

## The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

DROPPED OUT to the Humble Pipe Line Company's Central Texas district and division officers for a visit Thursday afternoon and found everybody busy. At the district offices, we dropped in for a chat with Superintendent W. C. (Bill) Hogue, who recently made a tour of Europe with Mrs. Hogue and their son, Bob.

Like many Americans who have toured the European countries, Mr. Hogue rather doubts the wisdom of the United States in spending five or six billion dollars per year in the foreign aid program. He doesn't think the people appreciate it, and in most places there is little evidence of poverty.

THE HOGUES WENT to Europe early in June, going over on the Queen Mary. After a tour of England, they went to Germany and joined his sister and husband, the Thurston Williamses, for an auto tour of the various countries. Mr. Williams is in the U. S. Army and is stationed in Germany with the occupation army. He has visited in Cisco and has met many people here.

Mrs. Hogue was especially interested in the flowers of Holland and the low countries. There, they hold flower auctions like they have cow auctions in this country.

THE FOOD SITUATION wasn't bad, Mr. Hogue reports. There appeared to be plenty to eat everywhere. Stores and shops were full of foods and other items, he said. The Europeans don't know how to cook for an American and they don't drink much water, Mr. Hogue reports.

THEY WERE IN Europe during the final days before the Rosenbergs were executed as spies in New York, and Mr. Hogue studied the reaction of the people. He decided that the opposition voiced in Europe was by Communists and not by any other groups. In several countries, the Communists made quite an issue of the Rosenbergs case.

WITH HIS HAT on, Mr. Hogue and President Eisenhower resemble each other rather closely. A number of times Mr. Hogue has been asked "aren't you Mr. Eisenhower?"

In Italy, they visited a gift shop and a lady clerk decided he was the President. And Mr. Hogue couldn't convince her that he was not. The lady presented him with a gift just in case he was the President of the United States.

WHEN THEY LEFT for their European tour, Mr. George Fee brought out his special camera that makes pictures for colored movie slides and asked Mr. Hogue to shoot some pictures with it. And Mr. Hogue obliged him, bringing home over 500 pictures. They came home a couple of weeks ago and report a fine trip from all standpoints.

American tourists get good treatment, Mr. Hogue reports. The folks over that way like dollars and half dollars and quarters, he adds, not to mention folded money.

MR. W. C. McDaniel, the Humble's division chief clerk, showed us around the spacious offices. He took us to see the "nerve center," the room where they have the communications setup. The Humble has direct lines to all stations, to Houston, Dallas, the Panhandle, West Texas and just about everywhere they have business. Mr. Harold E. McGowan explained a lot of the devices to us. He is the division chief dispatcher and has been on the job here for many years.

The communications room never closes. Men on duty there control or help control the activities of the far-flung pipe line system.

DOWN THE HALL, we ran into Mr. Bobby Dean. And he reports that their Eagle Scout, Buddy, is just home after attending the National Jamboree near Los Angeles. We're going to try to interview Buddy about his trip, but he's behind on his golf playing and will doubtless be a pretty busy lad for the next week or so.

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**BUNDLES FOR BERLIN**—These are a few of the 2500 pounds of clothing marked for West Berlin and addressed to its mayor, Ernst Reuter, for distribution. Collected by New York's Westchester County German-American societies, the bundles for Berlin are loaded into a plane in New York. Eventually they'll clothe the refugees who have fled from terror.

## Baptists To Hold Prayer Services Prior To Revival

Beginning Monday night, a series of cottage prayer meetings will be held by members of the First Baptist Church in behalf of the annual summer revival meeting, which begins Wednesday, Aug. 12 according to an announcement today by Dr. H. M. Ward, pastor.

The city has been divided into six districts for the prayer program. The districts are: District 1, north of 8th St. between Avenue D and Avenue L, Mrs. L. G. Ball, captain; district 2, all territory west of Avenue L and north of 8th Street, Bill Barnby, captain; district 3, all territory west of Avenue L and south of 8th Street, Mrs. J. B. Sitton, captain; district 4, all territory between Avenue L and Avenue D south of 8th Street, Mrs. C. E. Whitmire, captain; district 5, all territory south of 8th Street and east of Avenue D, Mrs. E. H. Cheves, captain; district 6, all territory north of the T&P Railroad, Mrs. O. L. Lee, captain.

Plans call for five cottage prayer services meeting at 7:30 o'clock each evening—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday—through Monday, Aug. 10. On Tuesday, Aug. 11, an all-church mass rally will be held in the church auditorium.

At the rally, the program will include the showing of two films on evangelism, testimony and prayer, Dr. Ward said. Speakers for the prayer services will include M. F. Underwood, W. B. Cates, F. E. Shepard, C. S. Karkalits, Frank Ashenbush and Dr. Ward.

