

The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

THE CISCO LOBO Band and the High School Choir will present a joint recital Friday night at their annual spring concert. Mr. R. W. (Bob) Mancill saw the note in The Press about the coming event the other day, and brought us down his scrap book that has a picture and story about Cisco's first band. The first band here was the Cisco Silver Cornet Band, which was organized in the 1890's. The bandmen wore battle-green uniforms, trimmed in silver. The band gave a free concert in Fort Worth in 1893 and was paid \$350 for a 3-day engagement in Thursday in 1894. The band passed up its regular Friday night practice on April 1, 1893. That night a tornado destroyed the two-story frame city hall where they met. Members of the band were Harry Hall, Tom J. Clegg, Ed Wilson, George Foreman, W. G. Mancill, George Spencer, Miss Emma Griffin, John T. Wilson, Ben F. Allen, Ed Thomas, E. R. Patterson, R. W. Mancill, John Collins, G. W. Rose, Tom Lacy, L. M. Redfield, B. W. Patterson, James S. Cook, Walter Clegg and Avery Brown.

ITS INTERESTING to look through Mr. Mancill's scrapbook. It tells a lot of history of Cisco and its people.

A clipping that interested us was of the final rites for Congressman R. Q. Lee, held April 1, 1929. Congressman Lee died in Washington and two United States Senators and a delegation of fellow house members were among the 3,000 who paid final tribute at the First Baptist Church. In a talk at the service, one congressman said: "The young men here will call their children's attention to this man who once passed their way — this man who was useful to his community, his state and his nation."

ANOTHER CLIPPING tells about W. B. Starr, who lives southwest of town, and his early arrival in Cisco.

"Mr. Starr came to Cisco in 1893," the clipping said. "Married in August, 1903, at Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Starr came to Cisco on Dec. 16, 1903. They remained in Cisco about two weeks or until they had closed a deal with Charles Daniels for the farm they still own and live on. They have nine boys and one girl."

The item was clipped from a paper on Jan. 26, 1942. This is the Starrs' 50th anniversary year for both their marriage and their arrival in Cisco. Let's all get ready to help them celebrate.

MR. MANCILL used to run a general merchandise sort of store he called Mancill's Bargain Store. He was famous for the deals that he wrote for his store. We still hear people talking about them. Here's a copy of his "quitting business ad."

"When you walk to your front door and face the west and your right foot turns north and the left one south, it is time to put on a 'quit'en business sale.' This sale is now on, and must close out my entire line by Dec. 31. Store rent too high and being on the wrong side of the street am forced to quit. Everything going at cost — what it cost you. Bunk beds, army cots, office desk, ladies hats, men and women's suits, overcoats, electric irons, enamel tables, one sterling silver bracelet, one pair of crutches. Sure will thank you if you will help me out of business. You have been helping me out by not trading with me. So now, please help me out by trading with me, and get out of business as soon as possible. Thank you. Mancill's Bargain Store."

Guess that got him out of business.

ANOTHER CLIPPING was from the 1919 Cisco Roundup. It quoted the late Dr. J. Frank Norris of Fort Worth. A Mt. Pleasant man had inquired of him what kind of city Cisco was as he planned to move. Dr. Norris wrote: "I was in Cisco for a revival meeting, and I can speak highly concerning (Turn to page four)

ALL SIZES AND SHAPES



ASSORTMENT OF PETS—Kelly, a tame lynx in Las Vegas, Nev., is interested in something other than getting acquainted with pretty Sally McClosky, upper left, but in Whipnade, England, little Mary Allright had better luck with a deer she fed, right. Armand Gueree, in Paris, is getting a bark out of one of his harmonica-playing seals, lower left, but it may be that he wasn't sticking to the tune. In Berlin, actor Sabu made a guest appearance with a circus and was photographed with two of the elephants he performed with.

Cleanup Campaign Is Postponed Due To Heavy Rains

The annual city cleanup campaign, scheduled this week in all sections of Cisco, has been postponed due to heavy rains, Mayor G. C. Rosenthal reported today. The campaign will begin next Monday if weather conditions permit. Mr. Rosenthal said a new cleanup campaign announcement would be made when streets and alleys are dry enough for trucks to work. The trucks worked for two hours last Monday morning before rain forced the campaign to be halted. Citizens were asked to continue preparing trash, debris and tree limbs in handy bundles and boxes to facilitate speedy handling. The cleanup campaign should include vacant lots, Mr. Rosenthal said. He urged owners of vacant property to cooperate in the project.

