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The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

(Note: E. L. Jackson of Cisco, Fifth Division Commander of the American Legion, accompanied the national commander and other high officials on a tour of West and South Texas last week. His story of his trip follows:)

By E. L. JACKSON

The gripes of GI's have coined a word which all Americans have adopted when reference is made to leaders — that word, "Brass." The leaders of our cities, schools and other organizations are often called the Brass. It was announced in October, 1952, that the national commander of the American Legion would visit Texas in January. Like other dignitaries, they like to visit our famous State and receive the famous Texas hospitality.

The Fifth Division of the American Legion, comprising the West Texas, was fortunate in securing two speaking engagements of the four in Texas at Louis K. Gough of Pasadena, California. Since our National Commander's first stop was in Cisco, the lesser Brass and all legionnaires pointed to Pecos on January 7th. I was part of the lesser Brass.

Being a small town fellow, the first part of my trip was "hitch-hiked" to Abilene. It's nice to have friends to do little things for us that makes life good — like a cheery "Hello" and a cup of coffee. From Abilene a Greyhound bus took us quickly with very few stops to Midland.

Having seen much of the other parts of the world, my thoughts turned much to this America. We didn't have to secure a permit to travel. No secret police listened as we talked about our nation, politically or otherwise. It was natural that we should talk conversation with military personnel travelling on leave to home or return to duty. Sure, their lives have been disrupted but these fellows can "take it" a better style than most of us at home. Think it over.

At Midland we went to the region hall and soon were in a motorcade to the airport between Midland and Odessa. I had met many of these West Texans on previous visits and must add they are fine folks. After Commander Gough's arrival, the motorcade started west with a motorcycle and highway patrol escort to Pecos. We did not stop during this trip as all towns had arranged passage for the party, leaving with us mayors, county judges and other leaders of those areas and counties.

On arrival in Pecos, the barber was ready, including helping "that stew of West Texas," after the delightful dinner, all the folks assembled in the municipal auditorium to hear our distinguished guest.

The night was spent in Pecos and all arrangements for our enjoyment and comfort were efficiently cared for, even to calling for our luggage, and transportation to the airport Thursday morning.

The recollection of Pecos, as it appeared in the late 1920's, made us realize what great strides West Texas has made in the past quarter century. We recall the wooden store fronts and dusty roads, now replaced with modern buildings and paved streets and highways. We recall looking across the waste land and sagebrush where we now find irrigated farm lands and large cotton gins and a cotton mill. Pecos is now dependent largely on farming and ranching for its economy. A barren, far reaching and barely producing wasteland now becomes a productive and prosperous area. Water will sustain a civilization, and without it, civilization will pass into history. Do you wonder why we are so concerned about water in West Texas?

At 9:50 Thursday morning the DC-3 plane landed from Austin, and we were immediately boarded headed to Brownwood for luncheon meeting. The plane took to the air at 10:05 and we were soon looking at the winding Mebberly river far to the south, the web of local roads winding toward ranches, farms and widely separated oil leases, and the black ribbon of a highway going straight to its destination.

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GETTING COLDER—The Soviet War Memorial in the British sector of the German capital is the only spot in East or West Berlin where American soldier-tourists can see Russian soldiers on guard duty, top photo. The sightseeing busses, below, left, now carry American soldiers on conducted tours through East Berlin. Heavily barbed chains, serving as road blocks, right, are being used to check inter-sector smuggling. Customs police are shown stopping a car which has come from the Russian zone, marked at the border by the Brandenburg Gate in background.

Preparation For Spring Planting Begins In State

Preparation of land for spring planting picked up over the eastern half of the state as soils dried in the warm sunny days and cool nights that prevailed throughout the past week. On the high plains wheat was coming up to a stand but growth was slow. In the low rolling plains early sown acreage, which was up, was developing a good root system, while some additional acreage was being drilled.

