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The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

THE SOUTH END of Avenue D is getting a new asphalt surfacing job, in case you haven't noticed. Workmen are covering the street in fast order. Beginning at 8th Street, the new topping will go south to Romney. Work is also well underway on the road south of Cisco.

This is being done by the state highway department. When they undertook the street repair work, the city had to agree to restrict Avenue D from 8th Street south to the city limits to parallel parking.

It is expected that the state will eventually want to re-top Avenue D from 8th Street north, in which case they will likely want all of Avenue D restricted to parallel parking.

They're getting ready to begin widening Highway 80 from a point some 2 miles east of Cisco to the city limits. The right-of-way has been secured and fences have been moved back. A contract has already been let on the project.

The highway department is studying plans for improving the road between Cisco and Albany. We can expect some news on this project before many months pass.

NOTICED IN the papers the other day that Mrs. Don Choate of Cisco was elected a district vice-president at the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers Convention in Brownwood. A delegation attended the meeting from Cisco.

OUR STATISTICS department reports that we are still a little over one inch behind normal in the rainfall situation. The law of averages calls for us to get 7.29 inches during the first four months of the year, and we've had only 6.17 inches.

We received 1.36 inches in January, .26 in February, .19 in March and 4.36 in April. Normal calls for 1.33 in January, 1.4 in February, 1.74 in March and 2.82 in April. We're supposed to get 4.23 in May and, so far, we've had .35 of an inch.

We received 4.08 inches through April in 1953.

THERE'S TO BE a Bake Sale at 9 a. m. Saturday at the Norvell and Miller grocery under the auspices of the Little League Mothers Club, according to Mrs. L. B. Lipsey, Mothers of Cardinals players are to furnish the baked goods and conduct this sale. Proceeds will be used by the club in their work. . . . Yesterday was the 6th birthday of Gary Holmes, whose dad is the WW school principal. . . . We were one of several people who asked Mr. Felton Underwood how come his nephew, James Underwood, didn't come over from Colorado City to play in the annual Cisco Golf Tournament. And Mr. Underwood explained that James was busy last weekend winning the 1st flight in his home town tourney. . . . The W. C. McDaniels are due to leave this week for a week or so in Tulsa. He'll take his golf sticks.

GUESS YOU might say that Mr. R. L. Ponsler, the oil man, is one of the very best golfers in these parts. Recently, he won over Mr. E. P. Crawford. And Mr. Crawford has beaten Mr. Charles Graham, who has defeated Mr. Ralph Glenn. Mr. Glenn once beat Mr. Norman Huston, who is a former city champ and who has beat a good many of the best players in West Texas.

WE'D LIKE TO BE a top flight music critic so we could write an article that would be a credit to the performance that Miss Nancy Cluck gave Monday night in her violin recital at the First Methodist Church. It was a splendid affair in all respects, and we've had many people tell us so.

A good crowd turned out to applaud Miss Cluck, who probably never played better. Her program was divided into three parts. In the first part, she played several difficult numbers by Corelli. In the second part, Miss Cluck played Kreisler's "Sicilienne and Rigaudon," Wieniawski's "Legend," and Corelli-Spaulding's "La Folia." Part three included two more Kreisler numbers and the popular "Ave Maria" by Bach-Gounod.

The applause was such that

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MONEY TO BURN—It's not exactly cold cash, but this pile of Military Payment Certificates in Korea is as good as gold—and plenty hot. The MPCs, the only U. S. currency used by the Armed Forces in the Far East, were worn out and had to be destroyed. Capt. Arthur J. Morris, left, of Youngstown, O., and Capt. Donald F. Trautwein, Salina, Kans., struck the match.

MARRIED IN CISCO FORMER LOCAL MAN TO RETIRE FROM SERVICE PIPE LINE CO.

TULSA, May 7. — "Right of way work is like the army," A. J. Wisdom, assistant right of way superintendent for Service Pipe Line Company declared today, "you can have fun out of it, or let it get you down."

Wisdom, retiring from Service Pipe Line Company today after working continuously since 1936, has a broad background of experience in right of way work. He has been acquiring right of way since 1923.