Masonic Bodies Open Bids For Temple Contract

Bids for the construction of a new Masonic Temple for the Cisco Masonic Bodies on property across the street from the Post Office were opened Tuesday afternoon at the Lodge Hall, Worshipful Master Walton Baum reported. Bidders for the general contract included Garrett & Speir, Cisco; Warren Waters, Ft. Worth; O. C. McDermott and Co., Abilene; B. & W. Construction Co., Bryan; and Paul M. Bonine, Abilene. Mr. Baum said that the building committee was studying the bids before making a recommendation to the lodge. The amount of the various bids for the contract were not announced.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bailey of San Diego, California, are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bailey. Visiting in the home of Mrs. I. J. Davis over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McDonald of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Vermillion of Oiden. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morris have returned from Lamar where they attended the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. M. H. Morris. Carved in stone at Mount Rushmore in South Dakota are the faces of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Abraham Lincoln.

Pioneer Family Enjoys Reunion

Nine members of a pioneer area family, five brothers and four sisters, were reunited last week in a family reunion for the first time in 40 years. The group first met Wednesday in the home of the youngest sister, Mrs. Eva Huntington, 1757 Hickory, Abilene, and again Thursday in the home of Mrs. Clara Huntington, 604 West 14th, Cisco. Attending the get-together were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hart and Mrs. R. V. Hart, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hart, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hart, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hart, Buttonwillow, California; Mrs. Eula Fore, Pioneer; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ellis and Sara Rose, Abilene; Mrs. Clara Huntington, Cisco; Mrs. Eva Huntington, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Hart, Baird and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. George Watkins of Abilene. The family came to Callahan County 51 years ago from Pisgah, Alabama, with their parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ellis. For a number of years they lived near Cross Plains. From there they were scattered throughout Texas and California. Mr. Ellis died in October, 1927, and Mrs. Ellis followed him in death in February, 1935. Another son, R. V. Hart, died in June, 1936.

College Cowboys To Compete At H-SU This Week

ABILENE, May 13. — College cowboys from all over the nation, representing the best in individual and team competition, will be at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, for the 1953 National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association Championship Rodeo. Hardin-Simmons is sponsor of the "tournament of champions" this year. The championship rodeo, an annual affair, pits the top 84 collegiate cowboys in the nation against each other and the rodeo stock. Entrance in the rodeo is by virtue of a cowboy's or team's record for the preceding individual college rodeos. The top ten teams from the four NIRA conferences made up of 46 colleges and universities, and the four highest ranking cowboys in the six approved rodeo events will be at Hardin-Simmons May 14-15-16. Several thousand dollars in saddles, buckles, merchandise, and a one-horse Gray Trailer await the colletsians at H-SU. The ranking cowgirl members of NIRA will also compete here. The rodeo is to be held in the university's own Carl Myers Memorial Arena in two matinee and three night performances. The nightly performances will be Thursday, Friday and Saturday; matinee action will unfold Friday and Saturday. Each of the sixteen states in which the 46 school members and the 500 contestants are from will probably be represented in the highlight of the national collegiate rodeo year. Fracas Week, seven days of western action at H-SU, will be held in conjunction with the rodeo. Hundreds of Hardin-Simmons students will be acting on committees to accentuate the rodeo and the western week here. Teams eligible to contest in the rodeo will be named after points are awarded in the last rodeo before the championship event, May 8-9. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lambright of Pampa spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bailey. Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe have returned from a visit in Hope, Arkansas. They accompanied Mrs. Poe's aunt, Miss Ida Carlton, home. George Washington had no middle name. Tin Pan Alley is a section of New York.

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City Council Postpones Water Rationing As Lake Cisco Rises

Official Gives Data On Summer Jobs For Minors

DALLAS, May 12. — For the million or more American boys and girls who are expected to take vacation jobs after school closes this spring, the U. S. Department of Labor has a few friendly words of caution and advice. Regional Director William J. Rogers of the Labor Department's Wage-Hour Division here says such minors should (1) be fair with themselves and (2) be fair with their employers. Having a summer job is worthwhile, he says, but the far-reaching effects of an education, which boys and girls should continue when schools reopen in the fall, "far outweigh the money earned on a summer job." Taking that first job in the adult working world is a pivotal point in the experience of most boys and girls, he says. Few satisfactions in life exceed the solid sense of "making good" on a job. Deriving personal satisfaction from his work is an important part of an adolescent's growth. Failure cuts deep, and can set a pattern of frustration and maladjustment which will be costly to society and the individual, he says. Therefore, he counsels, in fairness to himself a minor should find a job he can do — and then do it well. Every state now has a child-labor law. Twenty-three states have set 16 years as the basic ages for employment. All but five states have set the 8-hour day as maximum for children under 16, and restrictions have been clamped on night work. But, he adds, perhaps the most beneficial act protecting children from bad working conditions is the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act passed by Congress in 1938 and amended in 1949. It applies generally to employees engaged in interstate commerce or in the production of goods for commerce. Employers who wish to protect themselves from unintentional violation of child labor laws will require boys and girls to present age certificates before they go to work. "In fairness to your employer," he tells minors, "don't falsify your age to get a certain job." Such age certificates are desirable for minors under 18 in general employment and by those who are 18 and 19 if they work in hazardous jobs. Minor girls of 18 and 19 will need such certificates if they work for firms doing government contracts, he says. In Texas, such certificates of age are issued, as a public service, by the Texas Employment Commission. Birth certificates, church records, or insurance policies may be needed to establish proof of age. Further information about legal minimum ages for employment in various jobs may be obtained from the Wage-Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor, Dallas, Texas.