More moisture is needed over the entire northwestern area to maintain development of the crop. Small grains in north Texas were coming along satisfactorily. Wheat and oats were supplying some grazing in eastern and southern plateau counties.

Conditions continued favorable in most commercial vegetable areas. Although night temperatures continued cool, daytime temperatures were very favorable for all growing crops. Most sections had satisfactory soil moisture conditions but irrigation water in the lower valley was scarce. Harvest of all hardy type vegetables was active with most of the supplies coming from irrigated sections of the lower valley, winter garden, Laredo and Eagle Pass.

Green feed was coming along but still short over the eastern half of the state where soil moisture was adequate. Days were warm but cool nights slowed development of small grains, winter grass and clovers. Supplemental feeding continued over the entire state. Mild temperatures permitted farmers and ranchmen to stretch already short feed reserves.

Moran Soldier Now In Germany

WITH THE 2ND ARMORED DIV. IN GERMANY — Cpl. Floyd Carter, son of Ozzie Carter, Moran, Texas, recently arrived in Germany and is serving with the 2nd Armored Division. Part of western Europe's NATO Army, this division is undergoing constant field training in Germany.

World War II veterans will remember this same division raced across France in the summer of 1944, drove through Belgium and crossed the German border at Schimmert on the 18th of September. They encountered fierce fighting in deep snow that winter in the Ardennes forest while helping to reduce the German "Bulge."

Hospital News

Mrs. Paul Lutzenburger of Cross Plains was receiving treatment this week. Mrs. Lutzenburger has been a patient at Graham hospital several times in the past year.

Miss Linnie Brashear was a patient at Graham Hospital this week. Other patients included W. H. Cox of Rt. 2, J. H. Hicks of Ranger, Mrs. Harley Sanders of Cisco, Mrs. W. M. Morgan of Okra and Mrs. A. B. Reed and Mrs. W. C. Shelton of Cisco. The condition of Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Shelton remained unchanged.

Dismissed recently were Mrs. F. D. Pierce of Cisco, Mrs. H. E. Wagley and infant daughter of Putnam, Ann Carrothers of Cisco, George Lee Ramsey of Putnam, Mrs. Lou Mendenhall of Cisco, Mrs. Eugene Pitts and infant daughter of Cisco, Mrs. Viola Nelms of Cisco and Mrs. G. A. Church of Clyde.

Training School Is Planned For Cisco District

A training school program for churches of the Cisco district will be held at the First Methodist Church in Cisco on February 22, 23 and 24, according to an announcement by the Rev. Leslie Seymour, district superintendent.

The program will cover all phases of church work with classes in Bible study, the work of a steward, children's work, Christian work for youth and Christian Faith.

Assisting in the school will be Dr. James T. Carlyon, theological professor at SMU; Mrs. J. T. Carlyon, church worker and specialist in children's work; Roy L. Farrow, executive secretary of the Texas Methodist Association of Colleges; and Rev. Gilbert Ferrell, pastor of the Morningside Methodist Church, Fort Worth.

Rev. Seymour will serve as dean of the school. Rev. E. H. Lightfoot and Rev. Bob Sanders, Cisco ministers, will assist, and Mrs. George Davis and Mrs. John Shertzer will be in charge of entertainment, with Mrs. A. C. Tipton and Mrs. Derward Morris in charge of books and supplies.

VFW PLANS MEETING

The Cisco Post 3359, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will hold a regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. Friday at the Post Home on the Eastland Highway, according to an announcement by Adjutant James C. Jones. He asked all members to attend.

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Drug Addiction Is Disease, Says Health Officer

AUSTIN, Jan. 15. — Drug addiction is not in itself a crime but a disease, declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. It is viciously and deadly in that once the victim can no longer overcome his desire for drugs, he will resort to any illegality to obtain money to purchase the satisfaction of his craving. Increase in drug addiction is paralleled by crime increases.