## SPECIAL SERVICE SUNDAY WILL CLOSE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Vacation Bible School of Grace Lutheran Church will hold its closing service Sunday, August 2, at 8 p. m. in the Church.

The major part of the service will be devoted to the program by the children. They will present the lessons of the Bible they have learned through songs, Bible verses, stories, dramatization, and handicraft projects. These projects made by the children in their various classes will be displayed after the service in the church building. The public was invited to attend the closing service.

Friday, the final day of Vacation Bible School, saw a total enrollment of 90 children. This was an increase of 38 from the first day's attendance. Twenty teachers and helpers from Grace and Christ Lutheran Churches

## LITTLE LEAGUE GIANTS DEFEAT ATHLETICS IN TWINBILL GAMES

The Little League Giants took both games of a twin bill at ABC Field Thursday night when they downed the Athletics by scores of 4-0 and 9-5. It gave the Giants a record of four wins and four losses with one game to play.

In the first game the two teams played 0-0 ball until the fourth inning when the Giants took advantage of errors and free passes for three runs. They added another in the fifth to wind up the scoring.

Gene Theftford was the losing pitcher. He gave up only four hits to lose the heartbreaker. He gave six free passes and struck out 10 enemy batters.

Milton King was effective in

## All-Stars Ready For Consolation Finals Tonight

The Cisco Little League All-Stars will be in Breckenridge tonight to play for consolation honors of the area Little League tourney. It will be the final game for Cisco in the tournament.

The Cisco team will play one of the Abilene teams for the consolation trophy.

In the tournament Cisco lost their first game to Albany and won over Olney Wednesday night in the first consolation game. The game tonight is scheduled for 7 o'clock. The championship game will be played following the Cisco-Abilene contest.

## TAUGHT THE CHILDREN.

The following have taught in the various departments: Mrs. M. J. Scaer, Mrs. Carl Stroebel, Mrs. Park Plambeck, Mrs. R. H. Dunning, Mrs. Alex Zander, Miss Kathleen Ziehr and Miss Martha Lanham in the Beginning Department; Misses Elaine Ziehr, Virginia Weiser, Edna Ziehr, Shirley Miller, Glenda Zander and Mrs. Alton Zander in the Primary Department; Mrs. Fred Stroebel, Mrs. Fred Wende, Miss Anita Stroebel and Jerry Weiser in the Junior Department; Mrs. Winona Lanham and Mrs. Dorothy Prange in the Senior Department.

The Rev. James F. Hennig and the Rev. M. J. Scaer conducted the morning devotion, with the former serving as pastoral advisor.

winning the first contest. He allowed only three hits, walked two and struck out 15 batters. He also got a double and a single for one run in three times at bat. Smith went for four bases when he hit a single and the Athletics booted the ball around for two errors on the play.

In the second game the Giants made nine runs off nine hits while the Athletics made five runs off nine hits. Chatman was the losing pitcher and Blackwell was the winner.

Milton King was the big gun at bat for the Giants when he hit three for three and scored one run. Two of his hits were for two bases. Franklin Farnsworth got two for three and scored two Giant runs. For the Athletics Chatman got two for two and scored once. Gosnell got two for three and Theftford got one for two. Both scored one run. Darr hit a home run for the Giants in the first inning with two men on base.

In the first game Comancho was the only Athletic batter to get a hit off King. He hit three times in three trips.

Saturday night the Cards and the Braves and the Athletics and the Braves play a double header. Monday night the Braves and the Athletics play a double header.

It was reported previously in error that the Braves and the Athletics and the Braves and the Braves played the Monday night double tilt. The Giants and the Braves wind up the regular season Tuesday night in a single game.

In the second half the Cardinals have won five and lost three and have one more game to play. The Braves have lost two and won two and have five games left. The Athletics have lost four and won two with three games remaining. The Giants have lost four and won four with one game remaining.

The Cards could take the second half by winning over the Braves Saturday night. The Braves could win the second half by taking the remainder of their games or by losing one game and winning their Saturday night game with the Cards. All teams still have a mathematical chance of winning the second half.

If the Braves lose the second half, a best two out of three game series to decide the city championship will be played Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week.

Mrs. E. G. Damron is visiting relatives at Lawton, Oklahoma.

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## Denton Visitors Play For Rotary Club Lunch Meet

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Haynie of Denton presented a musical program for Rotarians at their regular weekly meeting at the Hotel Victor Thursday.

The program was under the direction of Rotarian E. L. Graham, who, as a sidelight, served as director while Mrs. Graham played two numbers on the French harp.

For their first number, Mr. and Mrs. Haynie played "Concerto No. 1," an arrangement for piano and cornet by Willy Brandt. Mrs. Haynie was at the piano and Mr. Haynie handled the horn.

