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## The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

WE'VE BEEN talking about little industries and pointing out what they can be worth to the community, and now we can report that another little industry will open for business in Cisco during February. Mr. Harry Grung of 1604 West 5th Street, an old-timer in the wood-working field, is now ready to open shop.

About Feb. 15, the Bilt-Rite Cabinet Company of Cisco, Texas, will be open for business in the garage and workshop at the Grung home. A lot of costly new machinery has been and is being installed — all kinds of wood working machines.

And Harry has a couple of nice contracts in his hip pocket for the Bilt-Rite company to work on. One of the contracts calls for Harry to build 3,000 dummy TV sets to be delivered 150 per month to the Photo Enterprises, Inc., at Wichita Falls. They'll be used for advertising work in store windows over the country.

The other contract calls for dummy radio display sets to be built for the same company.

Chuck Odenwald, son of the Grungs and a CJC graduate, is director of art and photo work for the Wichita Falls firm. He is doing nicely, too.

Mr. Grung figures to be the manager and plant supervisor for Bilt-Rite. He plans to employ CJC boys as much as possible — young fellows who might want to learn a trade.

Harry has been in wood-working 42 years, most of the time in Chicago. He started out there with his dad in the Chicago Sash and Door Co. After 20 years, he went to another big firm. Retiring a year or so ago, he and family moved to Cisco.

And all Cisco hopes that Harry's Bilt-Rite Cabinet Company becomes a huge success.

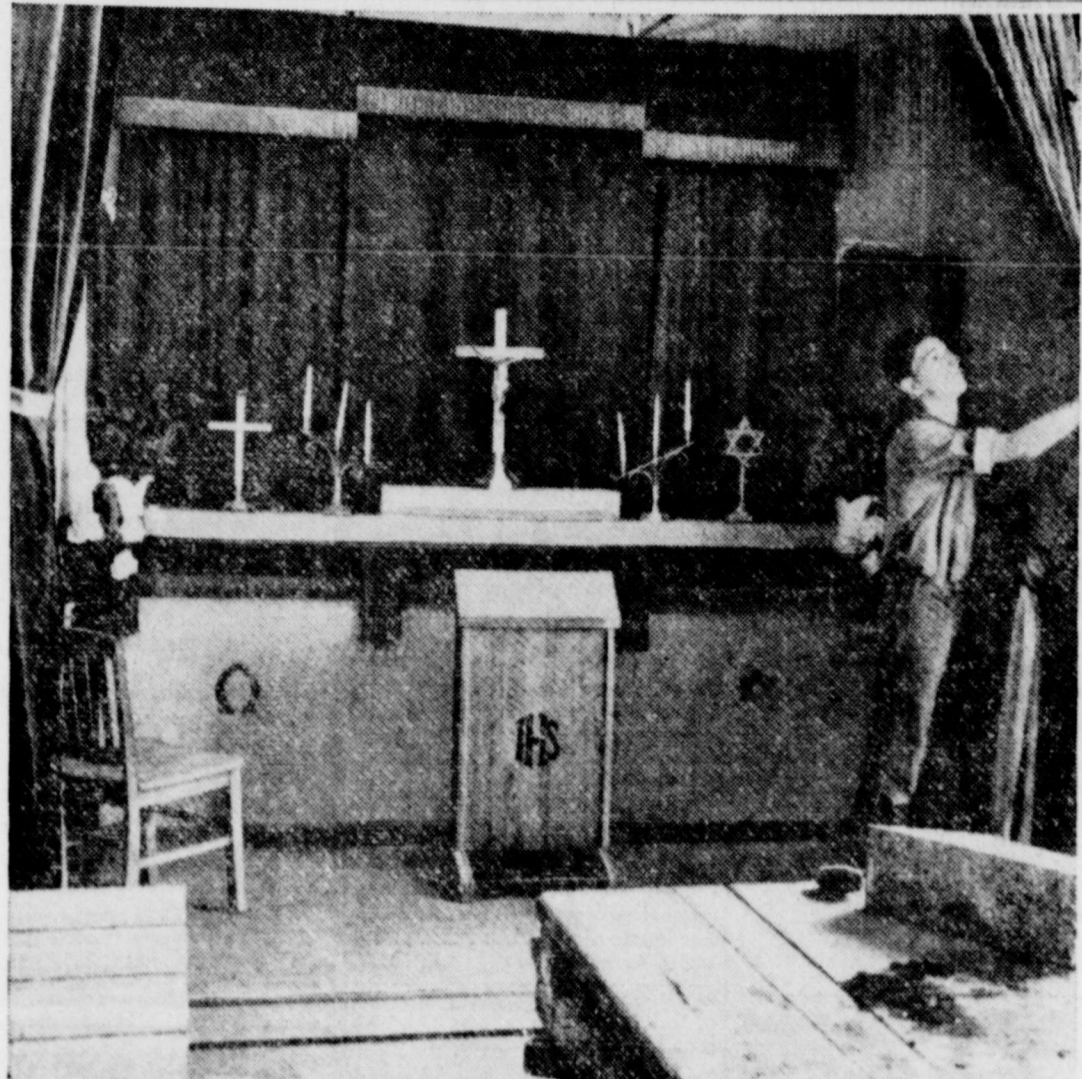
RAN INTO MR. Pat Fee, son of the George P. Fees, out at the Country Club supper party Friday night. Pat is home for a visit. He's still in the U. S. Navy and is now assigned to the USS Manchester. . . The dinner was outstanding, as usual, with more good food than the large crowd could eat. . . Club members applauded the work of Mrs. E. G. Dameron, Mrs. Norman Huston and Mrs. John Shertzer on the entertainment committee during the past month or so. Understand a new committee will take over as February opens.