Because of the increase of addiction among "teen-agers," parents would do well to understand the habits of their offspring. No matter what the age, an addict takes on a sly, underhanded attempt to concealment. And it is only when the "teen-age" victim becomes embroiled in some police involvement that the shame is brought to the parent.

Boys and girls must be taught that it is not smart or sophisticated to use drugs in any of their narcotic forms, and they should understand the dangers involved. Once the habit is formed, it is difficult to overcome. While it is estimated that at least five per cent of narcotic addicts become so by means of repeated dosages of drugs to alleviate pain, the preponderance of addicts fall among those persons, normal in every respect, who seek adventure, and emotionally unstable persons who cannot face the realities of every day life.

Indications of drug addiction vary according to the method and type of drug used. Among them are a strained expression, glassy stare of the eyes, trembling hands, swelling or redness in the partition of the nostrils; apparent puncture marks on the skin from hypodermic needles. Symptoms include running of the nose or tearing of the eyes; excessive yawning and sneezing, constant itching of the skin of the arms and legs and dilation of the pupils of the eyes.

While it has been said that a "little knowledge is a dangerous thing," there can be no doubt that a public-mind consciousness of the drug-addiction problem will do more to curb the situation. The prevention of addiction is a community problem. Once the habit is formed, it becomes a medical one. Do your part to prevent an addiction. Your child may be the next victim.

BOARD WILL MEET

The Advisory Board of the Order of Rainbow for Girls will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Gladys Byrd. All old and new members of the board were urged to attend.

Moran News . . . Basketball Game To Aid Moran Dimes Campaign

By MRS. C. C. CADY

An unusual basketball game will be played in the Moran gym Monday night as the Moran Parent-Teacher Association's contribution to the March of Dimes drive which got underway in Moran this week.

A group of Moran men will don girls clothing to play the Moran High School girls cage team in a benefit game. The game will be played under rules governing girls basketball.

It was reported that unusual plays had been worked out by the men and that the officials would make on-the-spot rules to keep the game interesting. A free will offering will be taken and all the proceeds will go into the Dimes fund.

The Rev. Melvin Mathis is chairman of the committee planning the game. Other members include Sanford Tule, the Rev. W. R. Karkalits, J. D. Etheridge, Don Allen and Harold D. Thomas.

The Moran Luncheon Club meeting Wednesday netted the March of Dimes campaign a nice amount as the group serving for the meeting donated a part of the receipts to the Moran campaign. Mrs. J. M. Townsend and her group served the meal.

No business was transacted due to the death of R. B. Pool of Weatherford, father of Floyd C. Pool of Moran. Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Wednesday in the Moran Baptist Church.

It was announced at the club that the quota set for Moran in the March of Dimes campaign was \$170 and that the amount was expected to be raised quickly.

Mrs. Herschel Roberts, Mrs. Albert Thomas and Mrs. Jay Terry were in Abilene Thursday, January 8, to attend the annual guild of the John Hudnal chapter of the Daughters of 1812. The meeting was held at the Windsor Hotel.

Mrs. I. E. Durham was hostess to a number of her friends and relatives Friday on the event of her 82nd birthday. She prepared all the dinner and made all the arrangements despite her age. Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hitt and Norman, Mrs. John Pritchard and Minnie Mae, Mrs. Ida Leftwich, Mrs. Ella Eubanks and Mrs. B. Newton and Dale.

Mrs. Jay Terry left Saturday for Dallas for a visit of several weeks with relatives.

Foy Barnett has arrived at his home in Moran after attending a sales meeting and homecoming at his company's plant in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Mr. Barnett reported that his plane was delayed in Chicago due to snow. He became ill on the trip and is recovering at his home.

Oran Dennis was taken to the Gorman hospital Monday for treatment. It was reported that he was suffering from pneumonia.