Final Rites For Mrs. Yeager Held Sunday Afternoon

Final rites for Mrs. Gertie Miller Yeager, long time resident of Eastland County, were held Sunday at the Scranton Baptist Church by the Rev. W. M. Slatton and the Rev. Mart Agnew. Mrs. Yeager died at 4:36 a. m. Saturday following an illness that had lasted since December. She was born in Tennessee on January 30, 1871, and was married to Sam A. Miller in September, 1888. She moved to Eastland County in 1895. Mr. Miller died in 1925 and in 1930 Mrs. Miller was married to the Rev. R. H. Yeager of the Pueblo community. She lived there until after Rev. Yeager died in 1933. In 1949 she moved to Cisco where she had lived with her daughter until her death. Surviving children are May Miller of Cisco, A. F. Miller of Cisco and Lance Miller of Midland. Another child, Ercei Miller, preceded her in death, as did an infant child. Pallbearers were Pleys Ray, L. E. Sublett, J. C. Penn, Stewart Slatton, Laurence Alvey and Newt Hagan.

Golfers Invited To Eastland For Weekend Tourney

Cisco golfers have been invited to take part in the annual Lakeside Invitation Golf Tournament at Eastland this weekend, it was reported here today. Medal play qualifying rounds will be played on Friday with match play scheduled for Saturday and Sunday. A fast field is expected for the tournament. Fort Worth's Ernie Vossler, a top amateur in the state, and other stars have accepted an invitation to play. Ciscoans expected to compete include Ben Tabor, Buddy Deen, Jack Milner, Bill Goff, Gene Damron, J. A. Robinson, and a number of others. The annual barbecue and Calcutta pool will be held Friday night. A feature of the week's program at Lakeside will be a pro-amateur tourney. A 54-hole medal tourney for professionals will be played Friday, Saturday and Sunday with \$750 in prize money. Area professionals and several visitors are due to take part.

Fund Is Started For Storm Help

Citizens of Cisco who wish to contribute to the relief of storm victims at Waco and San Angelo may leave their checks at the city hall, Mayor G. C. Rosenthal said today. It was expected that a Red Cross call for funds might be received by the county chapter and if the call comes any donations already received will be added to this fund. Mr. Rosenthal started the fund with a check for \$10. He wired the mayor of Waco Tuesday offering "any assistance our little community might render. We had a similar disaster some 60 years ago and the people of Texas were most generous in donations to relieve the suffering of our people."

RANGER SAND DISCOVERY WELL IS REPORTED FOR THIS SECTION

Lower Ranger sand oil production has been reported in two recently completed wells in the area seven miles southwest of Cisco, according to information here today. The G. B. Butterfield and H. S. Head, Olney, No. 1 Johnny Aaron has been completed with a daily potential of 166 barrels of 42 gravity oil flowing through a 20-64 choke. Tubing pressure was 225 pounds. Production was from 40 perforations at 3,502-12 feet with the casing set to 3,601 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 310 to 1. Location was given as 1,250 feet from the north and east lines of the southeast quarter in Section 4, Block 3, H & TC Survey. In the same area, the McElroy Ranch Company No. 2 Wright is flowing Ranger sand oil. It was completed recently. The test was planned as a Mississippi lime production offset and was deepened to the Ranger at about 3,500 feet after failing to pickup the reef. Nearby, McElroy was testing in their No. 1-D Wright, a Mississippi lime prospect. The hole was about 3,250 feet deep. Testing was in a gas section in the upper Mississippi, it was understood here.

Continue Program To Save Water Is Urged By Council

Water rationing for Cisco, which had been under consideration for several months, was indefinitely postponed Tuesday night as the City Commission held its regular semi-monthly meeting at the City Hall. This action was taken after Mayor G. C. Rosenthal reported that Lake Cisco had gained approximately four feet of new water as a result of watershed rains this week. Mr. Rosenthal pointed out, however, that citizens would be asked to continue the voluntary rationing program and to use a minimum of water. The city will require all evaporative air conditioners to be equipped with circulating pumps. Mr. Rosenthal explained that this was a health measure to prevent mosquito breeding as well as an action to conserve water. "We are delighted that the rains this week have enabled us to postpone water rationing," Mr. Rosenthal said. "It is important, however, that we continue our efforts to conserve water." Mr. Rosenthal reported that tests on the water well at Lake Cisco Park indicate that it will pump more than 10,000 gallons per day. One of three tests wells has been completed and equipped with a pump as a standby water source at the park. The council authorized the city secretary to advertise for bids to sell the ten duplex apartment buildings and lots in South Cisco. The buildings were obtained by the city shortly after World War II to relieve the housing shortage. A tax equalization board, composed of H. C. Nix, E. R. Bibby and Roy Westfall, was appointed by the commission to study any requests for changes in the 1953 tax renditions. A meeting date for the board will be announced later. The commission approved a resolution that will enable the Texas Highway Department and the T&P Railroad to install grade crossing signals at the Highway 283 crossing at the north end of Avenue D.