LET'S ALL say "welcome home" to Mr. C. E. Whitaker, manager of the Gallagher Clay Products Company. He has arrived home from Houston where he underwent a very serious operation. He has been directed to take it very easy for a month or more before going back to work. . . And let's say farewell to the Bob Ellisons. They departed Saturday afternoon for Pecos to make their home. Bob says he received a business offer that seemed much too good to turn down. He's a native of the far west. . . Bob's place at the Cogdell company here will be taken by Luce Pittman of Eastland.

BURNING GRASS must be catching. Mrs. Ed Aycock was burning some dead grass Friday afternoon down near the monument works, and Col. William Reagan, whose Texaco agency is across the way, watched for a few minutes. Then he went out and started burning dead grass around his place of business. . . Out in the southeast part of town, we noticed a television antenna that looks like half of an ordinary bed spring mounted on a pole.

MEMBERS OF THE Lions Club had to postpone their Broom Sale the other night due to conflicting events. The new date will be announced in the near future. . . Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDougale became the parents of a daughter, Jo Nell, Friday morning at the Graham Hospital. Mrs. McDougale is the daughter of Mrs. G. E. Newman and is living with her mother here while Husband Joe is doing his duty with the Army. . . Weekend visitors in our town are Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Lyle of Austin. Mrs. Lyle reports that she enjoys her work as state Legion Auxiliary secretary.

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**A PLACE FOR PRAYER**—An employe at a monument works in Joliet, Ill., is pushing aside a curtain in the corner of the factory to reveal a prayer room which the owner constructed for workmen. Since there's always a place to go for coffee, or for a smoke, a place for prayer when one is in deep trouble or sorrow should be very consoling.

## LEGION LEADER URGES SUPPORT OF BRICKER LAW IN CONGRESS

Liberty and the U. S. Constitution should always mean the same thing, Texas Commander L. E. Page of the American Legion told a meeting of the John William Butts Post 123 Thursday night in urging support for the Bricker Amendment now before the Congress.

The Bricker measure provides that no international treaty or agreement shall supersede the U. S. Constitution without prior approval of the Congress.

Mr. Page, who appeared in Cisco for a meeting of 17th District Legion posts, noted that the NATO and United Nations charters as well as numerous international agreements threaten the traditional guarantees of the constitution.

In a report on Legion affairs, Mr. Page said Texas ranks 21st now in national membership. The 17th district needs 1,300 more members to meet its quota for the year. He noted that the state now has more members than at the same time a year ago.

Legion Posts were urged to make plans to observe the 36th birthday of the American Legion in March. He said that the Legion has more overseas veterans as members than all other veterans organizations combined.

In discussing the objectives of the American Legion, Mr. Page noted that since 1926 the organization has spent \$105,000,000 from funds paid in as membership dues on child welfare. This he added, does not include special donations or money spent by the Legion Auxiliary.

The Legion has always had an active Americanism program, he said. National security has been urged constantly by the Legion and, Mr. Page said, "if the na-

## BOSS COMPANY WILL OBSERVE ITS 10th ANNIVERSARY IN CITY

The Boss Manufacturing Company will observe its 10th anniversary in Cisco with an open house at the factory on the Breckenridge highway next Friday afternoon from 1:30 to 4 o'clock, Manager Anton White reported Saturday.

Officials of the company, including President E. J. Waller and Vice-President R. F. Albro of the home office in Kewanee, Ill., and Dean Haralson, Texas sales representative, will be here for the occasion.

Manager B. A. Butler of the Chamber of Commerce said that his board of directors and city officials would honor the visiting Boss officials at a luncheon at noon Friday at the Victor Hotel Coffee Shop.

Friday night, employees of the Boss Company and Chamber of Commerce and city officials will attend a banquet at the Junior

## Baseball League Plans To Be Made At ABC Meeting

Alpha Elder, president of the ABC Club, has announced a meeting of the club for 7:30 p. m. Monday in the directors room of the Chamber of Commerce.

All ABC Club officers and members were urged to attend the important meeting.

In addition, President Elder would like to have all those interested in the Cisco Little Baseball League to attend the meeting to complete plans for the summer baseball program. He said that final Little League plans and additional plans for the Teen-age League would be discussed at the meeting.

He pointed out that there was a need for additional sponsors and managers for the Teen-age league and that volunteers would be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marion of Kermit are guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis.

## CJC HAS ENROLLMENT INCREASE AS SECOND SEMESTER BEGINS

O. L. Stamey, president of Cisco Junior College, reported Saturday that enrollment for the Spring term at the school showed a 10 to 15 per cent increase over the figure for the Fall term, and that indications were that other students would report for registration before the deadline this week.

Mr. Stamey said that the increase was very gratifying, particularly in the face of handicaps under which the school is operating since fire destroyed the main building early this month. Officials had expected to hold about the same number of students.

## BOSS COMPANY WILL OBSERVE ITS 10th ANNIVERSARY IN CITY

High School gym. A program for this event was being arranged by a committee from the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Butler said.

The general public has been invited to visit the Boss glove plant during the Friday afternoon open house, Manager White said.

The Boss company, the nation's largest manufacturer of work gloves, opened its Cisco factory ten years ago. The original 25 employees has grown into a group of about 150 workers at this time as operations have been expanded at the plant.

Complete information concerning the Boss company's local plant and its operations will be in The Press this week.

See DON PIERSON  
Olds—Cadillac  
Before You Trade!

## March Of Dimes Donations

A number of additional donations to the March of Dimes campaign had been turned in Saturday at the Fire Station, Chairman W. E. Dean reported. He acknowledged the following contributions:

F. D. Pierce	\$ 5.00
Gene Abbott	2.00
Qualls Humble Service	10.00
Con Collins	2.00
Elva Moad	2.85
Allen Jones	1.00
F. D. Moore	2.00
J. T. Elliott	10.00
Mrs. Harry Donica	1.00
West Ward School	120.17
First National Bank	25.00

## Three Conference Basketball Games Are On Schedule

A lot of basketball is scheduled for fans in the local gyms this week as three Cisco schools meet in conference contests.