A flute solo by Mrs. Haynie was the second number on the program. The final number was "A Trumpeter's Lullaby" by LeRoy Anderson, with Haynie playing the trumpet and Mrs. Haynie at the piano.

Mr. Haynie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Haynie of Cisco. He is in the music department of North Texas State College in Denton. They drove to Cisco for the program and returned to Denton immediately following the program.

President W. H. McNally reminded Rotarians that Grady Halbert of Crowell, district governor, would visit the Cisco club Thursday, August 6, and would preside over a meeting of officers, committee members and Rotarians at the community room of the First National Bank Wednesday night.

Visitors at the meeting were Rotarians Ben Hamner of Eastland, Fred Higginbotham, Ed Stewart, Jr., Bob Gilchrist and Frank Pruitt, all of Abilene. Other visitors were Bassett Keller of Abilene, Mrs. W. W. Fewell and Mrs. E. L. Graham of Cisco.

## Unusual Mishaps Take Over 1,100 Lives In Nation

Catastrophic accidents — those killing five or more persons — took about 1,100 lives in the United States during the first half of this year, one fifth more than in the like period of last year, life insurance company statisticians report.

Unusually heavy loss of life in tornadoes caused a substantial part of the increase. Nine such storms — a record number for the first six months of a year — were responsible for about 400 deaths, more than one third of the half-year total.

The three tornadoes most costly in loss of life were the one that struck Waco, Texas, on May 11th, taking 113 lives; the series of tornadoes in Michigan and Ohio on June 8th which killed 141 persons; and the one that slashed through Worcester County, Mass., on the following day and fatally injured 85 people.

There were five other accidents in which 25 or more lives were lost, three of them involving aircraft. An Army chartered transport plane struck a mountain crag near Logan, Utah, in January, killing 40 people; a plane leased by the Air Force fell near Oakland, Cal., in March, taking 35 lives; and a scheduled passenger plane crashed near Mobile, Ala., in February with a loss of 46 lives.

## AT EAST TEXAS STATE

COMMERCE, July 30. — A Cisco resident is among approximately 1200 students enrolled at East Texas State college for the second term of the summer session. Attending, according to college news service files, is Mrs. Lillian McGee Battle, Route 4, Cisco.

## BAKE SALE PLANNED

The Rainbow Girls will have a bake sale at the A & P Grocery on Saturday, August 1, beginning at 8.30 a. m.

W. L. and W. E. Shelton of Fort Worth spent the week end in Cisco visiting Mrs. Lannie Mancill and Mrs. E. L. Graham. They were accompanied to Fort Worth by Andy Yoder of Raymondville who had been visiting in Cisco.

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## 169 PERSONS ATTEND WEEKEND GANDY FAMILY REUNION HERE

The annual Gandy reunion was held at Lake Cisco on July 25 and 26 with 169 persons attending.

Raymond Gandy was selected president, Olin Gandy, vice president, and Mrs. Will McWhorter, secretary and treasurer for the coming year. Alton McWhorter had charge of the program. Mrs. Raymond Gandy sang, "When Jesus Came," and dedicated it to Mrs. Dora Gandy, who is 87 years old and has attended the reunion every year since it was started about 18 years ago.

Since the Gandy's like Lake Cisco so well they made plans to have their reunion at the Presbyterian Encampment at Lake Cisco next year.

Those attending this year were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gandy, Garry, Larry, Ron, Jerry, Don, and Mickey of Olney; Mr. and Mrs. Cap Gandy, Gayuga; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy, Talco; Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Gandy, Garland and Dona Gayle, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Stoker, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fizer, Breckenridge; Mrs. Dora Gandy, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Gandy, Joann and Cindy, Breckenridge; and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Parish and Kenny of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gandy, Midland; Mrs. N. B. Erwin, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gandy, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lankford, Cameron; Mrs. J. D. Adkinson, Jewett; J. L. Gandy and Dorothy, Snyder; Mr. Frank W. Allen, Houston; Jerry Lynn, Jewett; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Gandy, Barbara, Jerry, and Jan, Ireland; Mr. and Mrs. Gandy, Darrell and David, Hollis, New Mexico; and Elvois, Sammy, and Joe Mullins, Placedo.