BASEBALL POSTPONED

The Cisco Unit of the Texas National Guard has postponed a baseball game scheduled here for Friday night, it was announced today. Postponement was due to the prospect of muddy grounds. Mrs. Jack Taylor has returned to her home in Los Angeles, California, after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wooten.

Legion Will See Special Pictures

Motion pictures will be shown as the program feature when members of the John William Butts Post 123 of the American Legion hold their regular semi-monthly meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday at the Legion Hall, Post Commander W. J. Foxworth reported today.

Administrative Officer Vernon L. DeLong of the Cisco Unit of the National Guard will show two films, "The Big Gun," which is the story of the new atomic cannon, and "V-2 Rockets." The pictures will run for about 30 minutes. Mr. Foxworth urged all members to attend. Seven Ciscoans win Scholastic Awards.



FIRE IN HOLLAND—A crown of fierce flames tops a rest home in Utrecht, The Netherlands, as the roof turns into a pyre and rescue workers dash to aid the firemen. All of the 60 patients in the house were rescued. A fire brigade attacking the flames with 10 hose lines could not keep the whole upper floor from being destroyed, and it's small wonder.

Seven Ciscoans Win Scholastic Awards

DALLAS, May 12. — Seven Cisco students were recognized for high scholastic achievement at Southern Methodist University's annual Honor's Day Convocation. President Humphrey Lee of SMU delivered the principal address at the university-wide gathering of students and faculty in McFarlin Memorial Auditorium. The seven students who were honored for their outstanding academic records are: Anita Carlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Lavery; Mona Cluck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Cluck; Leonard J. Donohoe, son of Mrs. W. W. Donohoe; Mary McCrea, daughter of Luther H. McCrea; Zeldia Sandler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sandler; and Joseph D. Stamey, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stamey.

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Soil Conservation Districts Self Governed

The Texas legislature passed a law in 1939 entitled Texas State Soil Conservation Law. What did this law require landowners to do? Nothing! It permits them to organize soil conservation districts, if they so desire. If then the initiative in organization of a soil conservation district rests with the landowners and an entirely voluntary proposition, why have 166 districts embracing 95 percent of the land area of the great state of Texas been organized in the short span of 13 years? The answer is simple. Landowners have long realized the seriousness of soil erosion as it effects their own economic well being. They have seen further than their individual selfish interest and envisioned the effect of continued soil loss on the nation and posterity. Coupled with this understanding is the landowners firm belief in the collective ability of him and his neighbors to solve their problems with a minimum of interference.

The Texas Soil Conservation Law appeals to landowners because it authorizes them to organize their own soil conservation district, elect their own governing body (board of supervisors) plan a program of action adapted to local conditions and acceptable to the local people who must do the job the farmers

Although soil conservation districts in Texas are specifically forbidden by law to levy taxes or issue bonds to obtain operating capital the districts are well on the way to getting their programs applied. Each board of supervisors of districts now in operation has entered into agreements with agencies of the Department of Agriculture, whereby these agencies agree to furnish the educational assistance needed to sell landowners on the need for and the necessity of applying conservation farming methods on their farms and technical aid for helping them develop complete conservation plans on their individual farms based on the needs and capabilities of each acre.

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DOUBLE TALENT—Violinist Frank Gullino admires his painting which is on exhibit in New York. Gullino is a member of the Philharmonic Symphony and one of nine members of the Philharmonic Painters Club. Their paintings have been shown during the current symphony season.

Garden Needs Protection Before Insects Ravage

While the post-war insecticide D.D.T. still kills more garden insects than any one prewar preparation, new formulations are now available which experts say do better on some pests than D.D.T.

Aphids, or plant lice, which drink plant juices, are a weak spot for D.D.T. It kills some, but misses most of them. Lindane, one of the new ones, kills aphids plus all beetles, worms, leaf hoppers and flea beetles which D.D.T. destroys.

Lindane is a chemical refinement of a German material imported when the war ended, which was handicapped by a bad odor. This has been removed. Like D.D.T. lindane kills insects which it hits, and leaves a residue on the plant which is fatal to pests that eat or walk on it. It also produces a vapor which is fatal to insects that breathe it.

Chlordane, which is also a triple threat to plant pests, is now recommended for destroying insects that are in the soil or crawl about on it. It is the best ant destroyer, and kills cut worms, chiggers, wire worms, and the like.