The Wranglers of Cisco Junior College play games here Monday and Tuesday nights and the Cisco Junior High School Midgets and girls play De Leon here Thursday night. Friday night the Lobos and the Queens play Stephenville here.

Monday night the Wranglers meet Blinn at the community gym. They defeated the Buccaneers in Brenham on January 8 by a 69-51 score.

Tuesday night the Wranglers play the Allen Academy Ramblers at the community gym. The Ramblers downed the Wranglers 77-62 at Bryan on January 9. Clinton Johnson is the power in the Allen lineup. He scored 34 points against the Wranglers in the first game. The Allen team averages well over six feet.

Thursday night the Midgets and the Cisco Junior High School girls meet teams from De Leon in a Junior Oilbelt Conference contest at the junior high gym. Friday night the Lobos and the Queens meet Stephenville in a District 9-AA contest at the community gym. Both the Lobos and the Queens lost to the Stephenville teams in Stephenville on January 19.

Coach Red Lewis of the Wranglers announced that the game between the Wranglers and Henderson County which was postponed on January 21 would be played in Cisco on February 19.

## JERRY LYNN NOBLE

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Noble of Cisco have announced the arrival of a son, Jerry Lynn, born in a Ranger hospital on January 27. He weighed seven pounds and four ounces at birth. Mrs. Noble and Jerry Lynn were to be brought to their home here Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Noble of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smallwood of Cisco are the grandparents. He has one brother, Jimmy, age 23 months.

## Bond Refunding Plan Announced By County Group

A bond refunding program on outstanding bonds on the Eastland County courthouse was announced by the commissioners court following a meeting held Monday. The refunding program will extend over a period of seven years.

Outstanding bonds on the courthouse total \$117,000 and a savings of \$8,928 in interest charges will be realized under the new program. The bid of the C. N. Burt Company of Dallas was accepted by unanimous vote. Two other firms submitted bids.

The new interest rate under the refunding program will be 2.2 per cent as compared with 3.5 per cent now in effect. The bonds were voted in 1927 and were refunded in 1944.

County Auditor Earl O'Brien said that a \$12,000 payment was due in March, and that another \$13,000 payment would be made. Attending the meeting Monday were County Judge John Hart and Commissioners B. M. Bennett of Gorman, Frank Castleberry of Eastland, Henry Carter of Rising Star and J. E. McCannell of Cisco.

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## Citizens Committee Is Formed To Encourage College Support

## MOTHERS MARCH ON POLIO NETS \$680 IN FRIDAY NIGHT EFFORT

Friday night's Mothers March on Polio raised the sum of \$680 to add to this city's contribution to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Chairman W. E. Dean reported Saturday. Mr. Dean said that this city's total funds raised to date amounted to more than \$1,000.

The mother's drive opened at 6:30 p. m. with more than 100 women touring all residential areas, stopping where porch lights were burning. By 9 p. m., the money had all been turned in at the Chamber of Commerce office and counted, Mr. Dean said.

"The Mothers of Cisco are to be complimented for their fine work in the polio drive," Mr. Dean said. "The drive was organized and carried out with a minimum of effort due to the splendid cooperation."

Anyone who may have been missed in the city drive was invited to leave or send a check to the Chamber of Commerce office or to the First National Bank.

Mr. Dean said that plans call

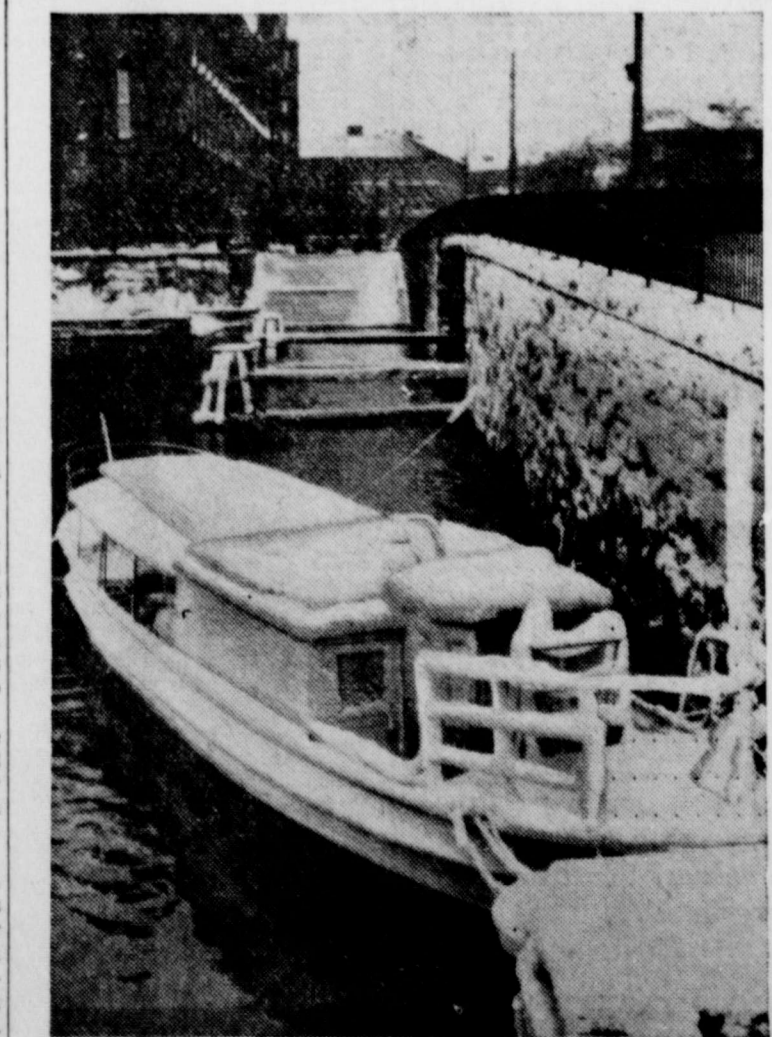
## Locations Made To Drill Seven County Oil Tests

The J. R. Lind No. 1 Sam Kimmell is a new deep oil test for the Cisco area, and drilling on the wildcat several miles north of town was ready to start Saturday after setting surface pipe. Location is in Section 87, Block 4, H&TC Survey.