The Rev. Melvin Mathis and his family attended a reception in Stamford Friday honoring the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Crawford, retiring district superintendent and his wife. The Rev. Marshall Rhew was named to replace Rev. Crawford as superintendent. Rev. Crawford, the retiring officer, served the Moran Methodist Church for two years in the 1930s.

JOINS NATIONAL GUARD

James Lee Hogan of Albany became the first 1953 recruit for the local National Guard unit, it was announced Thursday by Capt. Frank Sayer, Hogan, 17, is employed by the Ingals Cementing Company in Albany. He is a native of Rising Star and attended the Rising Star schools.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Les Threet, wife of Deputy Sheriff Les Threet, was reported as doing nicely following major surgery which she underwent in a Temple hospital Monday. Mrs. A. L. Wagley, who accompanied Mrs. Threet to Temple, returned to Cisco Wednesday night.

HEADS UP! Watch for the New Rocket OSBORNE MOTOR COMPANY Eastland, Texas

Hard Freeze Is Forecast For This Central Texas Section



FREDDY FINDS NEW FRIENDS—Freddy the mule, deserter from Communist forces, now carries ammunition for U.S. Seventh Infantry Division soldiers who found him in the Korean hills.

Cold Weather Is Due Several Days

A hard freeze has been forecast for this West Central Texas region tonight as the result of a fast-moving cold front that swept into the area early Thursday. A second front was expected to add to the wintery blast Friday.

Forecasters hinted that some moisture was possible from the cold weather, which interrupted spring-like temperatures, as the new air was moist. Showers could result, the weather man said, but nothing definite was predicted.

Thermometers were expected to drop to between 15 and 20 degrees tonight. The temperature dropped 20 degrees — from 68 to about 48 — in three hours Thursday morning after the north wind began blowing. Northerly winds were expected to continue for the next 24 to 48 hours.

Area resident welcomed the cold weather as a means of holding back fruit and pecan trees, as prolonged warm temperatures would cause them to bud and bloom early. Small grain farmers said a hard freeze would eliminate possibilities of damages from bugs.

Some doctors in some areas felt that the cold wave, which was spreading throughout the state, might improve the influenza situation. Some 25 schools in the state, including Coleman in this region, were closed due to influenza.

LIONS SPEAKER COMPLIMENTS CITY ON FOUNDATION PROJECT

Action of Cisco business men in organizing an industrial foundation as a means of attracting new payrolls was complimented by Manager Anton White of Boss Manufacturing Company's local plant in a talk Wednesday at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Lions Club.

Mr. White spoke on invitation of Arlin Birt, program chairman. "Your industrial foundation is a step in the right direction," Mr. White said. "Cisco has plenty of good men and women for potential industries."

Plans for the foundation were announced recently. The new organization expects to be ready to render all help possible to business firms seeking new plants and locations for factories to be moved or expanded.

Mr. White told Lions that the new leather glove cutting department at the Boss plant here is now six months old. It is operating in a highly efficient manner, he added, partly because the company was able to obtain good workers.

The leather department here does the cutting for the Boss plant in Breckenridge, and the new department has 10 full time employees. The local plant now has some 150 men and women on its payroll, which runs in excess of \$5,000 per week. The Cisco plant turns out cotton flannel gloves and does the cutting for both the local and Breckenridge plants.

Luncheon guests included the Rev. Allen Peacock of Fort Worth, former local Methodist minister; Bob Hammett, Cisco; W. M. Morgan, Carbon, and Adrian Allen, Abilene.

Retired Rancher Called By Death

R. P. Pool, 80, retired cattleman and business man, and father of Fred Pool who is a drilling contractor operating in the Cisco-Abilene area, died Tuesday at his home near Weatherford.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3 p. m. in the Moran Baptist Church. Burial was in the Moran cemetery.

Mr. Pool was a native of Georgia, but came to Texas when a child. He lived in the Godley area many years before retiring and moving to Weatherford a year ago. He was also the father of Floyd Pool, prominent Moran banker and rancher.