While thousands of new insecticides have been registered with the government, it was never before so easy for an amateur gardener to learn how to protect his plants from insects and disease. This is because of all-around pesticides now available, which will destroy all plant enemies that attack gardens. Formerly it was necessary to keep on hand one material to kill leaf eaters—and this was usually arsenic—

one to kill aphids, usually nicotine, and a fungicide to keep disease from spreading. Before either was used, a diagnosis was necessary to see what the trouble might be.

But now the gardener can keep a duster filled with an all-around combination, and use it to protect his plants at the first sign of trouble, without trying to decide exactly what the trouble might be.

The time to act is before the damage is done, since nothing can repair a plant that insects have ruined.

Pests that may be expected in the vegetable garden include aphids and cabbage worms on all cabbage, kohlrabi, cauliflower and broccoli; cucumber beetles on cucumbers, melons and squash; leaf hoppers on beans and potatoes; and flea beetles on egg plant. Protection against these should begin before they arrive, as soon as the plants have

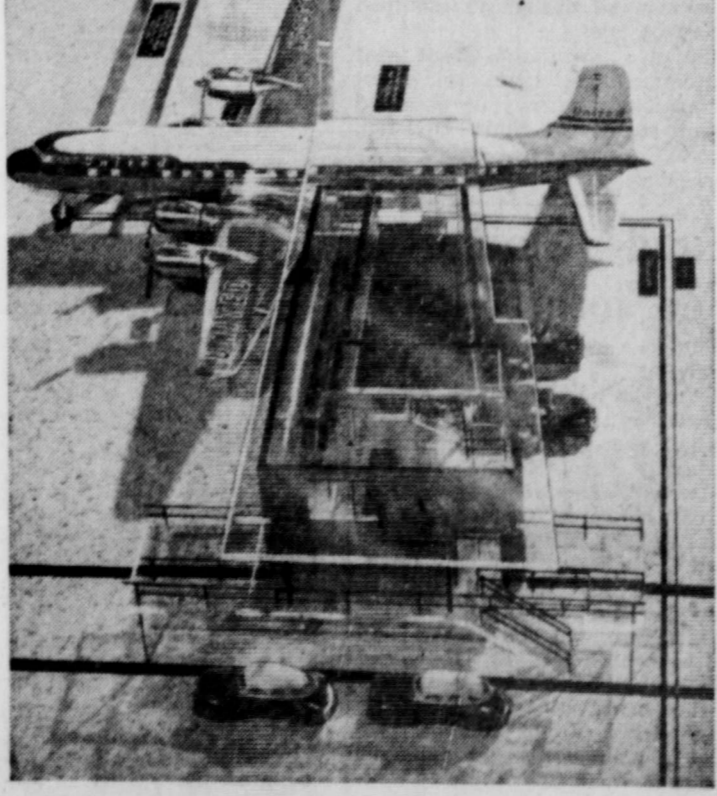


Dust or spray your plants before insects damage them.

begun to grow vigorously. Dusting and spraying are both effective. Dusting has many advantages for the amateur. Equipment may be economical, and the dusts come ready for use, whereas sprays usually have to be mixed with water before each application.

Since their object is to protect the plant from enemies, and this is done by spreading a film of liquid, or a coating of dust over the leaves and stems, care must be taken to allow no surface to escape. The plant should be enveloped by a cloud of dust which leaves a coating of dust about as heavy as face powder over all parts.

Plants should be drenched with sprays, if this method is used, so there is a heavy runoff to the ground. For spraying a sunny, windless day is required, and for dusting there should be no wind.



MAKING THINGS EASY—A transparent roof on this model of a new aircock shows the passenger waiting room, foreground, with corridor leading directly to the door of the Mainliner. The surrounding area contains washrooms, an office and space for outgoing flights. A stairway goes to the baggage-claiming counter where luggage is delivered by a conveyor belt.

4-H Clubs Work For Betterment Of Their Areas

A million and a half 4-H boys and girls throughout the nation are engaged in community betterment programs of health, recreation and safety, according to Guy L. Noble, director of the National 4-H Committee.

"Through these nation-wide programs conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service," Noble said, "4-H'ers learn how to live healthfully, develop personal and community resources that make for improved leisure time and happiness, and curtail accidents by removing safety hazards."

In 1952, 763,000 members participated in 4-H Health Improvement, in which Kellogg Co. of Battle Creek, Mich., is awards donor; 200,000 received training in 4-H Recreation and Rural Arts, with incentives provided by United States Rubber Co., and 500,000 took part in 4-H Safety activities, with special recognitions offered by General Motors.

Awards for outstanding 4-H records of achievement in the programs include medals of honor all-expense trips to the 1953 National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, and college scholarships. County Extension Agents will furnish complete information on the programs.

George Washington had red hair, usually covered by a white wig.