Seven miles southeast of Cisco, R. A. Bearman has made location to drill the No. 1 W. B. Wright as an Aaron Mississippi Field project. Location is 300 feet from the north and east lines of the southeast quarter of Section 3, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

In the Eastland County Regular Field, seven miles south of Eastland, locations have been made for five new 1,300 foot wells — the Nos. 4 and 5 L. E. Murrell in Section 29, Block 2, H&TC Surveys, and the Nos. 10, 11 and 12 J. S. Turner in Section 30, Block 2, H&TC Survey.

Mrs. C. E. Moore of Santa Anna and Mrs. J. S. Mobley of Cisco have returned from a two weeks visit in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Densmore.



**SNOW BOAT**—A snow-covered sight-seeing boat in Stockholm, Sweden, is a sight in itself after that country was struck by one of the worst snowstorms in its history. Widespread chaos and damage were caused by the storm. Part of the Stockholm Town Hall can be seen behind the heavily coated boat that probably won't carry any sight-seers for a few months.

## Group To Publish Facts Of Matter

A Citizens Committee to work in the interest of approving a tax increase for maintenance of Cisco Junior College in an election to be held on Saturday, Feb. 13, was organized Friday afternoon at a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce offices.

A. Z. Myrick, manager of the Cisco Locker Plant and well known in area dairying and business circles, was named chairman of the committee.

It will be the group's purpose to provide complete information concerning the election proposition, the meeting decided. In addition, the committee will emphasize the importance of the junior college to the community.

At the election, voters of the Cisco Independent School District will ballot on the proposition of raising the college maintenance tax from 20 cents to 50 cents per \$100 valuation, and to extend the tax to the entire school district. At the present time, the junior college tax is paid by property owners in the old district. The district was considerably enlarged when the Gilmer-Akin law brought about consolidations.

The college administration building was destroyed in a \$250,000 fire on January 6. The board of trustees of the school district decided to submit the question of voting an adequate maintenance tax for the college before taking up the matter of erecting a new building.

Attending Friday's meeting were Mr. Myrick, E. P. Crawford, D. N. Morrison, William Reagan, J. L. Stafford, Bob Sanders, Ralph Glenn, Mrs. Don Choate, O. L. Stamey, Pete Nance, Bob Latson, Arlin Birt, B. A. Butler, George Davis, J. P. McCracken and J. W. Sifton.

Mr. Myrick appointed committees to assemble factual information concerning the proposition and to make it available to the public through public meetings, contacts and publication. He described the meeting as enthusiastic.

"The Citizens Committee is composed of people who are convinced that the college has a very definite place in our community and that its progress has an important bearing on our economy," Mr. Myrick said.

"It will be our purpose to encourage a study of the facts by our citizens and property owners as they consider the coming election."

The group will meet again at 9 a. m. Tuesday.

## James Starr To Talk At Garden Club Meet

The monthly meeting of the Cisco Garden Club will be held Monday afternoon, February 1, at the Federated Club house. James Starr, agriculture teacher at Cisco High School, will be the main speaker and will talk to the group on soil testing for deficiencies in nitrogen, super phosphate, and potash. Members are to display a potted plant at the meeting.

Hostesses for the day are to be Mrs. Austin Flint, Mrs. Luther H. McCrea, Mrs. Charles Kleiner, and Mrs. T. G. Caudle. Redbud trees will be available for members attending it was announced.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all of our friends for their kindness and sympathy during our time of sorrow at the loss of our father and grandfather, Clemente Garcia.

The Garcia and Marquez families.

CARD OF THANKS — Many words cannot express our appreciation for the kindness and sympathy of our neighbors and friends who made the passing of Mardell easier to bear. We sincerely thank each one for the floral offerings, the nice lunch, and the comfort you gave us so untingeringly. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. C. V. Swinson and family  
Mrs. L. B. Reeves

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Young People Are Urged To Begin Preparing For Duties Of Citizen

FORT WORTH—Attorney General John Ben Shepperd urged 1,200 high school seniors Friday to begin now preparing for the responsibilities of citizenship by studying public issues, politics, and governmental affairs.

girls and not enough girls who can be the life of the political party. Shepperd's address was the opener of an all-day program sponsored by T. C. U., the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Political Announcements

The Press has been authorized to make political announcements, subject to the Eastland County Democratic First Primary in July, for candidacies as follows:

For County Superintendent CARL ELLIOTT (re-election) H. R. (Pop) GARRETT

For Sheriff J. F. TUCKER (re-election) J. B. WILLIAMS

For Commissioner, Precinct 4 J. E. (Ed) McCANLIES, (re-election)

District Clerk ROY L. LANE, re-election JOHN C. NICHOLAS

Tax Assessor-Collector STANLEY WEBB (re-election)

County Treasurer RICHARD C. COX (re-election)

For County Judge JOHN HART (re-election)

For Justice of Peace ROSS GRIFFITH

County Clerk JOHNSON SMITH (re-election)

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Weeks of Garden Beauty Added by Early Plants

Weeks more of summer color from flowering annuals can be enjoyed in gardens by starting plants under protection before freezing weather ends.