W. E. Gandy, Betty and Bobby, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McWhorter and Janice, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Gandy, Bowie; Shirley and Donia Gandy, Bowie; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gandy and Wayne, Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. James Gandy, Loyice, Silda, and Jerry Fauts, Cuff Off, Louisiana; Geraldine Ledit, Cuff Off, Louisiana; Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Scott, Dallas; and A. Gandy of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Field, Overton; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Danforth and Mike, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Doyle, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gandy, Cameron; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Powell, John and Debrah, Hildreth, Oklahoma; Mrs. W. O. Cook, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Austin R. Moody, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Linda and Gary, Sheridan; and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Holland, Jerry, Rex, Michael, and Brenda, Burkett, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gray, Burkett; Mr. and Mrs. Ray White, Breckenridge; Edith White, Patsy, Billy, Wane, Nick, and Jack, Breckenridge; Mrs. W. B. Cantwell, Ranger; Geneva Lee, Nancy Alice Cantwell, Ranger; Mrs. Aaron E. Hamton, Ranger; Peggy and June Hamton, Ranger; Mrs. Geneva Bargesley, Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gandy, Breckenridge; Garland and Betty Lee Gandy, Breckenridge; and Mr. and Mrs. G. Phillips of Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gandy, Jerry and Nick, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mayfield, and Ella Fay, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Schmidt, Mason; Mr. and Mrs. James Gandy, Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hamil, Breckenridge; Mrs. May Christenson, Galena Park; Alvin Gandy, Eden; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gandy, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Polk Gandy and daughter, Houston;

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitmire, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pogue, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland, Cisco; Tom Evans, Albany; Jet Parker, Coleman; and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy and children, Moran.

## Moran News . . .

## Moran Minister On Vacation To State Of Maine

By MRS. C. C. CADY

The Rev. and Mrs. Ewart Wyle, Jr., are on a months vacation trip to York Beach, Maine, and are staying at Howe's Inn, a small family hotel on the beach. Rev. Wyle is pastor of the Moran First Christian Church. They are guests of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ewart Wyle, Sr., pastor of the First Christian Church of Tyler.

En route home the party plans to visit relatives in Virginia, Alabama and other states. They will arrive home around September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Grace spent 10 days in Fort Worth visiting their granddaughter, Norma Carol Gaskins, while her father, Willard Gaskins, underwent surgery. He was reported as recovering nicely.

Guests of Mrs. Rosa McCollum last week were her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Willhite and daughter, Georgia, of Vernon. Also visiting Mrs. McCollum was her sister, Mrs. Ida Willhite of Weatherford.

Tom Wayne of Batson, who was in the area attending the Pinnell family reunion, visited in Moran for a few days and went on to West Texas for visits before he returns to his home.

T. H. Sherman has been named manager of the Moran gin, it was announced by the Rile-Jayton Cottonoil Company of Stamford. Reports are that cotton in the area look good, but that there are not many acres planted.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Baughman and Lola spent their vacation in Goree, Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mrs. C. H. Churchill of Midland spent part of last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brewster, in Moran.

Mrs. Charnisky of Dallas and Lola Wynne were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Andrews a few days last week.

## VFW PLANS MEETING

Members of the Cisco Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a regular semi-monthly meeting at 7:30 p. m. Friday (tonight) at the Post Home on the Eastland Highway, Adjutant S. L. Mahaney reported, today. All members were urged to attend.

## CEMETERY WORKING

A cemetery working at the Pisgah Cemetery has been announced for Monday, August 3, and everyone interested was asked to be on hand at 8 a. m. with hand tools to clean up the area. Recent rains have caused weeds and grass to make rapid growth and the need for a large number of workers was stressed.



**KANSAS GOES HOLLYWOOD**—Housewives and farm homemakers of Manhattan, Kans., set up a produce stand whose income will go to making a documentary movie called "The Tuttle Creek Story." It tells of the farmers' opposition to an Army dam under construction across the Big Blue river valley.

## TRADE AT HOME

If you spend a dollar at home you have some hope of getting it back; if you don't, you just spend a dollar.

## Two Shallow Oil Tests To Be Sunk In Eastland Co.

Two shallow oil tests have been announced for Eastland County during the past week. Don Caraway of Rising Star has made location to drill his No. 1 J. J. Barron as a wildcat three miles northwest of Carbon.

Location for the Barron well is 150 feet from the south and 1,080 feet from the west lines of the Section 44, Block 2, H&TC Survey. The test will go to 1,500 feet on the 60-acre tract.

O. M. Evans Drillings Company of Fort Worth has spotted a wildcat as their No. 1 Della Bender. Location is 660 feet from the north and east lines of the west half in Section 27, Block 3, BBB & C Survey. Plans call for a 1,100-foot test.

A recent Eastland County completion was the Eugene Larlick No. 1 W. O. Cantrell in the J. P. Rohus Survey three miles northwest of Ranger. Production was 28 barrels flowing from 3,311-25 feet during a 24-hour test.

Another recent completion was the Woodson Oil Company No. 1 Cornhusk-Lauderdale in the R. C. Forbes Survey, three miles southwest of Nimrod in the Nimrod-Caddo Field. The well was completed as a gasser with a potential of about seven million cubic feet daily from 2,751 feet. It was shut-in.