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We wish to express our thanks to our friends for their many acts and expressions of loving kindness during the long illness and death of our beloved mother, especially thank the ladies of her neighborhood and the ladies of the Wesley Methodist Church for the lunch served on Saturday and Sunday. We also express our deep appreciation for the beautiful floral tribute and for the many cards and expressions of sympathy. May God's richest blessings be on each of you who helped in any way.
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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Baptist Circle Meets With Mrs. Jackson

Mrs. E. L. Jackson was hostess for her home Tuesday for the regular meeting of Circle Four of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Leo Keelan led in opening prayer and Mrs. D. L. Kiser read the devotional reading and commented on the 100th Psalm. A short business session followed and the group voted to set tables for the Baptist W.M.U. meeting Friday. Refreshments of pie and a drink were served to Mrs. C. E. Stumpe, Mrs. O. G. Lawson, Mrs. E. L. Jackson, Mrs. D. L. Kiser, Mrs. Leo Keelan, and Mrs. W. J. Parsons.

meeting was called to order by Mrs. Campbell, president. Roll call was answered by introducing the mother or the person representing their mother, of each member. It was voted to send a box of kitchen accessories to the Girls Home which is being established near Breckenridge. The group discussed quilting a quilt for each member of the club. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, May 20, in the home of Mrs. Ida Boles at which time the Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Daniels will be present.

OES Chapter Holds Meeting On Tuesday

The Cisco Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star met in regular session Tuesday evening at the Masonic Hall with Mrs. Gladys Byrd, worthy matron, in charge. Minutes of the previous meeting, the fraternal visit, and the school, were read by the secretary, Mrs. Irene Britain. The pledge of allegiance, led by Mrs. Nona Dean, Marshall, was given and a memorial service, paying tribute to the Eastern Star of the order who had passed away during the year was held. The meeting closed in regular form. Approximately twenty-five members attended.

Pleasant Hill Club Has All-Day Quilting

The Pleasant Hill Home Demonstration Club met May 7 in the home of Mrs. Merle Campbell for an all-day quilting. All members were present except one. The morning was spent quilting the quilt the members of the club had pieced. A covered luncheon was served at noon. Following the luncheon a short business session was held. The

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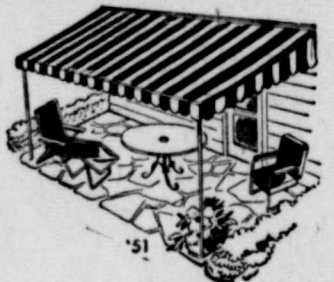
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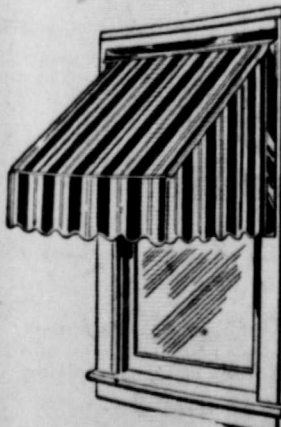
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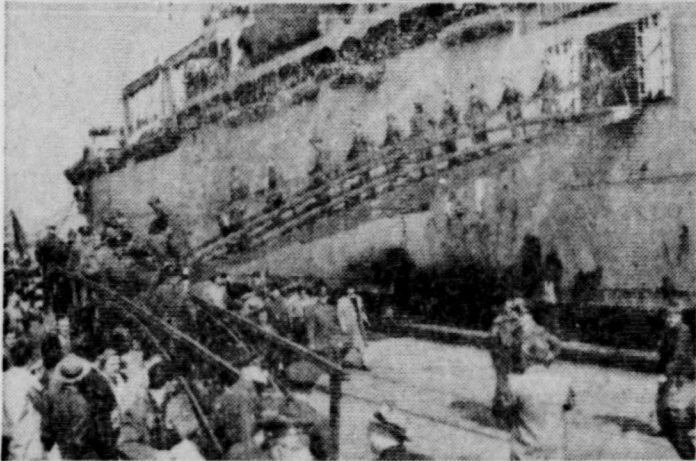
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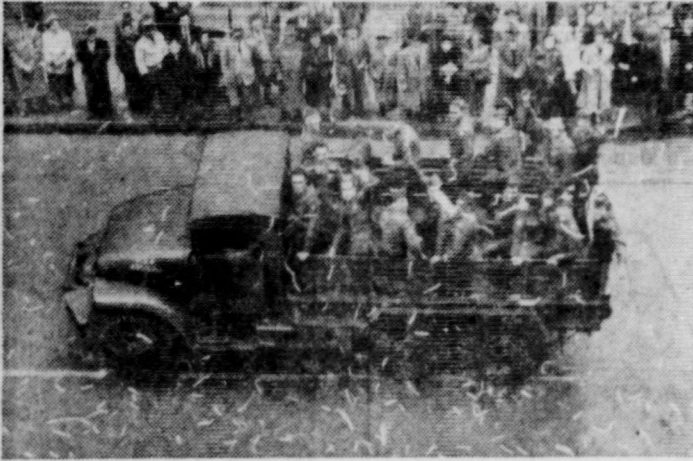
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ARE THEY GLAD!—Korean war veterans wave from the troop ship General William Weigel as they prepare to debark at the Brooklyn Army Base, upper left. After docking, the first of the 2238 men step down the gangplank, below, some of them in search of relatives or friends who might have turned up to welcome them.



come them. The men were the first to be sent home direct to the East Coast from the Korean war zone. Cpl. William Araiz of Brooklyn rushed into the arms of his mother, upper right. The men all had a good welcome, if not as personal as that of Araiz, and started out in trucks, below, for some long-awaited fun.