Other survivors are his wife of Weatherford; and three daughters, Mrs. Jessie L. English of Fort Worth, Mrs. Ola Lee Chambers and Mrs. Ona Ray Miller of Dallas.

SOURCE OF HIGHWAY FUNDS ARE VEHICLE, FUEL TAXES

(Editor's Note — This is another of a series of articles presenting information gathered by the Highway Policy Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.)

Sources of money to finance construction and maintenance by the Texas Highway Department are the motor fuel tax, motor vehicle registration fees, the state's general fund and Federal aid.

Details of the revenue derived from the gasoline tax were presented in the preceding article of this series. That tax netted the state \$87,438,212 in fiscal 1951. That sum was divided approximately 2.6 cents to highways, 1 cent to school and four-tenths cent to retire county road bonds. The net total to highways was \$45,187,511.

Motor vehicle registration fees produce more highway money than any other device, except the gasoline tax.

Each county keeps the first \$50,000 received from motor vehicle registration fees. After that, the county divides the balance with the state on a 50-50 basis, until the county received \$175,000. All fees in excess of \$175,000 a year collected in the counties go into the state highway fund.

This is a breakdown of registration fees collected for the state in Texas in 1949-50:

Class	Number	Total License Fees	Av. Per Fee
Passenger cars	2,475,106	\$28,722,686.59	\$ 11.60
Commercial trucks	399,410	12,996,932.87	32.54
Farm Trucks	233,116	2,406,987.67	10.33
Farm Truck-Tractors	29,706	3,233,386.17	108.84
Trailers	126,055	4,492,065.58	35.64
House Trailers	24,366	197,227.47	8.09
Motor Buses	1,898	874,388.99	460.69
City Buses	3,270	197,131.24	60.28
Motorcycles	27,155	144,965.80	4.23
Side Cars	56	156.77	2.80
Tractors	393	6,678.05	17.00
Overwidth Plates	85	2,903.28	34.16
Machinery Plates	112	2,109.33	18.83
Total	3,321,736	\$53,288,286.55	

(There were 38,764 registration exemptions, leaving a net total of fees paid of 3,360,500).

Income Tax Book Is Best Seller

The Government Printing Office has another "best seller" on its hands in the new edition of the booklet entitled "Your Federal Income Tax." Over 150 thousand orders were on hand from persons anxious to get the latest tax information before the booklet was off the press. It sells for 25 cents a copy, with all revenue going into the Federal Treasury.

The Superintendent of Documents, official sales agent of the Government Printing Office, reported that orders are continuing to pour into the GPO at a rate of more than two thousand a day.

The Bureau of Internal Revenue distributes basic instructions to all taxpayers with the income tax forms. The booklet, Your Federal Income Tax, contains more detailed explanations and examples.

Copies can be purchased by mailing 25 cents to the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C.

Dr. Cleveland Will Attend Sunday Meet

ABILENE, Jan. 15. — Dr. Charles M. Cleveland, Cisco, will be among those attending a meeting of the West Central Texas Optometric Association in Abilene on Sunday, Jan. 18.

Dr. Edwin Henning of Coleman will address the group on the importance of drivers having their eyes as well as their automobiles checked in the interest of safety on the highways.

CATTLE MARKETED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 15. — Mrs. D. H. Whitten of Cisco had 14 cows and one bull on the Fort Worth market Tuesday. The cows averaged 696 pounds and brought \$12, with the bull bringing the same amount. The sale was handled by the Texas Livestock Marketing Association.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

The junior high school basketball teams of Cisco and Moran will play at the junior gym here at 7 p. m. Thursday (tonight), and the local junior teams will entertain Rising Star juniors here Friday night.

Mrs. J. C. Nelms of Andrews is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Joyner, and her brothers, Billy and Mike.

