour deposited .30 inches of much needed moisture on the parched Cisco area and was expected to help slightly the winter wheat prospects and to stimulate pasture growth.

The rain and snow was wide spread but was not heavy in any of the region covered.

A cold front which dropped temperatures to 34 degrees Saturday morning was given the credit for bringing the rain.

Bank Checks Are Best Receipts A Real Aid In Budget Keeping 1ST. NAT'L in Cisco—Mbr F. D. I. C.

Committees Are Named To Assist In Blood Project

Appointment of committees to work with the Bloodmobile Unit here March 6 when 200 pints of blood will be sought for the armed forces were announced Saturday by Mrs. W. W. Wallace, chairman, and Mrs. Charles S. Sandler, co-chairman.

Cards on which donors may agree to donate a pint of blood will be here this week for anyone who wishes to contribute blood to the project. The blood will be sent to Fort Worth to be made into plasma for shipment to the armed forces in Korea.

The committees were named as follows:

Telephone — Mrs. M. E. Goldberg, chairman, Mrs. H. E. McGowen, Mrs. Phillip Pettit, Mrs. Homer Slicker and Mrs. Nick Miller.

Registration — Mrs. E. L. Jackson, chairman, Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mrs. Dick Bearman, Mrs. Carl Lamb, Mrs. Bill Kendall, Mrs. Aaron Robinson, Mrs. Ernest Schaefer and Mrs. Charles Sandler.

Reception — Mrs. Paul Woods, chairman, Mrs. Delmar Johnston, Mrs. H. E. McGowen, Mrs. W. C. McDaniel, Mrs. Nick Miller, Mrs. Phillip Pettit and Mrs. Homer Slicker.

Hostesses — Mrs. Carl Lamb, chairman, Mrs. E. H. Lightfoot, Mrs. B. E. Morehart, Mrs. George Irvine, Mrs. C. M. Townsley, Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. L. H. McCrea, Jr., Mrs. G. E. Berry, and Mrs. N. A. Brown.

Nurses aides — Mrs. D. Ball, chairman, Mrs. J. R. Deen, Mrs. Oma Milner, Mrs. Annie Knuckles, Mrs. J. T. Lawrence, Mrs. Merle Fowler, Miss Elizabeth Coleman and Mrs. Edward Lee.

Canteen — Mrs. Carrel Smith, chairman, Mrs. Don Choate, Mrs. M. M. Tabor, Mrs. W. F. Watson, Mrs. J. J. Tableman, Miss Cora Plumlee, Mrs. Charles Cofer, Mrs. M. O. Smith and Mrs. Ernest Schaefer.

Graveside rites for Lawrence M. Griffin, 81, will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday at the Battle Creek Cemetery near Eolian. Rev. C. L. Casey of the Cisco Primitive Baptist Church will conduct the services which will be under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

Mr. Griffin died on February 9 in Silverton, Oregon, where he had lived for the past 40 years. He moved to Silverton from this area. He was born on February 13, 1870.

Survivors are his wife, two sons, Homer Griffin and Maner Griffin of California; two daughters, Mrs. Emmy Bender of Albany, Oregon, and Mrs. Nelly Waterson of Silverton, Oregon, and a brother, Houston F. Griffin of Eastland. Also surviving are nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Former Resident Will Be Buried

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Loboes To Meet Comanche In Playoff For District Crown

LIBERIA FIELD WORKER WILL SPEAK IN CITY TUESDAY NIGHT

The Assembly of God Church will present E. L. Mason, field representative of Liberia for the Assembly of God Missions, in a missionary service Tuesday night, at 7:30 o'clock at the City Hall Auditorium, according to Rev. C. G. Fuston, pastor.

Mr. Mason, under appointment of the Foreign Missions Department of the Assemblies of God with headquarters in Springfield, Missouri, has recently returned from Liberia where he has ministered since 1945. Upon the eve of his recent departure for the States, President Tubman of Liberia decorated Mr. Mason the second time making him a Knight Commander of the Liberian Humane Order of Redemption. This recognition was given for meritorious service rendered the people of the Republic of Liberia.

Pioneering of the aviation program of the Assemblies of God was undertaken by Mr. Mason when he took the first mission plane, a Sikorsky S. 39 Amphibian, to Liberia. More than 2,000 hours were flown in this plane transporting missionaries, cargo, government mail and the general public. Since then the aviation program of the Assemblies of God in Liberia has grown until today there are three licensed pilots, an A & E mechanic and four planes serving the field. The development of this program and its relationship to the growth of missionary work in Liberia will be discussed by Mr. Mason in his message.