The greatest gain in added beauty comes from flowers that grow slowly, taking as much as ninety days to bloom from seed. Most popular of these are snapdragons, petunias and asters, which develop slowly to flowering size.

Time may also be gained with tender varieties, which might be killed if sown in the garden before danger of frost is over. Among these are acroclinium, dimorphotheca, lobelia, marigold, petunia, phlox drummondii, scabiosa, verbena and zinnia.

Sweet peas, though hardy, can be started early with advantage if the seeds are sown in plant bands so the plants can be set in the garden without disturbing their roots. Besides the gain in time, there are other advantages from starting flowers in seed boxes, even if this is done outdoors when the seed could be sown directly in the garden. Better care can be given infant plants growing in a box. The boxes can be kept where it is convenient to water them daily, and moved to shade when the sun grows too hot.

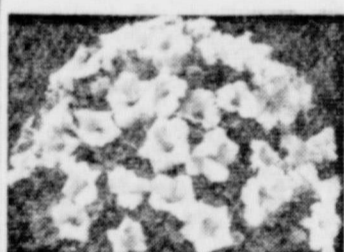
All the seed sown in boxes can be made to produce plants by transplanting the seedlings to other boxes while they are tiny. Each plant can then be set exactly where it is needed more easily and accurately than where seed is sown direct. The latter course usually involves thinning out plants with considerable waste.

Tender, slow growing vegetables are usually started early before their seed could safely be sown outdoors. Tomatoes, peppers, and egg plant for home gardens are given this head start through most of the country. Cauliflower for spring planting, which must mature heads before hot weather comes, requires an early start in most sections. Early cabbage, broccoli and kohlrabi frequently receive it.

For other vegetables little is gained by setting out plants rather than sowing seed directly in the garden row as soon as it is safe to do so.



Snapdragons.



Dwarf Petunias.



Asters

sections. Early cabbage, broccoli and kohlrabi frequently receive it. For other vegetables little is gained by setting out plants rather than sowing seed directly in the garden row as soon as it is safe to do so.



WELL DESERVED—After his owner died four years ago, Brownie, a dog in Peru, Ind., went to work every day as usual, as he had with his mistress who had worked in a factory for 21 years. Those years, plus Brownie's four more, make 25 so Howard Brittenham, left, plant manager, gave Brownie a 25-year pin.

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**Birthday Club Has  
Meeting On Jan. 23**

The Monthly meeting of the  
Double Octet Birthday Club was  
held January 23 in the home of  
Mrs. Faye Gardenhire.

Mrs. Bernice Carter gave the  
invocation after which the din-  
ner was served. Following the  
dinner, Mrs. Helen Russell pre-  
sided over a short business ses-  
sion. Games were directed by  
Mrs. Grace Cheves and a gift  
was presented to the hostess, Mrs.  
Gardenhire.

The February meeting will be  
held at the home of Mrs. Bernice  
Carter.

Those attending were Mesdames  
Helen Russell, Nettie Shepard,  
Grace Cheves, Eva Laws, Ione  
Surles, Mayne Walker, Helen  
Pugh, Alma Philpott, Thelma  
Schaefer, Katie Tabor, Bernice  
Carter, Miss Willie Frank Wal-  
ker, and three guests, Barbara  
Bassett, Janice Justice, and Mrs.  
Ellen Justice.

**Mrs. Alford Honoree  
At Informal Event**

Mrs. Raby Miller was hostess in  
her home Wednesday afternoon  
for an informal tea honoring her  
daughter, Mrs. D. G. Alford, who  
has been visiting here from Lake  
Charles, Louisiana.

The colors of yellow and green  
were used in the house decora-  
tions. The table was laid with  
a Chinese embroidered linen  
cloth and held a centerpiece of  
yellow and green flowers with  
appointments of silver and crys-  
tal.

Mrs. Nick Miller, Mrs. Rex  
Moore, Mrs. Bill Mitcham, and  
Mrs. Charles Spears alternated  
at the coffee service. Other  
members of the house party  
were Mrs. Yancey McCrea, Mrs.  
Jack Anderson, Mrs. Susie Vick-  
ers, and Mrs. Charles Van Horn.  
Approximately 65 guests at-  
tended.

**Eastern Star Holds  
Meeting On Tuesday**

The Cisco Chapter of the Order  
of Eastern Star met in regular  
session Tuesday at the Masonic  
Hall with the worthy matron,  
Mrs. Lorena Thompson in charge.

The pledge of allegiance was  
given led by the worthy patron,  
H. L. Thompson. Minutes of the  
previous meeting were read by  
Mrs. Irene Britain and other rou-  
tine business matters were trans-  
acted.

The meeting closed in regular  
form.

Col. and Mrs. D. G. Alford and  
children, Davy, Mike, and Patti  
have returned to their home in  
Lake Charles, Louisiana, after  
several weeks visit in Cisco with  
her mother, Mrs. Raby Miller and  
other friends and relatives.

George Washington did not be-  
long to a political party.



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MRS. DONAL WRAY STEPH

**Miss Fenley Becomes Bride Of Dr.  
Steph In Saturday Afternoon Rites**

Miss Wilma Kathryn Fenley of  
Abilene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Irvin Fenley of Cisco, became the  
bride of Dr. Donal Wray Steph  
of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Paul Steph of Abilene, in a  
double ring ceremony performed  
Saturday afternoon, January 30,  
at four o'clock in the chapel of  
the First Baptist Church in Abi-  
lene with the Dr. Elwin Skiles of-  
ficiating.

Wedding candelabra garlanded  
with greenery and burning white  
tapers formed the background for  
altar baskets of white gladioli  
and stock. A white satin pillow  
was used for kneeling during the  
"Lord's Prayer," and pews were  
marked with white satin bows  
and fern.