HEALTH TALKS

Prepared by the Texas Medical Association

The picnic basket has always been a sign of good times. It can spell a bad time, though, if what it holds is unwisely chosen.

Certain foods like chicken salad, potato salad, or custard pie which may spoil should be kept off the picnic menu unless they can be kept cold, and food shouldn't be prepared too long before it is to be eaten.

Very few cases of food poisoning occur when food is eaten in the home, largely as the result of good sanitation and the right preparation of food. There have been epidemics of food poisoning, however, among eaters in restaurants and among bakery shop patrons who choose cream or custard pies.

For food poisoning (misnamed "ptomaine poisoning") the signs are a feeling of fullness, abdominal cramps, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea. The patient should be put to bed, kept warm, and given nothing by mouth except water until the doctor arrives. He will give other instructions.

Botulism, a form of food poisoning, differs from other kinds in that poison produced by the germs, rather than the germs themselves, do the damage. On this score, the housewife is more likely to be at fault, since the cause of botulism in most cases is improper home canning. Home canned foods should be thoroughly sterilized. Cans with bumps (which may indicate that the germs have thrown off gas) should not be used. Although botulism is rare, it is serious and may cause death. The doctor should be called at once if home canned foods may have caused the illness.

A common sign or accompanying symptom of food poisoning is diarrhea or "loose bowels." Diarrhea, with cramping and upset stomach, can be caused by other kinds of sickness. It may be an intestinal or general infection or some kind of dysentery. Diarrhea can be a symptom of an inflamed appendix.

With diarrhea, no matter what the cause, it is unwise to give any medicine without first consulting the doctor. Severe diarrhea may result in loss of body fluids, and infants with diarrhea may die if not treated promptly. Treatment sometimes calls for the giving of fluids by vein.

Mrs. E. C. Casper and son of Tahoka has returned to her home after a weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bailey.

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Greenhaw	1	6	0	.000
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And the loftiness of man shall be bowed down, and the haughtiness of men shall be made low; and the Lord alone shall be exalted in that day. — (Isaiah III, 17.)

When the present moment and hour may be the last for any one of us, and this day any individual's Day of Judgment, why should we exalt ourselves or anyone else of this earth? Only the truly humble, forgiven of the Lord and living in Him, can count themselves secure, today or tomorrow.

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Mrs. William Joyner was in charge of the program. Mrs. John Shertzer gave the devotional on Mother's Day. The devotional closed with sentence prayers. A quiz program on the work of the W.S.C.S. was given with all members taking part. And Mrs. Joyner gave an article from the Methodist Woman entitled, "Measuring Yard."

Mrs. O. C. Lomax presided over the business session in which routine business matters were transacted, cards sent to sick, penny fund collected, and pledges paid. A final report by the treasurer, Mrs. Shertzer, was given, and plans were made for a tea for the seniors on Friday

afternoon. Plans were also made to furnish flowers for the church Sunday. The meeting was dismissed with the benediction.

During the social hour, mint punch and cake were served to Mrs. G. P. Rainbolt, Mrs. William Joyner, Mrs. O. C. Lomax, Mrs. Carrell Smith, Mrs. Sam King, Mrs. H. A. McCandless, Mrs. John Shertzer, Mrs. W. W. Moore, Mrs. Ed Huestis, and Mrs. Doss.