In 1953 he went to North Dakota to supervise the crew buying right of way for Service's large-diameter crude line that connects the Tioga-Beaver Lodge pools to a refinery under construction at Mandan. Having more or less been confined to a desk for years

as assistant right of way superintendent, Wisdom tackled the job with relish.

That he and the other employees did a good job of introducing the company to the landowners is indicated by letters from North Dakotans to Service's general offices at Tulsa.

A typical letter from a rancher whose land had been crossed said, "They treated me fair and square. I've never met a finer bunch."

Wisdom was born May 6, 1889, on a farm near Warsaw, Missouri. He graduated from the Warsaw high school, then entered business college at Sedalia. Although he didn't have right of way work in mind at that time, he began his "basic training" for it immediately after he graduated from the business college.

A brother who worked in Okene, Oklahoma, told him of a secretarial job in the Okene bank. It was there that Wisdom started his "basic training" for he went into the trust department where he learned about legal titles, deeds and other property matters.

After serving in the army during World War I he went to work in a Cisco, Texas, bank where he became interested in oil properties. He resigned from the bank and started leasing and drilling wells. This led into right of way work.

He was employed by Service Pipe Line Company on a temporary basis in 1933, 1934 and 1935, and became a regular employee in 1936.

His right of way work for Service took him throughout the company's system from Houston to Iowa and from Indiana to Utah. He was promoted to assistant superintendent, right of way, and transferred to Tulsa, May 1, 1941.

He and his wife, the former Miss Kathryn Massey of Cisco, Texas, make their home at 1232 South Quebec, Tulsa.

Episcopal Church Has Confirmation Services Sunday

In his capacity as Bishop of the Diocese of Dallas, and by right of Apostolic succession, the Rt. Rev. C. Avery, Mason administered confirmation at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Eastland on Sunday, May 2.

Approximately one hundred members and guests participated in the service at which three persons were confirmed. Miss Sara Van Horn and James H. Webster, both of Cisco, and Mrs. Tully Beth VonRoeder of Eastland were members of the class presented to the Bishop by Rev. A. E. Hartwell, Rector of Holy Trinity Church.

The Bishop gave a brief charge to those confirmed, in which he spoke of the privileges and obligations of confirmation, after which he presented a sermon to the entire assemblage based upon the fifth chapter of Luke.

Bishop Mason was honored following the confirmation service at a reception held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frost, where a buffet supper was served to members and guests by the Woman's Auxiliary of Holy Trinity. Mrs. Joseph M. Weaver and Mrs. L. E. McGraw assisted the hosts in receiving the guests. Mrs. W. E. Chaney and Mrs. R. H. Cutting served from the table, and Mrs. A. C. Moore presided at the coffee service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Holder of Stanton are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Holder and are at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. S. B. Webb, who is seriously ill at her home.

E. B. Webb of Detroit, Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. James Dean and daughter of Amarillo were week end guests in the home of their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stroebel, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wender of Shreveport, La., are expected late today to spend Mother's Day week end in the home of their mother, Mrs. George D. Fee.

Rodrigo de Triano is believed to have been the first of Columbus' crew to sight land.

For the program the Midgets and the Midgets sang several numbers and Tommy Stephenson sang a solo. A number of students participated in the winding of the Maypole.

Prior to the program in the auditorium a carnival was held in the various rooms and the concession stand in the cafeteria building was open to the public.

Posters were prepared by the students of the school advertising the program. Winners were announced at the Saturday night program. They were as follows: Gerald Darr, sixth grade; Jean Walker, seventh grade and Katherine Fricke, eighth grade. They were given tickets to the different carnival shows.

Members of the Mothers Club, sponsor of the show, expressed appreciation to all who helped make the show a success.

Cardinals and Braves Take Early Lead in League Play

The Cardinals and the Braves were on top of the heap in Little League baseball after the first two games Monday and Tuesday nights. The two teams were tied with one win each. The Athletics and the Giants were on the bottom with one loss each.