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IMPORTANT CHANGES SEEN

Everybody realizes that important changes in the conduct of the government will begin to take place as soon as President Eisenhower moves into the White House. But it's probably true that a relatively small proportion of the American people realize just how sweeping those changes are likely to be. Here, in capsule form is what will probably happen, based on Eisenhower's appointments, on statements made by him and close advisors, and on the opinions of people whose business it is to weigh and assess and forecast the course of events in Washington:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE. A U. S. News & World Report put it, Eisenhower "will reorganize the Executive Office of the President from top to bottom. This will be one of the first and most significant acts of his new regime." When F. D. Roosevelt moved in, there were just 95 people employed by the office, including servants. Now there are close to 1200. Eisenhower objectives will be a thorough streamlining job, more efficiency, less confusion and conflict within his personal establishment. Governor Adams, whose role will be that of a chief of staff, will be the coordinator and he will have broad authority. In essence, the new set-up will be on military lines.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. It is a well known fact that Eisenhower believes there has been much waste here, that often we haven't received a dollar's worth of result for each dollar spent. Secretary Wilson, who left one of the highest paid positions in industry for his new job, will follow a firm line with the military people. Frills will be cut out, duplication of effort within and between the services eliminated. Maximum defense for minimum money will be the goal.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. A major housecleaning is in the cards. The theorists and social planners will no longer be the big influences. Secretary McKay will emphasize state and local rights, responsibilities and obligations — he is strongly against the "big government" idea that dominated the Roosevelt-Truman regimes, and was particularly marked in Interior. On the policy level, all the faces will be new.

DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY. Here too there will be changes all along the line — conservative changes, based largely on the classical economic theories. The debt will be reduced, the tax system re-examined, particularly as it affects the ability of business to expand, and everything possible done to fight further depreciation of the dollar. And here too practical, experienced men will make the policies, and there will be little room for the theorists.

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Area Club Women Hear Address On 'Cancer'

Mrs. H. B. Ritchie of Athens, Georgia, was the main speaker at the Civic League and Garden Club meeting of Eastland held Wednesday at the Women's Club house in Eastland. Her subject was "Cancer."

Mrs. Ritchie is a national representative of the American Cancer Association and one of the founders of the A.C.S. She is also a prominent club woman in Athens, Georgia. Mrs. Joseph Perkins of Eastland introduced the speaker.

Those attending the meeting from Cisco were Mrs. J. V. Heyser, Sr., Mrs. Rudolph Kamon and Mrs. D. E. Waters.

Scranton 4-H Club Meets On Wednesday

The regular meeting of the Scranton Girls 4-H Club was held Wednesday, January 14.

The meeting was called to order by the president and the teacher demonstrated the cooking of tomato cheese salad. Following the cooking lesson the girls played games and sang songs. The meeting was dismissed in regular form.

Twenty-eight members and a guest, the county agent, attended the meeting.

Methodist Circle 2 Has Meeting Tuesday

Circle Two of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. W. Slaughter for their monthly meeting.

The chairman, Mrs. C. E. Hailey, presided during the business session. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. S. H. Nance. Mrs. E. H. Lightfoot was in charge of the program using articles from Proclaim The Good News as follows: Work of Love By Modern Samaritan in India, Mrs. Inez Ricks; In Malay, Mrs. S. H. Nance; In China, Mrs. Rudolph Schaefer; and In Korea, Mrs. Lightfoot. Mrs. Speir gave reports from a medical missionary in India.

During the business session, the penny fund was collected and designated to the March of Dimes. Pledges were paid and the treasurer's report given. Other routine business was transacted and the meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Lightfoot.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting to Mesdames C. E. Hailey, Clint Jones, C. M. Pogue, Inez Ricks, S. H. Nance, A. R. Westfall, Rudolph Schaefer, E. H. Lightfoot, John Speir and Mrs. Slaughter.



O God, Thou knowest my foolishness; and my sins are not hid from Thee.—(Psalm LIX, 5.)