During his first term in Liberia a new building for the First Assembly of God in Monrovia was constructed. Also an educational program for Liberia's children was begun. This phase of the work is continuing today.

Upon the recommendation of the Field Council, Mr. Mason was asked to return to the States to

present the missionary cause in Liberia to the churches in America. Mr. Mason will describe some of the projects for which he is working.

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Cisco Airman Is Listed As Dead By Air Forces

Lieut. Col. Walter S. King, missing in action in Korea since Feb. 21, 1951, has been officially listed as killed in action, the Department of the Air Force notified his stepfather, John G. Stutville, Route 4, Cisco, last week.

"It is with the deepest regret that I must officially notify you of the termination of the missing in action status of Lieut. Col. Walter S. King, whose survival is no longer considered possible in light of the evidence evolved from an extended review of his case by the Department of the Air Force," Major General John H. McCormick, director of military personnel, wrote Mr. Stutville.

"The review just completed was initiated upon receipt of a report from the Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, informing this headquarters of the complete absence of favorable news of Colonel King since he became missing, and that no possibility was now believed to exist that he survived the loss of his plane."

Col. King was the pilot of a B-26 which departed from Japan on the morning of Feb. 21, 1951. The original Korean target was not hit due to weather and the flight proceeded to a secondary target. In bombing an enemy highway, Col. King's plane released a bomb from 50 feet altitude and the airplane exploded in mid-air. No parachutes were seen and no one was ever seen to come from the wreckage.

The Air Force has established Feb. 21, 1951, as the date of death. Col. King's wife and son reside at Fort Worth and visit here occasionally.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening at 7:30 at the Legion Hall for their regular meeting. All members have been urged to attend.

WALKER'S SECOND TRIAL IS SET FOR MARCH 3 AT BRECKENRIDGE

Trail of Horace Walker, former Eastland County delinquent tax attorney, on a second charge of embezzlement has been re-set for March 3 in the 90th District Court in Breckenridge, Special Prosecutor Frank Sparks reported Saturday.

The trial was originally set for February 18, and the new date was set due to conflicts in the court's docket, Mr. Sparks said. Walker was acquitted in his first trial at Breckenridge several weeks ago.

A hearing on a plea of privilege in a civil suit brought by the State of Texas and the County

of Eastland to recover funds alleged to have been collected by Walker and not turned in has been set for February 25 in Judge George Davenport's 91st District Court at Eastland.

In this hearing, Walker is expected to ask for a change of venue.

A hearing has been ordered in federal court in Fort Worth next April on an indictment returned against Walker by a federal grand jury, Mr. Sparks said.

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First Game Will Be Played Here

The Cisco High School Loboes wound up the regular 1952 basketball season in a blaze of glory Friday night when they downed Dublin 62-27 to wind up in a tie for the District 10-AA title with the Comanche Indians who downed Ranger in their final game.

The first playoff game between Cisco and Comanche for the district basketball championship will be played at 8 p. m. Tuesday at the community gym here. The second game will be played at 8 p. m. Thursday in Comanche.

If a third game is needed, the date and site will be decided upon at a conference of school officials. Coach Buck Overall met with Comanche officials in Brownwood Saturday morning and made arrangements for the two playoff games.

Comanche officials asked for a 200-seat section to be reserved for their fans for the Tuesday night game here.

Jim Webb with eight field goals and six free throws led in scoring with 22 points. Irvin Brunkenhoefer made eight field goals and one free throw for second place honors with 17 points. Traywick of Dublin ran a poor third with nine points.

The Lobo Queens dropped their game to Dublin by a 22-27 score. Kitty Lou Phippen was high point for Cisco with 10 but trailed Jones of Dublin who made 12. Wylene Bint made seven points for Cisco and Marie Borst sank five free throws for the remainder of Cisco's scores.

Coach Buck Overall was in Brownwood Saturday morning in a meeting with Comanche school officials to work out arrangements for a best two out of three game playoff series between the Loboes and the Indians to decide the District 10-AA representative in regional play. The Indians and the Loboes lost only to each other during the conference schedule with Cisco winning on January 11 in Cisco and Comanche returning the favor in Comanche on February 1.