Given in marriage by her father  
the bride wore a waltz length  
gown of white chantilly lace over  
satin fashioned with a strapless  
bodice and bouffant skirt. The  
fitted jacket was also of lace with  
a stand-up collar, long pointed  
sleeves, and lace covered but-  
tons. Her veil of silk illusion  
was caught by a lace headdress  
outlined with seed pearls. She  
carried a semi-cascade bouquet of  
white ranunculus.

Miss Dorothy Clements of Lub-  
bock, cousin of the bride, was  
maid of honor. Her waltz length  
gown was of Blue-Bonnet blue  
taffeta fashioned with a strapless  
bodice and bolero. The taffeta  
overskirt was split down the  
front to reveal an underskirt of  
tied net. She wore a net bon-  
net outlined with seed pearls and  
carried a nosegay of rose, shad-  
ing to maroon, ranunculus.

Joe Steph of Abilene, brother  
of the groom, was best man and  
Dr. Charles Tandy and Marvin  
Dunn of Dallas, Homer Joe Clem-  
ents of Lubbock, and Allen White  
of Plainview were ushers.

Miss Emma Joyner furnished  
appropriate wedding music and  
accompanied Mrs. B. W. Wilcoxen  
of Byers who sang "Because" and  
"Always." Miss Allene Nichols  
of Abilene sang "The Lord's  
Prayer," as the benediction.

A reception was held following  
the ceremony at 542 Beech  
Street in Abilene. The couple  
were assisted in receiving by  
Misses Earlene Steel, Doris Rob-  
erts, Jane Houston, Sue Worth-  
ington, Mary Lou O'Rear, and  
Mrs. Charles Tandy.

The bride's table was laid with  
a white hand-made cut work lin-  
en cloth from China and held a  
centerpiece of white lighted ta-  
pers in silver holders on either  
side of the maid of honors bou-  
quet. Table appointments were  
of crystal.

Guests attended from Cisco,  
Abilene, Dallas, Denton, Lub-  
bock, Byers, Plainview, and

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The ladies of the church were  
hostesses for the affair with Mrs.  
R. H. Dunning and Mrs. Fred  
Wende serving as a committee in  
charge of the arrangements.

Games of "42" were played  
with R. H. Dunning winning first  
prize and Paul Weiser, the booby  
prize, for the men and Martha  
Lanham winning first prize and  
Mrs. Dorothy Prange winning the  
booby prize for the women.

Coffee, Cocoa, and cookies were  
served to approximately fifty  
guests.

Russell Johnson of Pecos is  
spending the weekend in Cisco  
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Edgar Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ellison and  
Paula left Saturday for Pecos  
where they will make their home.

Mrs. Frank Forbes of Wickett  
and Mrs. Lee Foster of Ft. Worth  
are visiting in the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Don Johnson and family  
in Moran and with friends and  
relatives in Cisco over the week-  
end.

Mrs. Olin Lewis and daughter,  
Nancy, of Whiteface are visiting  
in the home of her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. J. T. Waddell.



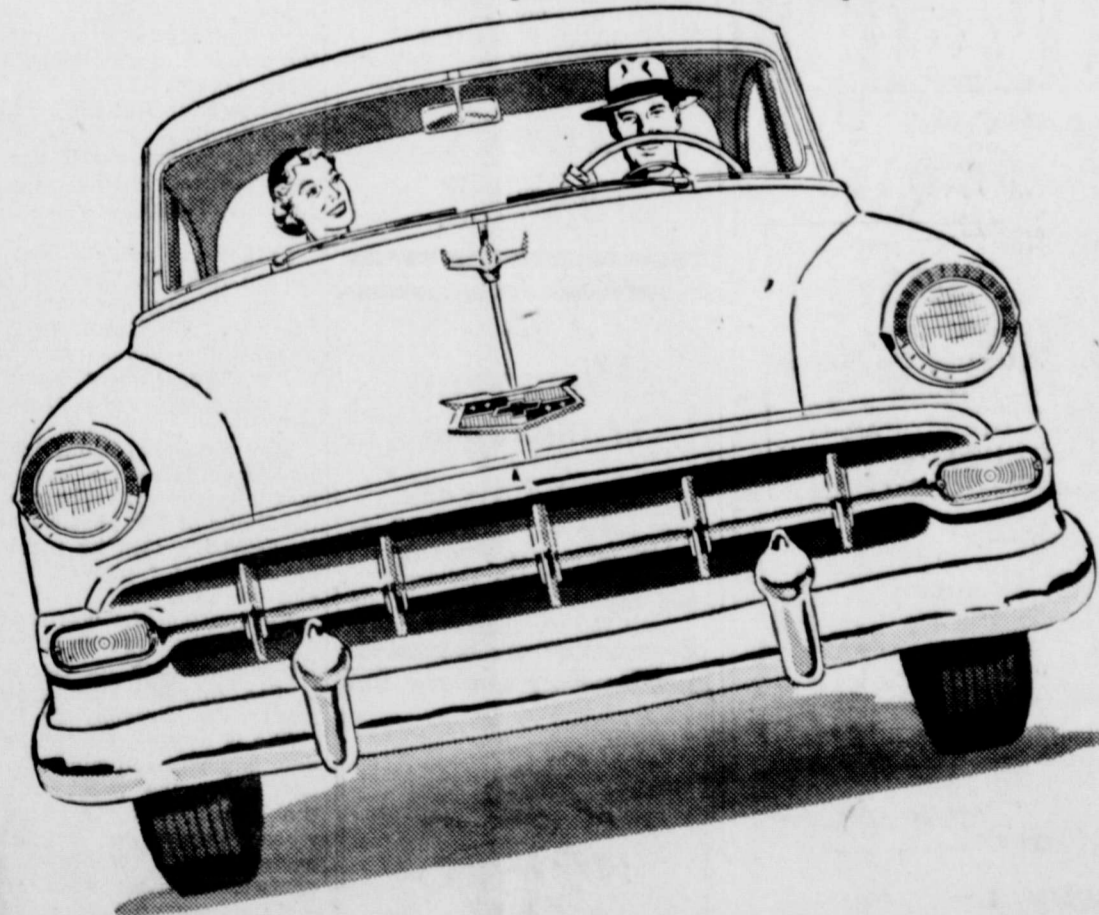
**SUNDAY, January 31**  
5:15—Sunday Devotions (L)  
5:45—What's Your Trouble  
6:00—Opportunity Knocks (L)  
6:30—Sunday Theater (F)  
6:45—Going Places with Uncle George  
6:55—TV Weatherfacts (L)  
7:00—The Range Rider (CBS-F)  
7:30—Crown Theater  
8:00—Tandem Theater  
9:00—Letter to Loretta (NBC-K)  
9:30—Sunday Report (L)  
9:45—This is The Life (F)  
10:15—Tandem Theater  
11:15—Vespers & Sign Off