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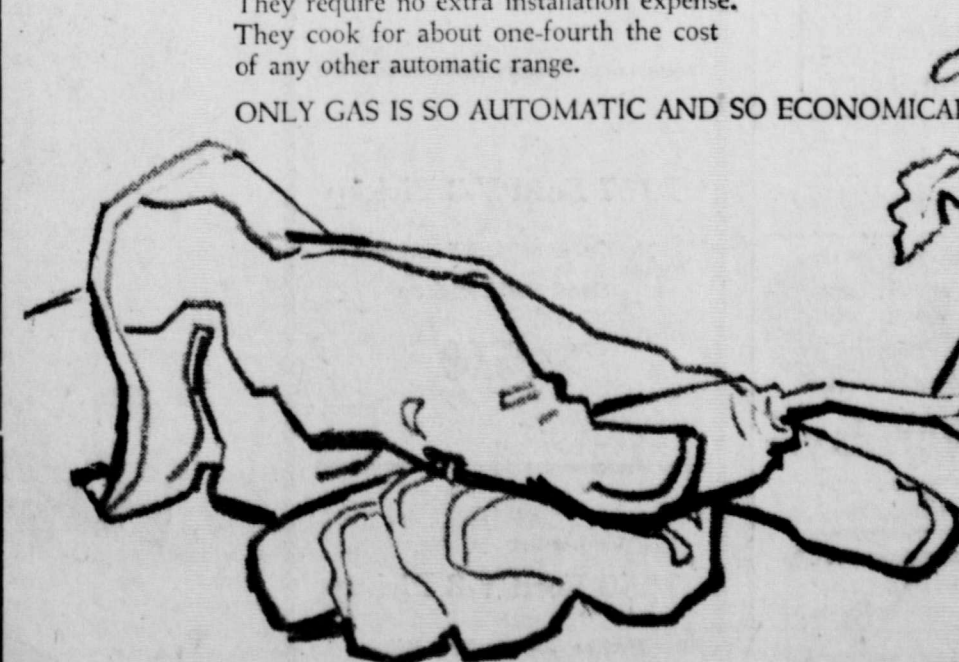
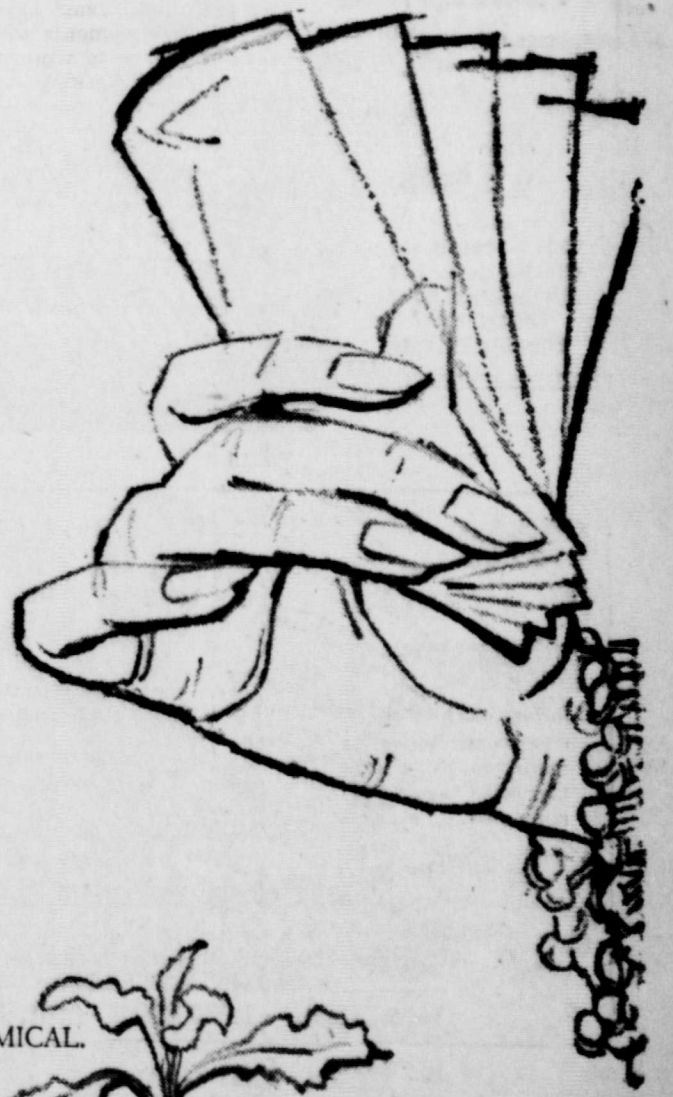
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A — No. VA will send you a formal application, which you must fill out and return. If you send it back to VA within a year from the time you receive it, VA will consider as the effective date of your application the date that it received your original letter.

Q — As a disabled veteran, I received an automobile, under VA's program of paying up to \$1,600 of the cost. Will VA also

pay for any repairs that I might need?

A — No. Under the law, no payment may be made for repairs, maintenance or replacement of your automobile.

Q — I'm taking on-the-job training under the Korean GI Bill. What does VA consider as full-time training?

A — Full-time training for job trainees consists of the number of hours which make up the standard work week of your establishment. The minimum, however, is 36 hours a week, except in cases where bona fide collective bargaining between employers and employees has established a standard work week of fewer hours.

Q — I'm going to school under the Korean GI Bill, and my wife

just had a baby. What must I do in order to get an increased education allowance from VA?

A — You must apply for the increase. If VA receives your application within 45 days, the effective date of the increased allowance will be the date of the birth of your child. Otherwise, the effective date will be the date VA receives your application. In either case, you must submit satisfactory evidence of the birth of the child within a year of the time you asked for the increased allowance.

Gay Philosopher

From Page One
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