Box Score

Loboes

player fg ft pf tp

Youngblood 1 4 5 6

Brunkenhoefer 8 1 3 17

Black 2 0 0 4

Webb 8 6 1 22

Johnson 2 2 4 6

Keller 1 0 1 2

Callerman 1 0 4 2

Gallagher 0 0 1 0

Loudder 0 0 0 0

Lloyd 1 1 0 3

Emsley 0 0 1 0

Total 24 14 20 62

Lions

player fg ft pf tp

Sulver 2 2 1 6

Alvarado 0 5 2 5

Traywick 2 5 5 9

McPherson 1 0 0 2

Stephens 1 0 5 2

King 1 1 3 3

Nelson 0 0 1 0

Reed 0 0 0 0

Webb 0 0 0 0

Total 7 13 17 27

Lobo Queens

player fg ft pf tp

Pippen 5 0 2 10

Bint 3 1 2 7

Borst 0 5 3 5

Warren 0 0 2 0

Eudy 0 0 4 0

Huffman 0 0 4 0

Edwards 0 0 2 0

Total 8 6 19 22

Dublin, Girls

player fg ft pf tp

Sanders 4 0 3 8

Williamson 2 3 1 7

Jones 2 8 4 12

Geb 0 0 4 0

Howard 0 0 3 0

Herrin 0 0 4 0

Prater 0 0 1 0

Total 8 11 20 27

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NARCOTIC MENACE IS SUBJECT OF PAPER AT FEDERATED CLUB MEET

A paper on "The Narcotic Menace in the United States" was read by Miss Olga Fay Ford, Cisco Junior College instructor, as the program feature Monday, Feb. 11, at the regular meeting of the City Federation of Women's Clubs. The Delphian Club was the host club.

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2. The sedatives and hypnotics such as phenobarbital and bromo-seltzer, which calm the nerves and induce sleep. These are dangerous in that they cause the user to lean on them to dull the sense of reality. They may become a habit that will cause the desire for something stronger.

3. The anesthetics such as ether, gas and chloroform, which are in the hands of medical men.

4. The narcotics, such as marijuana, opium and its derivatives; morphine, codeine and heroin. These are the drugs that cause the most trouble. Some people have the mistaken idea that alcohol is a narcotic but medical authorities generally agree that alcoholics have the physical and mental strength to stop drinking, but the drug addict cannot stop using the drug. The moral and physical degradation of the addict is greater than that of the alcoholic.

Miss Ford told the story of opium and its spread. She touched on the growing marijuana menace. She described how the drugs affect their users.

Two federal institutions — at Fort Worth and Lexington, Kentucky — are treating victims. She said that the narcotics are so habit-forming that in the treatment on heroin cases, there is a known relapse rate of 39.6 per cent.

To halt the menace, Miss Ford suggested that "we see that the existing federal and local laws prohibiting the importation, trade or possession of narcotics are enforced. We must have stronger laws to punish the peddler. The need to increase the number of men in enforcement work."

She suggests a concerted program to educate the public that everyone and particularly teenagers should know the dangers of narcotics.

"We must help the confirmed addict to rehabilitate himself," she said. "Regardless of where

the upsurge of addiction started, or how it started, it has jumped social, racial and economic boundaries. No one knows to how many cities, towns and rural areas this outbreak will spread before an aroused and informed public and a determined government can bring it under control."

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCall and children, Nancy and Charles, of Midland are weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCall and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance.

Legal Notice

A RESOLUTION ORDERING AN ELECTION TO BE HELD IN CITY OF CISCO ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL 1952, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THREE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF CISCO.

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

That an election shall be held on the first Tuesday in April, 1952, same being the 1st day of April, 1952, at which election the qualified voters of the City of Cisco, shall elect three 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.

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BROTHERHOOD TO MEET

The Rev. Melvin Ratheal, Eastland Baptist pastor, will speak here Monday night at the regular monthly meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church. President Arlin Bint of the group has invited all men of the church to attend. A covered dish supper will be served.

Rev. F. C. Bradley, Rev. W. R. Ivie, Rev. J. C. Pelfrey, Rev. Nugent Balderese, Mrs. Don Rupe, Mrs. B. F. Thomas, Mrs. C. High-tower, Mrs. Omar Fenley, Mrs. J. O. Warren, Mrs. V. H. Bosworth, and Mrs. Homer Shaham attended the Workers Conference at Breckenridge Tuesday.

Donald Kent of North Texas State College in Denton is spending the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kent.

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FOR QUICK SALE - to settle estate; three bedroom home in Humbletown. Phone 453. 58

FOR SALE - good barn with loft, good sheet iron roof, and shed. Can be moved. 400 W. 10th. 55

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160 acres of land NW of Gorman. 1/2 mineral rights. \$20.00 per acre.