In the Monday night game the Cardinals defeated the Athletics 13-4 and Tuesday night the Braves squeezed by the Giants 8-7. In the Tuesday night game the Braves went ahead early in the game 4-0 but in the fourth inning the Giants combined a hit and several miscues on the part of the Braves to go ahead 7-4. The Braves took advantage of Giant errors in the sixth inning to score four runs, enough to win the contest.

The two leaders will meet in the game Thursday night. Monday night the Card farm team took a 22-21 victory over the Athletic farm club. Tuesday night the Giant farm team ousted the Brave farm club 15-10.

Also on tap for Thursday night will be a game between the 1954 American Legion Indian team and ex-Indian players. That game is to follow the Little League tilt.

Tuesday night, the fans saw the teenage teams in action for the first time. They played a short exhibition game in which every player saw action.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mashburn of Killeen are the parents of a son born April 30 in a Killeen hospital. Both mother and son are doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mashburn and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Parks of Cisco are the grandparents.

A/3c Weldon V. Bosworth, Nugent Reid and John Reynolds of Sheppard Air Force Base and Margaret Bosworth and Wanda Hitchcock of Abilene spent the past weekend in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Bosworth.

BOOK REVIEW POSTPONED
The review of the book, "My Heart Lies South," to be given by Mrs. AlaRay Morris on Saturday, May 8, at the Victor Hotel under the auspices of the Stellar Class of the First Methodist Church, has been postponed until Saturday, May 22, at 3 p. m. at the hotel, it was announced today.

Cisco RAM Chapter To Give Awards

A stated meeting of Cisco Chapter 190 R. A. M. will be held Thursday night at the Masonic Hall, it was announced by Earl Gorr, high priest.

The meeting will be a District 31 meeting, and Grady Carter of Fort Worth, Grand Royal Lodge Captain, will attend.

Carter will present 50 year awards to Companions M. C. Tucker of Carbon and Dr. W. P. Lee of Cisco.

High Priest Gorr urged all companions to attend.

Band Members Win Honors At Regional Contest

Several Cisco High School band members made a first division rating in the regional band contests held in Stephenville Friday while the band made a second division rating in sight reading and a third in concert playing. The bands and individuals competed against a standard and not against each other.

In the individual numbers and ensembles the twirlers made a clean sweep. Faye Redwine, Rose Marie Mashburn and Annette Popalie made first division in twirling solos and Faye Redwine and Rose Marie Mashburn made a first in their twirling duet.

Robert Gates made second division in his French horn solo and Leon McCrary made a third in his clarinet solo. Nancy Cluck made a first in violin and Johnny Turner a first in piano.

The brass ensemble of Mary Jane Rendall, David Ward, Billy Morris, Kenneth Duke, Billy Duke and Robert Gates made a first division, and the clarinet quartet of Leon McCrary, Jacqueline Douglass, Billy Webb and Charlotte Thetford made a second.

A drum ensemble of Dash Crofts, Johnny Turner, Nancy Cluck and Robert Gates made a first.

In the marching contest held in the winter the Lobo band made a first division rating. The Lobo band will be among those entered in the Ranch Day parade Friday. They are working hard on that program and on concerts to be held later. Director Wagner is in El Paso this week on business, but will return in time to assume his duties next week.

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West Texas Ranchers To Hold Meeting Here Thursday Night



NOT RIGHT AT LEFT—In Tokyo, where traffic normally travels on the left-hand side as in England, pedestrian crossings have now been marked for right-hand direction. Since pedestrians have always followed the left-hand rule, the result has been confusion, and even police officers are walking against traffic.

PLANS ARE NEAR COMPLETION FOR RANCH DAY EVENT FRIDAY

Plans were nearing completion Wednesday for the annual Cisco Junior College Ranch Day program which is scheduled for Friday. Students and band members from several area schools will join the college folk in making the program one of the best ever staged.

Jo Ann Edwards Crowned Queen In May Ceremonies

Jo Ann Edwards was crowned the Queen of May in ceremonies at the junior high auditorium Saturday night. She was selected as queen by popular vote of the students at the junior high school. Her escort was Buddy Waters. Both are members of the eighth grade class.