Last week, the Missouri Valley Dredging Co. spotted their No. 1 Effie Lewis as a 1,700 foot rotary wildcat from the north and 450 feet from the west lines of Section 15, Block 2, ETRR Survey.

## Area Farmers To Display Products At Dallas Fair

DALLAS, July 31. — An impressive display of products raised by Heart of Texas farmers will be featured in this region's colorful "Agriculturama" exhibit at the 1953 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 10-25.

The Heart of Texas is included in the Texas A&M College System Extension District 8, composed of the following counties: Bell, Bosque, Brown, Burnet, Callahan, Comanche, Coryell, Eastland, Erath, Falls, Hamilton, Hill, Hood, Lampasas, Limestone, McLennan, Milam, Mills, Somervell and Williamson.

Grain sorghum, cotton, apples, onions, carrots, peanuts, wheat, yellow corn, pumpkins, cashews, persimmons, pecans and pears will be used to create a nighttime harvest scene. Also featured in the exhibit will be turkey production and its relation to water.

The dramatic three-dimensional "Agriculturama" will include individual exhibits for each of the A&M Extension Service districts of Texas. They will carry out the "Water for Texas" theme of the Agriculture Show, explaining the water resources problems of farmers and ranchers in different parts of the state.

A huge central exhibit will depict the hydrological cycle — what happens to water after it falls as rain and how it is returned to the air again. "Old Mother Nature" herself will turn the crank on a "weather machine" that will cause simulated rain, thunder and lightning. The rainfall belt in Texas will be illustrated to show the relation of water to agriculture on a statewide basis.

Water was chosen as the central theme for the show because it is one of the most important single factors in Texas agriculture today, fair officials explained.

## Hobby Club Notes

Have you made any preparation for growing old gracefully? You may not want to put numerous dainty stitches in fancy quilts as grandmother did, but you can learn a craft at Hobby Club that will be both easy to do and interesting.

You will find some part of the work being done of interest to you whether you are six or sixty. Come and join us next Wednesday at the high school cafeteria.—Mrs. Arlin Birt.

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## EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS

August is budget month in your county. This is the time that your county commissioners decide how much of your money they are going to spend during the coming year. A public hearing will be held according to law at which you and every other taxpayer will be welcome to ask questions. If you are not informed about your county government and its affairs, and if you do not attend the budget hearing then you have no right to criticize the actions of your local officials later.

For sixteen years the East Texas Chamber has been making tax surveys of counties in our 72-county region and informing the taxpayers of actual conditions at the courthouses. The improvement in county government in East Texas has been remarkable.

We owe a debt of gratitude to the many county judges and county commissioners who have cooperated in the efforts of local taxpayer groups to promote economy and efficiency in county government. In fact, we have found local county officials more interested in improving county government than the taxpayers, generally speaking.

Good government must begin at home. Washington is a long way off and the average citizen feels a sense of frustration when he thinks about the problems of government at the National level. But each citizen has the opportunity to know intimately the men who govern him at the city hall and the courthouse. It is not only his privilege but his duty to keep informed and to take an interest in the affairs of his government in the city, county, and school district.

School elections are usually ignored by the great majority of citizens. School bond issues are often voted by a very small percentage of the voters. Few citizens can name the members of the local school board. It is to the credit of our leadership that we have nearly always been able to find some of the best men and women in every community to serve on the school board. They have not had their proper credit or appreciation for giving their time and thought to preside over the policies and program that control the education and training of our boys and girls.

We suggest that every local chamber of commerce might well sponsor an Appreciation Day for local public officials of city, county, and school district. Let's stop a little while and tell these men and women who are working for us that we appreciate their efforts.

In our work with local public officials we have found very few instances of graft or dishonesty. We have found many men who were not well trained in the business of government. We have found many instances of waste, extravagance and inefficiency. But in almost every case, when the faults were pointed out, we found a sincere desire to improve conditions.

When you vote to elect some of your fellow citizens to positions of responsibility in local government, your duty as a citizen does not end. You owe it to yourself and to your community to keep informed about public affairs and to show an interest in the work of your officials.

Someone has wisely said that if we could get people to take as much interest in public affairs as they do in their neighbors' private affairs, we would have much better government.

Truly, "what is everybody's business is nobody's business." — Hubert M. Harrison in East Texas Magazine.

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"Sure, I know John Jones," said Joe. "Do business with him all the time — good as gold. I'll be glad to cash it for you. Just scribble your name on it."

Two weeks later the bank returned the check. The stranger who had signed the name "Ray Gar" on the back of the check was not Ray Gar. Joe had failed to identify the indorser of the check, and had no idea where the stranger could be found. As a result, he was out one tire and \$38.10.