Sometimes we are able to fool other people; maybe we can even fool ourselves for a moment. We can put up a righteous front for others and for ourselves. But God is not fooled, and our conscience knows it.

How much stronger, happier, more useful we are when we live fully and openly in the Lord, instead of vainly trying to hide from Him!

Episcopal Group Has Dinner Meeting Here

New vestry members were elected and delegates to attend the diocesan convention were selected at the annual parish meeting of the Episcopalians in this area held Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Peggy Gallagher.

The Rev. A. E. Hartwell presided at the meeting. Those elected for three year terms on the vestry were Robert Moore of Cisco and Herbert Tanner of Ranger. Garvin Chastain of Ranger and Roy Young of Eastland will fill two year terms and Joe Nuesse of Ranger and Clifford Wilson of Eastland will serve for one year. Robert Moore and Clifford Wilson were selected as delegates to the convention which meets in Dallas January 28 and 29 and Mrs. Peggy Gallagher was reelected as secretary of the parish.

Dinner was served to forty-one members and guests with the St. Ann's Guild of Cisco acting as hostesses. Arrangements for the affair were under the direction of a committee from the Women's Auxiliary composed of Mrs. Lewis Starr, Mrs. D. Ball, and Mrs. C. E. Paul of Cisco; Mrs. Herbert Tanner of Eastland; and Mrs. Joe Nuesse of Ranger.

CLUB MEETING CALLED

Members of the Cisco Roundup Club will hold a regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. Thursday (tonight) at the Chamber of Commerce offices. All members were urged to attend.

Alathean Class Has Meeting On Monday

Mrs. Lewis Lee was hostess in her home Monday for the regular business and social meeting of the Alathean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Mable Swindle, president, called the meeting to order with opening prayer by Mrs. H. M. Ward. The devotional, "Taking A Little Trip On A Ship With The Master," was given by Mrs. E. J. Poe with scripture readings from the different books of the new testament. Routine business was transacted and the meeting closed with prayer.

A social hour followed with Mrs. Ray Judia in charge of the recreation. Refreshments were served to Mrs. H. M. Ward and Mrs. A. C. Green, guests; Mrs. A. F. Ashenbust, Mrs. Leo Keelan, Mrs. F. E. Shepard, Mrs. W. F. Walker, Mrs. Ray Judia, and Mrs. Leon McPherson, members in service; and Mesdames Opal Blackstock, E. J. Poe, C. A. Lassiter, Mable Swindle, G. M. Stephenson, T. E. House, E. C. McClelland, Barton Philpott, Jay Warren, Nettie Grung, Roy Phippen, Miss Willie Frank Walker, and Mrs. Lewis Lee, regular members.

Mrs. Baum Hostess For Harvester Class

Mrs. Walton Baum was hostess in her home Monday for the monthly meeting of the Harvester Class of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. C. E. Whitmire presided with opening prayer by Mrs. M. F. Underwood. Mrs. O. T. Morton brought the devotional and at the close of the business session, Mrs. E. H. Cheeves and Mrs. M. M. Tabor led the group in playing games.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. W. Fewell, R. H. Williams, M. F. Underwood, W. V. Gardenhire, Harry Schaefer, C. B. Bush, E. H. Cheeves, M. M. Tabor, C. E. Whitmire, C. E. Newman, J. L. Ricker, Luke Thomas, O. T. Morton and the hostess, Mrs. Walton Baum.

Birthday Party Is Given For Mrs. Wende

Mrs. Ben Wende was honored at a surprise birthday party Wednesday evening, January 14.

Following choir practice, members of the choir and of the Walker League met at the home of Mrs. Wende for the party. Card games were played and the honoree was presented a gift from the group.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cake, and hot chocolate were served to Dick Neuhaus, Keith Loomans, Anita Stroebel, Emma Huber, Kathleen Ziehr, Nancy Stroebel, Wayne Fricke, Jerry Weiser, Frances Lanham, Stephen Lanham, Martha Lanham, Mrs. Margaret Zander, Mrs. James Hennig, Richard Lenz, Fred Stroebel, Ruth Lanham, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wende.