Karen Grung was maid of honor from the seventh grade and Koritha Anderson was maid of honor from the sixth grade. Johnny Choate was the escort for Miss Grung and Kenneth Taylor was escort for Miss Anderson.

Princesses were Lorelei Lipsey, Leta Faye Kellar, Janice Hailey, Pat Wallace, Joan Lisenbee and Joyce Redwine. Their escorts were Charles Lavery, Wayne Pence, John Baum, Bob Dolgener, Charles Lipsey and Ronnie Pricke.

C. B. Midkiff placed the crown on the head of the Queen. Crown bearers were Susan Addy and Preston Midkiff. Court jesters were Dick Bennie and Freddy Howell.

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Soil Conservation Leader Will Talk

An address on soil conservation as it applies to range lands and motion pictures taken by Murray Cox of Radio Station WFAA during a tour of Canada and the western states will feature the program for the semi-annual membership meeting of the West Texas Ranchers Association here at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Several hundred cattlemen and others interested in the association are expected for the meeting, which will be held at the high school auditorium, President Sam Kimmell of Cisco reported.

O. F. Armstrong of Abilene, a district soil conservation supervisor and highly regarded as a speaker, will talk on "Soil Conservation as It Applies to the Range and Grasses of Our Area." Mr. Kimmell said that "Mr. Armstrong has been highly recommended to us as an interesting and informative speaker."

Murray Cox, farm editor of the Dallas radio station, made colorized pictures of a 1953 tour he conducted for agricultural leaders in the western states and Canada. Since that time, he has been in demand to speak and show the movies over Texas.

Sutton P. Crofts of Cisco is secretary of the association and he has mailed invitations to all members to attend and urged them to bring guests. The association includes cattlemen and those interested in cattle raising in Eastland, Stephens, Callahan, Shackelford, and Palo Pinto Counties.

W. B. Blair Will Be In 'Teacher Of Tomorrow' Contest

COMMERCE, May 5. — William Buchan Blair of Cisco is one of 13 men entered in the contest to determine Mr. Teacher of Tomorrow.

Representing North Texas State college, Blair is a graduate student with a major in elementary education and guidance.

The selection will be made at East Texas State Teachers college May 7, and contestants will represent schools in Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas and Oklahoma.

Designed to point out the attractive aspects of teaching as a career, the contest to determine Mr. Teacher of Tomorrow will mark the final program in a week of events.

Blair, in explaining his reasons for selecting teaching as a profession, states, "The challenge of teaching came to me, not because of parental or outside influence, but because I feel a strong desire to help young people prepare for their life. Having experienced some of life's situations and realizing the role public schools play in preparing children for life, I feel that it is my job to contribute my part to this task."

Former Telephone Manager Is Buried

Funeral services were held in Pampa at 10 a. m. Wednesday, April 29, for Ezro Hooks, 68, one-time district manager of Southwestern Bell Telephone System in the Cisco district, who died suddenly of a heart attack at 10 p. m. Monday, April 26, in the home of his brother-in-law, D. L. Parker, in Pampa.

The body was carried overland to Grandfield, Okla., where grave-site services were conducted.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Kathryn Hooks, of Grandfield, Okla.

Mrs. W. D. Hazel, Mrs. E. J. Poe, Mrs. W. L. Hussey, Mrs. Leo Keelan, Mrs. Roberson, Mrs. A. E. McNeely, Mrs. C. E. Whitmire and Mrs. Walton Baum were among those from Cisco attending the council meeting and tea of the Eastland County Home Demonstration Clubs in Eastland this afternoon.

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WEST TEXAS COFC MAKES THREE SUGGESTIONS TO CONGRESSMEN

ABILENE, May 5. — The West Texas Chamber of Commerce today urged the members of the West Texas Congressional delegation to keep three points in mind in overhauling the Federal Social Security program. They were:

1. Inasmuch as the real purpose of social security is to provide a basic floor of protection from want, benefits should not be raised to a point which would reduce the incentive for people to provide for their own security.
2. A single Federal social purpose program for the aged and orphans is more desirable than the present dual program of contributory Social Security and public assistance grants.
3. Instead of perpetuating the illusion of insurance in the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance program, Congress should recognize the inevitable necessity and put the program on a pay-as-you-go basis.