The next week a taxi driver friend, Rex Fenders, came in, ordered \$30.00 worth of gas, and handed Joe a \$50.00 check payable to Pete Smith, and signed, "Miller Aluminum Company, Inc., James P. Pope, president."

On the back, across the top, were the signatures: "Pete Smith, Rex Fenders."

Having completely forgotten his recent unfortunate experience, Joe shelved out \$47.00 change. The check turned out to be worthless, there being no Miller Aluminum Company, Inc., in existence. But this time, Joe was protected. He collected the \$50 back from Rex Fenders.

An ordinary check, legally known as one form of negotiable instrument, is merely an order by its signer to the bank upon which it is drawn, to pay the specified amount to the person named on the check, or to the order of that person. The bank must pay only as directed by the signer of the check, or stand the loss itself.

What is meant when it is said that a check is a "negotiable instrument"? The ordinary check — that is, one payable to a designated person or order, or bearer — is negotiable, and by that is meant that any good faith or bona fide holder for value takes the check free from any defenses that may exist against it in the hands of the named payee.

When is the holder of a check an "innocent, good faith, or bona fide" holder? When anyone receives a check from a person other than the drawer of such check, for value and without knowledge of and defenses which such drawer may have against the payee named in the check, he is said to be an innocent, good faith or bona fide holder.

For instance, if the drawer should find, after delivering the check, that the consideration received by him had been misrepresented to him, this would be a good defense against payment of the check in the hands of the payee, but a third party receiving the check without knowledge of this defense would be an innocent, good faith or bona fide holder.

Anyone who indorses a check thereby warrants that the check is good and that all signatures thereon are genuine. Where it turns out that a check is worthless, or where the signature of the maker or one of the indorsers has been forged, the person holding the check may collect back the amount of the check from the last indorser. But obviously, if the holder doesn't know the last indorser, or where he is, his chances of collecting are very poor.

Know your indorser.

Warren G. Harding was the first president to ride in his inaugural in an automobile.

## BOOK OF BOOKS

"ALL SCRIPTURE IS GIVEN BY INSPIRATION OF GOD, AND IS PROFITABLE FOR DOCTRINE, FOR REPROOF, FOR CORRECTION, FOR INSTRUCTION IN RIGHTEOUSNESS" II TIM 3:16



## Perennials Are Stars of Garden Show All Season

Veteran gardeners know the months by their flowers. Already this year, there have been five spectacular performances in the garden pageant. Daffodils, tulips, irises, peonies, and delphiniums. Each of these lovely flowers has displayed its beauty for a brief period and then retired, leaving its admirers a little sad, but not for long, because another star comes on the stage to enchant them.

To plan this show, and plant the varieties necessary to present it, requires a knowledge of what the landscape designers call "the succession of bloom." Beginners growing their first flower gardens, should make a study of this subject before they do much planting.

Because perennial flowers live for years, they grow much larger than annuals, and some bloom much earlier. In the spring gardens are decorated with perennials, all with brief flowering periods. Many annuals then enter the picture, to bloom until they are frozen. But gardens will still be dominated by perennials, which will appear in the following order: After the delphiniums, hollyhocks and phlox, will come perennial asters, hibiscus, lilies, hemerocallis, and chrysanthemums.

The well planned garden will give particular attention to the early and late perennials, which are relatively few. In June and July every garden can have flowers, for that is when most varieties bloom. The headlines will have supporting players which many may prefer to the stars, and a wide choice may be exercised in selecting these. But in June a garden without iris and peonies, one after the other, will definitely lack interest; and in every month some specimens of the dominant flower of the period should be grown.

Many old favorites which have never been surpassed in hardiness and beauty bloom late. One which will continue to bloom until October is gaillardia, especially the variety Burgundy, which has large daisy flowers of wine red, which resist dry weather remarkably.

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# SOCIETY AND CLUBS

AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## Goodwill Rebekahs Have Regular Meet

The Goodwill Rebekah Lodge met in regular session Thursday evening at the lodge hall with Mrs. Effie Mayhew, noble grand, presiding.

Those attending were Mesdames Helen Brashear, Elsie Sanders, Edith Rainbolt, Winnie Lineberger, Katie Cooper, May Kleiher, Ruth Bolinger, Mary Emma Brown, Dee Clements, Lydia Traskopf, and Effie Mayhew.

## St. Ann's Guild Has Meeting On Tuesday

The monthly meeting of the St. Ann's Guild of the Episcopal Church was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. C. E. Paul.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. R. E. Cutting. Mrs. Paul, devotional leader, asked Rev. Hartwell to give the devotional. He gave a report on the Episcopal Conference held recently in Evergreen, Colorado. Plans for the bazaar in the fall were discussed and the meeting closed with prayer.