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Political Announcements

The Daily Press has been authorized to publish the following announcements of candidacies for public office, subject to action of the voters in the Democratic primaries:

For Congress (17th District) JACK COX of Breckenridge

For Editor (Prec. 4) J. E. (Ed) McCANLIES ARCH BINT (Re-election)

For Judge 91st District Court FRANK SPARKS

For District Clerk ROY L. LANE (re-election)

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MRS. CHARLES PENCE

On Sunday afternoon, February 10, at 4 o'clock, Miss Patsy Joyce Rosamond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rosamond of Childress, became the bride of Charles Pence, who is stationed in the armed forces at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, in a double ring ceremony with the Rev. B. J. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Childress, officiating.

Miss Wanda Rosamond, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Lala Mills and Donna Broughton.

David Britt served the groom as best man and Wesley Isenhower of Cisco and Dean Decker of Childress were groomsmen. Ushers were Bobby Hart and Dean Decker.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the Woman's Department Club.

Mrs. Pence is a graduate of Childress High School and Hardin-Simmons University. She was a member of the Cowgirls, Future Teachers Club, and Physical Education Club.

Mr. Pence is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pence of Cisco and is a graduate of Cisco High School and A & M College of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pence will make their home in Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Baptist WMU Holds Meeting February 12

A royal service program entitled, "The Ministry of Prayer," was presented at the regular meeting of the W.M.U. of the First Baptist Church Tuesday, February 12.

The program was opened by the group singing "Take Time To Be Holy." An article, "Teach Us To Pray," was given by Mrs. O. L. Mason, program chairman, followed by the group singing, "Sweet Hour Of Prayer." Testimonies from five missionaries were given by Mrs. Eula Grantz, Mrs. C. S. Surles, Mrs. J. B. Popalio, Mrs. O. L. Lee, Mrs. Austin Flint, and Mrs. D. L. Kisner, followed by a dedication prayer by Mrs. Lewis Lee.

Mrs. A. B. Cooper, mission program chairman, announced the season of prayers to be observed March 3-7 for home missions.

Those attending were Mrs. R. D. Guthrie, Mrs. O. L. Mason, Mrs. J. B. Popalio, Mrs. W. F. Walker, Mrs. Eula Grantz, Mrs. W. L. Hussey, Mrs. D. L. Kisner, Mrs. O. L. Lee, Mrs. W. V. Gardenhire, Mrs. Algie Skiles, Mrs. J. W. Poe, Mrs. Mrs. A. R. Day, Mrs. C. E. Whitmire, Mrs. A. B. Cooper, Mrs. J. W. Cooper, Mrs. Lewis Lee, Mrs. Austin Flint, Mrs. C. S. Surles, Mrs. W. W. Sawyer, Mrs. E. H. Cheeves, Mrs. W. M. Isenhower.

Mrs. Ford Taylor of San Angelo is a weekend visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nance.

DeMolays And Rainbow Girls Enjoy Party Event

The members of the Order of DeMolay and the Rainbow Girls were honored with a Valentine Party and dance at the Cisco Country Club Thursday evening.

The refreshment table and mantle were centered with arrangements of red carnations and white snapdragons with red candles on either side. An arrangement of yellow daffodils was on the piano.

Doug Johnson was elected by the Rainbow Girls as King of the DeMolay's and Mary McCrea was elected by the DeMolays as Queen of the Rainbow Girls. Mrs. Sam King, W. E. Dean, and Carl Gorr presented a tie clip to Doug and a big red heart to Mary.

Refreshments of sandwiches and fruit punch were served to approximately fifty members of Rainbow, DeMolay, and members of the Advisory Board of each organization and their guests.

Mrs. Rhoda Burkett Honored On Birthday

Mrs. Rhonda Burkett was honored with a birthday party by the Rebekah Lodge Friday evening at the home of Mrs. A. B. Cooper.

Several games were directed by Mrs. May Kleiner and a gift presented to the honoree. Those attending were Mrs. Ethel Moore, Mrs. Leah Bates, Mrs. Lydia Krauskopf, Mrs. Laura Jensen, Mrs. Effie Mayhew, Mrs. Ruth Bollinger, Mrs. Dee Clements, Mrs. May Kleiner, Mrs. Rhoda Burkett, and the hostess, Mrs. Cooper.

Buffet Supper Honors Catherine Draganis

Miss Catherine Draganis and her fiance, James E. Maloney, were honored with a buffet supper Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Connelly of Houston.

All decorations featured the Valentine motif, using red carnations with white heart centers. The hostess presented the honorees with a lovely toaster as a gift from the group.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cooper.