Referring to the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance program of the Federal Government as "the greatest money-making machine ever invented by man," the West Texas Chamber said, "So it seems, at least, for wondrous things are being done with it."

"On the basis of modest past contributions several million retired persons are now receiving benefits many times the total of their payments. At the same time the Federal Government is collecting much more from present wage earners than it has to pay to present beneficiaries, so it has a ready source of cash to spend for other things."

The West Texas Chamber warned, however, that "the day of reckoning is bound to come" and suggested that it might come "at the time when most of today's wage earners expect to reap the fruits of this easy money system." It added, "The next generation of wage earners might well find the financial burden this generation has willed them so great that, if the system is to continue, it will have to be financed by inflation or general taxation."

The West Texas Chamber pointed out that the present balance of only \$17.4 billion in the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance (OASI) Trust Fund, plus future interest on that balance, is almost \$2 billion short of enough to pay remaining benefits at present levels to the 5,000,000 persons already receiving benefits, to say nothing of future benefits for 66,000,000 covered persons not yet drawing benefits.

Comparing contributions and benefits the West Texas Chamber of Commerce showed an example. It said, "If a man retired in December 1952 at the age of 65 and had paid the maximum OASI tax under full-time covered employment since January 1, 1937, his total tax would be \$543 and his employer would have paid another \$543 for a total contribution on his account of \$1,086. His monthly primary benefit would be \$85 and, with a life expectancy of 13 years, he could expect total benefits of \$13,260, or 12 times the amount he and his employer contributed."

Another case cited by the West Texas Chamber showed that for total contributions of \$162 a beneficiary could expect retirement benefits of \$13,250 over his life expectancy of 13 years, or 82 times the contribution made on his account. In a third case for total contributions of \$9 a man

might expect to receive benefits totaling \$3,890, or 432 times the \$9 contribution he and his employer together had made.

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 H. R. (Pop) GARRETT
- For Sheriff**
 J. F. TUCKER (re-election)
 J. B. WILLIAMS
 E. L. (Jug) DENNIS
- For Commissioner, Precinct 4**
 J. E. (Ed) McCANLIES, (2nd Term)
 ARCH BINT
- 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
 HENRY H. CURTIS (re-election)
- County Clerk**
 JOHNSON SMITH (re-election)
- For Constable Cisco Precinct**
 A. C. (ALLEN) JONES (re-election)
- State Representative 76th Dist.**
 OMAR BURKETT (re-election)
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AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

IES Holds Business Meeting On Tuesday

The Order of Eastern Star met Tuesday evening, April 27, at the Masonic Hall for their regular meeting with Mrs. Lorena Thompson, Worthy Matron, in charge.

Routine business matters were transacted after which a program, honoring the past matrons and first patrons, was given and refreshments served.

Approximately twenty-five attended the meeting.

CWF Group Three Has Weekly Meet Tuesday

The weekly meeting of Group Three of the C.W.F. of the First Christian Church was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Ruby Miller.

Mrs. H. H. Davis called the meeting to order and led in opening prayer. The devotional, "Working Together for Christ," was given by Mrs. Willieue Logan. A short business session followed and the meeting was dismissed with the missionary benediction.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting to Mesdames H. H. Davis, George Estill, A. L. Clark, W. C. Hogue, G. W. Troxell, O. B. Graham, Ruby Miller, and a visitor, Ann Graham.

Open House Honors Mr. and Mrs. Reich

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Reich were honored last Sunday by relatives and friends on the 25th anniversary of their marriage which took place on May 1, 1929. Open house was held at the home of their sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Reich.

Robert Stephan, Emil Reich, and Mrs. Erna Hielscher Eifert, their former attendants, were present. Rev. Scaer gave a short address on Romans 12:12. The assembly sang, "Oh that the Lord Would Guide My Ways."

Mrs. Ernest Schaefer presided at the cake while Mrs. Robert Stephan presided at the punch bowl. Those serving were Mrs. Rudolph Reich, Mrs. Theodore Ernest Stroebel, Mrs. Park Plambeck and Mrs. Scaer.