**MONDAY, February 1**  
5:10—Daily Devotions (L)  
5:30—Previews (L)  
5:55—Western Parson Time  
6:25—Crusader Rabbit (F)  
6:30—Evening Report (L)  
6:45—Paradise Island (F)  
7:00—Let's Go Traveling (F)  
7:30—The Parson's Parlor (L)  
8:00—Texas In Review (F)  
8:30—Robert Montgomery  
9:30—Take A Stand (L)  
10:00—Late Report (L)  
10:15—Movietime  
11:15—Vespers & Sign Off (Bal)

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### Desk And Derrick Club Meets Here On Monday

Members of the Desk and Derrick Club, which usually meets in Breckenridge, will hold a regular meeting in Cisco on Monday night. Members will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Kleiner for a business session. A film on oil well cementing will be shown at the First National Bank's community conference room. Afterwards, the club members will go to the Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Co. warehouse here for a talk.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance were business visitors in Dallas Thursday.

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### THE GIRL WHO REFUSED TO DIE



MARY LORENE MORGAN

#### By HELEN COLBURN Texas Tuberculosis Association

San Angelo — Mary Lorene Morgan. The name has a certain Texas ring, doesn't it? As though it might belong to a typical high school senior. Carefree — blonde maybe — wearing bobby sox and sweaters — interested in boys, football, beebop — and now and then, books. That was about the picture for this 16-year-old Lewisville high school girl back in 1945 before she was snatched from the exciting world of the teenager by an unexplained illness. The sobering explanation came soon. Tuberculosis. Far advanced. By the time Mary Lorene was admitted to McKnight sanatorium here she was a very sick girl. So sick that after three months she was discharged as a hopeless case. She went home to die.

That's the way the record reads. The record, of course, doesn't go into the fact that in 1945 McKnight was the only state-operated TB hospital. That there weren't enough beds or doctors or nurses to make a dent in the long lists needing care for tuberculosis. That when a choice had to be made the decision favored the patient who was thought to have a chance at recovery. So Mary Lorene went home. But she refused to die.

She spent six years in bed and in 1951 the game young woman was readmitted to McKnight. Meanwhile many things had been learned about TB. New techniques in treatment were enabling formerly "hopeless cases" to recover. One of Mary Lorene's lungs had been destroyed. "It was removed in an operation called pneumonectomy. With this hotbed closed to the vicious germs, severe lesions in the other lung began healing.

So after all the despairing years the prospect of a cure opened for Mary Lorene. A new life. But what could she do with it? That's where the Texas Education Agency's Division of Vocational Rehabilitation stepped in.

In her far away school days, Mary Lorene had been interested in art. During the tedious years of illness she had turned again to sketching and coloring and in the process, without instruction, had developed considerable talent.

The vocational counselor, Seth Henderson, saw for her an opportunity for a livelihood within the limits of her physical ability. In February 1953 he placed her in training for photo retouching and coloring. By the time she was ready for medical discharge in August a job was waiting for her in one of San Angelo's leading portrait studios, Photography by Barney. She is employed three hours a day, is partly self-supporting but still under the watchful eye of the rehabilitation counselor whose department supplements her earnings while her cure progresses. Because state hospital facilities are no longer available to her, she is staying at Memorial Hospital in San Angelo where she has medical supervision.

As her physical condition improves she will be allowed to increase her working hours until her income is sufficient for full self-support.

Although working on a part-time basis for only a few months, Mary Lorene has attained the position of chief color artist at Photography by Barney.

Her employer who declares her the best color artist he has ever had would welcome her on a full time basis, but he is guided by the vocational counselor who gets his signals from the doctors — and who counsels patience. When they agree Mary Lorene

can increase her working hours without inviting a new physical breakdown her weekly paycheck will grow.

She has been advised it may never be wise for her to attempt eight-hour days, but she looks to the time she can lengthen those working hours to mean financial independence.

That's what the long word, "Rehabilitation," means to Mary Lorene Morgan.

### Selling Deer Is Costly Business

AUSTIN, Jan. 30.—The Director of Law Enforcement for the Game and Fish Commission reported that a group of Hill Country men had been rounded up for selling deer, along with persons who bought the game.

The cases, resulting from the recent big game hunting season, involved sixteen defendants in all. Approximately \$2000 in fines and court costs were levied on charges made before San Saba Justice of Peace Joe S. Clark.

Charges were filed against participants in San Saba, Abilene, Jacksboro and Bastrop. The specific complaints included selling deer, buying deer, exceeding the bag limit on deer, possession of deer bearing illegal tags, and offering deer for sale.

The largest individual fine was against a San Saba resident. He paid \$675 in fines plus costs for selling deer, exceeding the bag limit on deer and possessing deer with illegal tags or without any tags at all.

The roundup was aided, according to the Director, by the two-way radios with which most warden's cars are now equipped.