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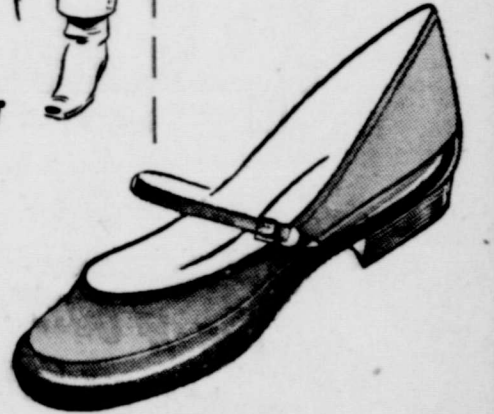
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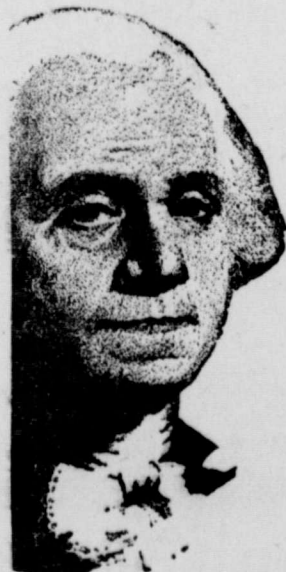
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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Draganis will leave for Houston on Monday and will remain until after the wedding of their daughter, Miss Catherine Draganis, to James E. Maloney, Jr., February 23. The future bride groom is the son of Mrs. James E. Maloney and the late James E. Maloney of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Greaves and children of Dallas are spending the weekend in the home of her mother, Mrs. Homer Slicker. Mr. Greaves will return to Dallas Sunday and Mrs. Greaves and children will remain for a week's visit in the home of her mother and her sister, Mrs. Coy Warren.

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THE CITY OF CISCO Commission will receive sealed bids, for an Oil & Gas lease, on the following described land, situated within the corporate limits of the City of Cisco, Eastland County, Texas, ALL OF SUB. 3, BLOCK 108, CISCO 2nd. ADDITION, AND The Minerals under Lots 18 and 19 and E 1/2 of 17, BLOCK Three (3), LUSE ADDITION to the City of Cisco.
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Given pursuant to an order of the City Commission on February 12th, 1952.

HAL LAVERY, Secretary
Board of City Commissioner

R. W. McCauley was a business visitor in Dallas on Friday.

Girl Scout Troop 9 Elects New Officers

New officers were elected at the regular meeting of the Girl Scouts of Troop Nine when they met Wednesday at the First Christian Church.

Officers elected were: president, Leta Fay Keller; vice president, Nancy Qualls; secretary, Rose Hamilton; treasurer, Peggy McCormick; and Reporter, Glenda Hughes. The meeting was adjourned by all repeating the Girl Scout Promise.

Those present were: Shirley Fowler, Jan Wallace, Leta Keller, Lamone Hickson, Glenda Hughes, Judy Graham, Peggy McCormick, Rose Hamilton, Carolyn James, Jo Ann Edwards, Nancy Qualls, and the leader, Mrs. C. W. Graham.

Birthday Club Meets Thursday Evening

Mrs. F. E. Shepard was hostess to the Double Octet Birthday Club at her home Thursday evening for their regular meeting.

The Valentine theme was carried out in all decorations and appointments. Guests and members found their place cards and were seated at the dining table and card tables. The invocation was offered by Mrs. E. J. Poe.

Following the supper the birthday song was sung by the group and the hostess was presented a gift on behalf of the club. Several interesting games were played by the group.

Those present were four guests; Mrs. E. J. Poe, Mrs. A. B. Starling, Mrs. Bob Thurston, and Mrs. D. A. Morgan and the following members: Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, Mrs. Bernice Carter, Mrs. Grace Cheeves, Mrs. Fay Gardenhire, Mrs. Julie Hazel, Mrs. Eva Laws, Mrs. Pat McPherson, Mrs. Alma Philpott, Mrs. Helen Russell, Mrs. Velma Schaefer, Mrs. Ione Surlis.

Mrs. Katie Ben Tabor, Mrs. Mayme Walker, Miss Willie Frank Walker and the hostess, Mrs. Shepard.

Rev. F. C. Bradley, Rev. W. R. Ivie, Mrs. Cecil Adams, Mrs. V. H. Bosworth and Mrs. Frank Woods of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church attended the District Convention at the First Baptist Church in Abilene Friday.

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