The following guests were registered: their son, Edward Reich, of Sweetwater; Mrs. Reich's mother, Mrs. Emma Hielscher, Erich Hielscher, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Eifert, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Reich and Harold, Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Scaer, Ewald Reich, Miss Annie Reich, Emil Reich, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jost of Copperas Cove, Mrs. F. O. Schaefer, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schaefer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wende and family, Mrs. Joe Hale, Pamela Weed, Mike Weed, Mrs. C. E. Callarman, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reich, Mr. and Mrs. Park P. Plambeck and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Weiser and Norman, Mrs. Oscar Reich, Carl Reich, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wende, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schaefer, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillon, Nettie B. Abbott of Globe, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stroebel and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephan and Elaine, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wende and Ruby.



FOLK STUFF—As their silk kimonos billow in the slight breeze at Niigata, Japan, three young ladies perform the Sado Okesa, a folk dance indigenous to the region. Pointed hats made of bamboo sticks and crude musical instruments add to the Oriental charm of the routine.

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Dale Moore Circle Has Regular Meeting

The Dale Moore Circle of the East Cisco Baptist Church met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Loanna York for their regular circle program.

Mrs. Marie Woolover presided over the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Aline Bradley and Mrs. Dolores Sharpe led in prayer. An offering was taken to buy a gift for a missionary. Loanna York, Louise Nelms, Dolores Sharpe, and Rebecca Green volunteered to take two dozen cookies each to the W.M.U. tea to be held Monday.

Mrs. Nelms was in charge of the program, taking the devotional from Luke 16. Madeline Stewart led in prayer. The program was based on lunch time around the world and was taken from the Royal Service Book. Those taking part on the program were Dolores Sharpe, Louise Nelms, Loanna York, and Marie Woolover. Louise Nelms read a poem followed by prayer by Marie Woolover. The program closed by all singing "Channel of Blessing."

Refreshments were served following the meeting to Mesdames Dolores Sharpe, Louise Manning, Fern Brown, Madeline Stewart, Marie Woolover, Louise Nelms, Rebecca Green, Lois Holder, Loanna York, a visitor, Mrs. York, and thirteen children.



PILGRIMS IN ROME—In sunlight St. Peter's Square, with the famous colonnade of the Basilica in the background, a huge "M" is formed by members of the West German Catholic congregation on a pilgrimage to Rome in honor of the Marian Year. The ceremony received the apostolic blessing of Pope Pius XII, who appeared in the window of his private study to hear hymns.

THURSDAY, May 6

- 4:45—Daily Devotions
- 5:15—News Headlines
- 6:00—Kathleen Keewee
- 6:15—Previews
- 6:30—Crusader Rabbit
- 6:45—TBA
- 7:00—KH Carson (F)
- 7:30—Evening Report (L)
- 7:45—Review Program
- 8:00—You Bet Your Life
- 8:15—Justice
- 8:30—Libertine
- 8:45—Ford Theater
- 9:00—Badge 714
- 9:15—Public Prosecutor
- 9:30—TBA
- 9:45—News, Sports, Weather
- 10:00—Movietime
- 10:15—Vespers & Sign Off

FRIDAY, May 7

- 4:45—Daily Devotions
- 5:15—News Headlines
- 6:00—Kathleen Keewee
- 6:15—Previews
- 6:30—Crusader Rabbit
- 6:45—TBA
- 7:00—Palomino Playhouse
- 7:30—Evening Report (L)
- 7:45—Christopher Program (F)
- 8:00—What's New with Ann Harper
- 8:30—Life of Riley (NBC-F)
- 8:45—Dione Lucas Show (F)
- 9:00—Rocky King
- 9:15—The Paul Killiam Show
- 9:30—World's Greatest Fighters
- 9:45—Files of Jeffrey Jones
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Spanish Students Are On Program For W.S.C.S.

The monthly business meeting of the W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist Church was held Tuesday at the church with Mrs. George Davis, president, in charge.