Those attending were Mrs. R. E. Cutting, Mrs. C. E. Paul, Mrs. Peggy Gallagher, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Grace Reid, Mrs. D. Ball, and Rev. and Mrs. Hartwell.

## Putnam News

Mrs. Fred Short, en route from Little Rock, Arkansas, via Glenview where she attended a family reunion, to her home in Big Spring, visited with the Mobley family Sunday.

Mrs. Lucille Hall of Baird spent the weekend with the Mobley's and while here they visited Mrs. Hoffer of Gorman. Miss Betty Mobley remained there for a week visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cunningham of Jal, New Mexico, visited relatives in Putnam over the weekend.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, Sr., visited in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ramsey have returned from a vacation trip.

Willie Butler of Cross Plains visited his brother, P. L. Butler, Saturday.

Hall Walker of Ranger was a visitor in Putnam Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete King and Louise McCool of Fort Worth were in Putnam to attend the funeral of Mrs. Loren Everett.

Jesse Overton is visiting her parents in Grandbury.

Mr. Cross of Cross Plains was a visitor in Putnam Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Biggers were visitors in Cisco Tuesday.

Mrs. Kelly Peck of Dallas has returned home after a visit with her brothers, Gene, Mit, and Fred Cook, and families.

Mrs. Emma Nettles Ingram, who recently bought and moved to her farm near Scranton, was bitten by a copperhead snake Tuesday. She is reported as doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Everett left Thursday for San Antonio where he is stationed.

Will Everett and Billy Everett were in Abilene Monday.

Johnnie King of Ranger, a long time friend of the Biggerses, visited them Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Borlie and Miss Lillian Cook of Dallas spent Tuesday in Cross Plains visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cook.

Miss Lillian Cook is spending her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mit Cook.

R. D. Williams and George Biggers were in Strawn Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hays and Tom Mit Cook of Abilene visited briefly with Mr. and Mrs. H. Cook Friday en route to Dallas.

P. L. Butler and his scouts enjoyed an outing from Tuesday until Thursday.

Woodrow Wilson issued the Mother's Day proclamation.

## Calvary W.M.U. Meets For Study Tuesday

Mrs. Phama Travis was hostess in her home Tuesday when the Calvary Baptist W.M.U. met for Royal Service program.

The meeting opened with a song and prayer by Mrs. I. D. Hodnett. Mrs. W. L. Lewis gave the devotional and Mrs. Hodnett and Mrs. John Willett gave the program. During the short business session it was voted that Mrs. Leroy Taylor, secretary, order W.M.U. literature.

Those attending were Mrs. I. D. Hodnett, Mrs. Leroy Taylor, Mrs. John Willett, Mrs. W. L. Lewis, Mrs. Reddick, and the hostess, Mrs. Travis.

## Briefly Told —

Mrs. Charles D. Blandford and daughters, Betty Lynne and Carol Anne, of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Day.

Mrs. Zed Kilborn has returned after a few days visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilborn, in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brock have returned to their home in Fort Worth after a weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shepard.

Mrs. J. W. Shepard and children have returned to their new home in Dallas after a visit in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shepard and Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and Richard. Mrs. Dora Richardson, mother of Mrs. Shepard, accompanied them home.

Mrs. M. A. Cole has returned to her home at 606 West 9th Street after a visit with her daughters in Los Angeles, Calif.

## Boating Safety Urged On Lakes

AUSTIN, July 31.—The Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission said recent tragedies indicate the need for greater boating safety by fishermen now that the summer fishing season is at its peak.

He was impressed by two similar tragedies on one day in widely separated parts of the state that cost four lives.

Three persons, who started out fishing and tarried to swim, perished in Lake Whitney near Hillsboro. A man died off Matagorda Peninsula trying to retrieve a boat.

The Executive Secretary said reports indicated all apparently were tricked by a common whim of the elements. No one saw the Lake Whitney tragedy but it seemed likely the trio was bathing in deep water when their boat was blown beyond their reach. The coastal fatality actually resulted when a fisherman took out after a drifting boat that had slipped its moorings.

The Executive Secretary emphasized that an unoccupied craft, riding high in the water, might be easily blown away faster than a person can swim.



The pleasures of the day may be many, and pursued in vigorous health. But in the stillness of the night, alone with his conscience, each of us yet will come to understand the truth of St. Paul's words, and to know that the choice is ours alone — no one else can or will make it for us.

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Cheri Alexander of Abilene is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Notgrass.

Mrs. E. T. Thomas spent Wednesday and Thursday in McKinney visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reed, Rhel-da and Ronnie, plan to leave Friday morning for a vacation trip to Colorado.