Ladies Of Country Club Hold Luncheon

The Ladies Luncheon Club met Wednesday at the Country Club for their monthly luncheon meeting with Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mrs. J. B. Pratt, Mrs. Harold McGowen, Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal, Mrs. Austin Flint, and Mrs. J. W. Sitton as hostesses.

The luncheon was served buffet style from a table laid with a lime cloth and centered with an arrangement of nandina berries in a silver bowl. Other table appointments were of silver. Decorations throughout the rooms were of nandina berries.

Following the luncheon, games of bridge and canasta were played with Mrs. Luther McCrea receiving the bridge prize and Mrs. Alex Spears receiving the canasta prize.

Thirty-two members and guests attended.

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Philosopher

From Page One

We had met the co-pilot at Pecos, and we were now comfortably seated, the "skipper" of the plane came back for introductions. I saw the ready smile as he emerged from the doorway to the control room. It was a friendly greeting in our case, because the pilot was Cisco's one time citizen, Reg Robbins.

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air, it gave Doc some agonizing moments. The luncheon at Brownwood was a joint affair with other service clubs joining the Legion. It was a fine gathering as Brownwood gave further evidence of West Texas hospitality with the highest grade Stetson. Pecos had given the boots, and now our guest was a West Texan.

At 1:30 we took off for Austin to pick up Major General Miller Ainsworth, commanding Texas' famous 36th Division. From Austin we headed for McAllen in the valley, reaching there in one hour and forty-five minutes. A large delegation of Legionnaires, headed by Senator Rogers Kelley, met the plane, and we were whisked to our quarters for open house for the guest of honor.

Commander Gough has recently completed an extended tour of Korea and the Far East, having talked with all Commanders in that area, all men of all rank at the M. L. R. (Main Line of Resistance). He is not discouraged and states that the morale of the men is high, having much confidence in the American military leaders.

The Free China troops on Formosa are well trained, and with proper equipment, would be a powerful force, if they could be used. He has made a full report to Gen. Eisenhower on his trip, and reports he was most

cordially received by the president-elect. From all the apparent chaos, he believes that a pattern of order and military decision may be woven.

At 10:00 o'clock Friday morning we took to the air for Austin for a luncheon. As we flew over the valley, we were again reminded of the wonders of water. No small boy thinks water is wonderful, especially in a bath tub. The landscape below was made of squares, rectangles and triangles mixed with meandering edges. Some were green; others were freshly plowed.

Some citrus orchards made a perfect checkerboard effect of green trees; others resembled some scattered trees in a pasture as the result of the freeze last winter. One man told me that nearly five hundred thousand trees were killed. These people in the valley didn't wait. The trees were removed and now thousands of acres of vegetables grow where citrus grew last year. Man has pushed the valley as far north as possible, being limited again by water. I remember the natives in the Philippines who have pushed the farms to the very edge of a smoking volcano. In America, as in the Philippines, man works for his food.

Back in Austin at noon and a hurried trip to the Capitol where Governor Shivers met the party and gave Commander Gough an honorary citizenship of Texas. After the usual picture taking, we were honored at a luncheon where we met again much "Brass" - mostly State officials who had served in the military forces.

After the luncheon, the small town fellow was on his own again with only one thought in mind - to get home. I "hitch-hiked" out of town, now the same way to get home. Our victim was none

other than Supt. Nat Williams of the Lubbock Schools. Many of our citizens remember Nat as a boy from Putnam, and who is one of the State's leading educators, having been superintendent in Cross Plains, Baird and Abilene in this area.

Returned to Cisco Friday evening, having covered a big portion of the State of Texas in twenty-four hours - and that's big.

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