The meeting was opened by all singing "Help Somebody Today" and "There Is No East Nor West." Mrs. Paul Woods was in charge of the program on Spanish Speaking Americans and presented Mrs. John Leveridge of the East Ward School who presented her Spanish speaking pupils. The students sang several numbers, played tonettes, and played folk games. They were assisted by other pupils of the school. At the close of their program, Mrs. Woods presented each child a gift.

Mrs. Bob Snoddy gave the devotional on the Good Samaritan. She also gave stories from the book, "Who," and led in prayer. Mrs. Woods continued the study on Spanish Speaking Americans. She discussed Friendship Square in El Paso which is a Spanish speaking mission sponsored by the W.S.C.S.

A short business meeting followed. Members were reminded of the meeting of the United Council of Church Women to be held Friday at 12:30 at the First Christian Church. It was also announced that the District

W.S.C.S. meeting would be held in Rising Star May 12.

The group voted to meet on the last Tuesday of the month to finish the year work and make plans for the new year. At this meeting the Circles will be divided. Mrs. John Shertzer presented Mrs. C. E. Hailey and Mrs. Stella Wilson life membership pins and the meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Leslie Seymour.

Those attending were Mesdames Paul Woods, Bob Snoddy, W. E. Ricks, E. H. Lightfoot, G. P. Rainbolt, Jasper Wright, Joe Lovelady, George Davis, S. H. Nance, Leslie Seymour, Sam King, O. H. Doss, A. T. Gorr, O. C. Lomax, F. J. Harrelson, S. H. McCandless, C. A. Shockey, C. E. Hailey, John Shertzer, Leo Clinton, R. W. Merkett, D. P. King, Stella Wilson, Miss Bessie Wilson, a visitor, Mrs. Arch Boleware of Cleburne, and Mrs. Rudolph Schaefer.

Gay Philosopher

From Page One

Miss Cluck had to return three times. Johnny Turner, organist at the church, did a fine job as her accompanist.

Miss Cluck is a senior at Cisco High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Cluck. Her violin training has been under the late Miss Drago of Eastland and for the past several years under Mrs. George Bledsoe of Eastland.

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State Capitol NEWS

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — All the questions having been resolved concerning who is going to run for what, the big political season is now under way.

Ralph Yarborough of Austin, who announced that he would be a candidate against Allan Shivers for governor, declared himself against breaking the two-term tradition in the chief executive's office.

Yarborough contends that Shivers is actually seeking a fourth term; the incumbent has served two elective terms in office, plus the unexpired term of the late Beauford Jester.

Machine politics and one-man domination of the state government were also charged by Yarborough as he put his name on the ticket.

Shivers had previously announced for an unprecedented third term for governor. He had stated prior to the announcement that there remain some things that need to be done, such as putting through a water conservation program.

No. 1 Problems

Governors of five Southwestern states attended a White House conference to talk about the drought.

"Agriculture and livestock are our No. 1 problems," Shivers said at the conference, and "a permanent solution for them must be found. Past efforts over many years have not been more than temporary expedients."

Present to confer with Mr. Eisenhower, Agriculture Secretary Benson, and other federal officials were the governors of Texas, Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Kansas.

Asked by the governors was a \$15 million appropriation to deal with emergency dust and wind problems.

Placed before the President was a long-range program designed to eliminate conditions causing droughts in the Southwest.

Among the recommendations, drawn up by the governors, were: reseeding grasses and other cover crops, coordination of all federal and state agriculture agencies, more incentive for soil conservation practices, parity procedures to guarantee farmers in drought areas adequate prices for their crops, and tax policies designed to promote proper land management.

Shivers said that suitable farm land should be kept in farms, but land better suited to pasture should remain in pasture or be converted to pasture.

Close to Home

Prior to the Washington conference, Shivers had said that water conservation should begin at home, with towns and districts taking the lead in financing and supplementary money to come from the state.

In a session here, directors of the Texas Water Conservation Association echoed that opinion, calling for financing at the "lowest practical political subdivision level."

Urged by the directors was a constitutional amendment setting up a state fund to underwrite local communities in building dams.

Money so used by the state would be recovered from the sale of water and electricity.