Officers aiding in the case were Game Warden Supervisor John R. Wood, Brownwood; D. W. (Blackie) Bowers, San Saba; Junior Briggs, San Saba; Ellis Martin, Llano; J. C. Moore, Llano; Bill Bennett, Brady, and J. D. Jones, Abilene.

The cases highlighted the monthly arrest report, showing 483 cases and \$17,144.77 in fines and court costs. Some items on the report included: 47 complaints for night hunting; 28 for hunting from cars; 22 for killing doe deer; 21 for killing fawn or spike buck deer; 17 for killing deer in closed season; 10 for headlighting game animals; and 10 for hunting in closed season.

#### PAY TAXES MONDAY

Due to the fact that January 31 falls on Sunday, the City of Cisco will accept 1953 city tax payments Monday without charging penalty and interest, City Secretary Hal Lavery said Saturday. January 31 was the deadline for paying 1953 taxes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carbery have returned to their home in Tucson, Arizona, following an extended visit in Cisco with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Carbery and Mrs. J. H. Spoon and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance are visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. Ford Taylor and family, in San Angelo over the weekend.

Miss Martha June Morehart of Andrews is a weekend visitor of her mother, Mrs. B. E. Morehart.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jones and daughter, Lynn, are weekend visitors in Whitney.

See You  
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Sunday

### Vets Questions And Answers

Q — I am a disabled World War II veteran, and I'm just finishing on-the-job training under Public Law 16. After I complete it, I'm supposed to get two months' subsistence pay from VA. Right now, my subsistence has been reduced because of the wages I receive from my employer. Will my two months' VA pay also be at the reduced rate?

A — No. Your two months' post-rehabilitation pay from VA will be at the full rate, regardless of the fact that now you are getting less than that each month because of your income.

Q — I have a service-connected disability that is rated at 20 percent by VA. The other day I went to take a physical examination for commercial life insurance, and was told I couldn't get it because I'm considered totally disabled for insurance purposes. Shouldn't my VA rating be increased?

A — Not necessarily. It could be increased only if it is shown that your service-connected disability increased in severity. For insurance purposes, there may have been other nonservice disabilities which resulted in their finding of total disability. Also, insurance criteria for determining total disability may not be the same as VA criteria for compensation.

Q — I'm a GI Bill trainee and I've just moved. I noticed my local VA Regional Office of my new address so that I'll continue to receive GI training allowances without delay. I also hold GI insurance. Should I also notify my VA District Office, which is in another state?

A — You should also notify your VA District Office of your new address. All you need to do is write your new address on the flap of the premium envelope you receive regularly from VA.

Q — I'm in a VA hospital, and I want to transfer to another one. Will VA furnish me with transportation?

A — VA will provide transportation only if the transfer is approved and determined necessary by VA for medical reasons.

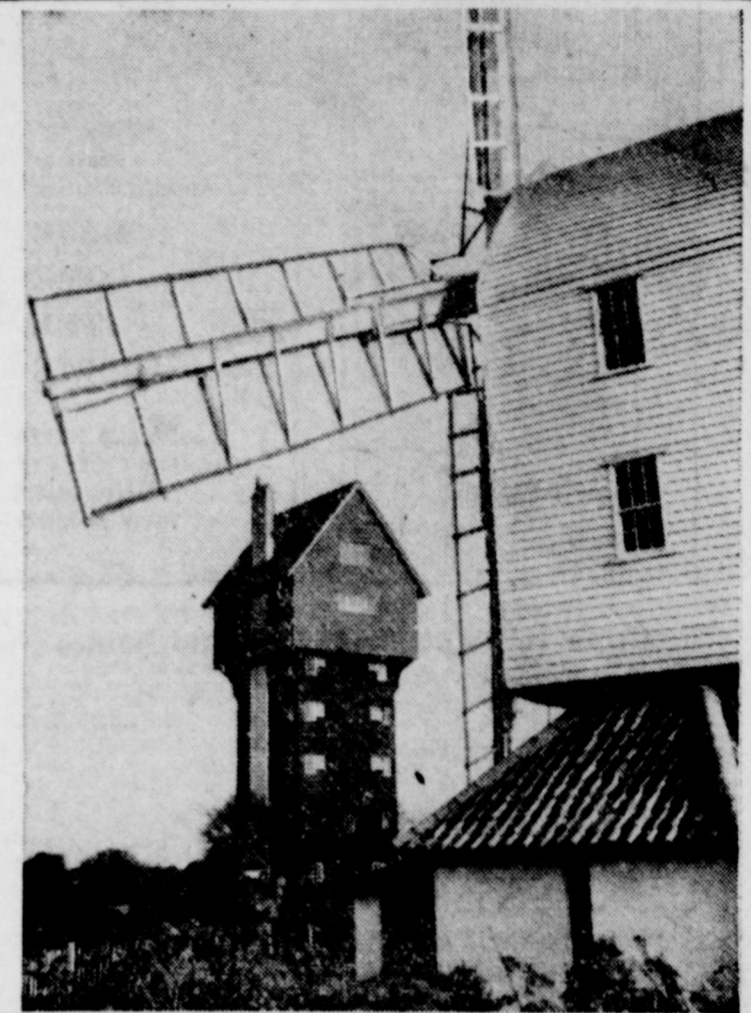
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Byrd and Donna left Saturday for a week end visit in Arlington and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Morrison and family were spending the weekend visiting relatives in Brownwood.

### PLAYING AT PALACE



John Wayne is the star in the Warner Bros. picture, "Island in the Sky," which is playing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theater in Cisco.



BUCOLIC VIEW—Though there's a hint of Holland in the windmill, the tall house beyond it is a landmark of the British countryside. It's a water tower near the village of Thorpe, Suffolk. Four floors of living quarters were built beneath the tank and skillful painting has camouflaged it to some extent.

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