J. E. Sturrock, general manager of the association, was doubtful that the state would ever solve the water problem.

Sturrock said he had opposed federal participation in the water conservation program. But he said the people who are suffering from drought don't care whether the water comes from a state tap or a federal tap.

"The governor's in Washington today asking for drought aid," Sturrock commented. "If we'd

had water conservation in Texas, we wouldn't need drought aid."

Senator Lyndon Johnson spoke for action to combat drought and asked for a \$15 million increase in soil conservation funds.

"This money," said Johnson, "would be used to fight the wind erosion that could so quickly turn one of the most fertile sections of our nation into a barren wasteland."

Big Crime Story

Texas is about to become known as the biggest and best place for criminals to work.

That being so, says John Ben Shepperd, we had better hire more police officers at higher pay, give them better equipment, and rewrite the criminal code.

Shepperd was speaking at the fourth law enforcement conference in Waco.

Texas' crime rate is rising faster than the national average, Shepperd declared. "We will never bring crime in Texas down to a normal level if we continue trying to buy average, cut-rate law enforcement."

Worst features of the Texas crime situation are narcotics, obscene literature, and Communism, Shepperd declared.

Texas police officers in general are doing a good job, but they

are called upon for much duplication of effort, the speaker asserted.

He pointed out that more than half of the offenders arrested are repeaters who have been freed or who have made bond while awaiting trial.

More than half of Texas crimes, said the attorney general, are committed by persons who are under indictment and free on bail, free on appeal bond, or fresh out of jail.

Duval County Split

Before the Court of Criminal Appeals is a question as to whether District Judge A. S. Broadstreet was within his rights in discharging a Duval County grand jury commission.

Judge Broadstreet's attorney, Atwood McDonald of Fort Worth, argued that the suit is not properly before the court and should be thrown out.

E. B. Votaw of Beaumont, speaking for the jury commissioners, said they had been held up to scorn and ridicule. "They're reputable citizens. They're entitled to their civil rights," Votaw argued.

Paul Brown Dies

Paul H. Brown, state fire insurance commissioner, died in McCloskey Hospital at Temple. He had been in a coma for more than a year. Funeral services were held here.

A veteran of both world wars, he was campaign manager in the late Beauford Jester's campaigns for governor. Before becoming fire insurance commissioner, he had been secretary of state.

Honors for Terrell

C. V. Terrell was 93 years old Sunday, and the occasion was observed when many of his friends, including public officials, former governors, and others, gathered with him at a hotel here.

Terrell was long in the service of his state, last as a member of the railroad commission. He served four terms in the legislature.

Among those who served with him as a lawmaker were former Vice President John Nance Garner and House Minority Leader Sam Rayburn.

In view of his long affiliation with the party, Terrell is known as the dean of Texas Democrats.

Fulgham Sworn In

C. E. Fulgham of Lubbock was sworn in Saturday as Texas' new Secretary of State.

He previously was chairman of the temporary Texas Industrial Commission which conducted the investigation of Communist influence in three labor unions active in the state.

His commission also drafted the new anti-Communist law passed by the special legislative session.

Assistant Attorney General

Dean Capp, an assistant Attorney General for the past six years, left Austin on May 1 to accept a position with the legal department of Stanolind Oil and Gas Company in Houston.

Before joining the Attorney General's staff, Capp had a private law practice in New Braunfels, his home town. For the past two years he has been chief of the oil and gas division in the Attorney General's office, and participated in some of the major

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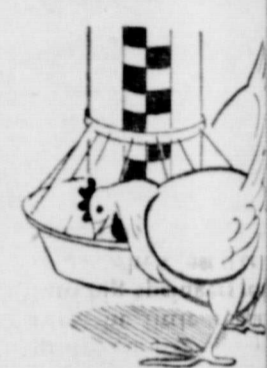
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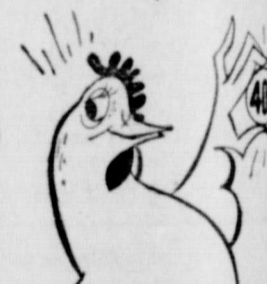
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