## HEALTH TALKS

Prepared by the  
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Although all fields of surgery have been highly developed in the past twenty-five years, perhaps in none has progress been more spectacular than in the field of diseases of the prostate. The death rate in operations of this kind has been reduced from about 25 percent thirty years ago to less than 2 per cent today.

Prostatic disease is seen in men of all ages; however, it is most common in those of middle age and older. The prostate gland, an accessory sex organ, is situated in front of the urinary bladder where the urethra (the tube leading from the bladder to the outside) emerges. When this gland becomes enlarged, as it does in about one-third of older men, the patient finds it becomes increasingly difficult to pass urine and may have to get up several times during the night to go to the bathroom. The exact reason for enlargement is unknown.

There is no medicine that will reduce the size of the prostate. In mild cases heat and massage may improve symptoms. However, if the stream of urine is lessened or completely stopped, the gland must be removed by

one of several operations, the surgeon choosing the one best fitted to the patient's particular needs. Before any such operation, especially when the patient is older, he receives a thorough physical check-up to be sure his general health is satisfactory.

One technique for prostatic surgery is referred to as a "closed" method, since no incision is made. An instrument is passed into the urethra. Through this "resectoscope" the surgeon is able to see the prostate; a fine wire loop with a high frequency electric current, which is a part of the resectoscope, cuts through the gland much as a hot wire cuts through butter and controls bleeding by its searing effect.

Men in the age range of forty-five years and older should have periodic rectal examinations (in

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7:45 p. m. — Evening Worship  
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9:45 a. m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a. m. — Morning Worship.  
6:45 p. m. — Training Union  
8:00 p. m. — Evening Worship.  
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11:40 a. m.—Communion Service.  
6:30 p. m. — Young People's Class  
7:30 p. m. — Worship  
Mid-Week Service — 7:30 p. m.

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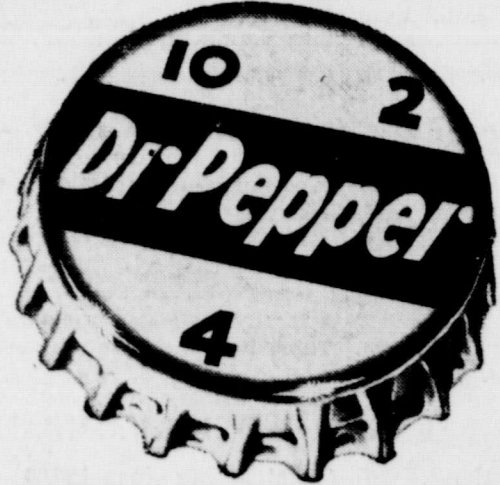
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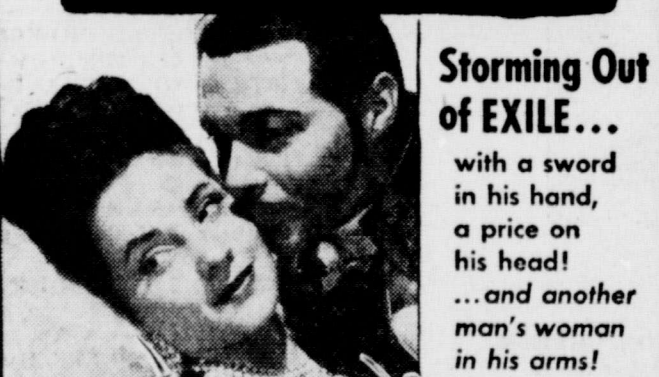


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At the present time, it does not appear that the Congress will adjourn by August 1, as has been scheduled by the Republican Leadership.

The President has issued another list of "must" legislation which he wants enacted before the Congress quits, and if it is to be accomplished, it appears that several more days and possibly weeks will be required.

There has been some question as to whether this column should continue after the Congress is not in Session. Personally speaking, I would like to continue it, although it may take on a little different complexion that writing on happenings in Washington and the Congress. If the editors of the various papers feel it is worthwhile to print, then I shall be very glad to continue it, even when I am back home visiting the people over my twelve-county Congressional District.

It is my hope soon after the Congress adjourns to return home and visit with everyone I possibly can. It is my intent to set a specific day for each community and keep that schedule. In county seat towns, I hope to meet people at the Courthouse, probably the District or County Courtroom, and discuss any matters in which anyone may be interested. In towns not a county seat, I hope to arrange to meet with folks at the Post Office or some other convenient place. In a subsequent column, I will give these dates and try to get special notice as to the place and time.

It is hoped that by the time this column is printed, clearer instructions will be provided by the Secretary of Agriculture to the local committees administering the Emergency Livestock Feed Program. At the present time, there is a great deal of dissatisfaction.

It was the intent of the Congress to provide relief for the drought-stricken area and to make funds available for the purpose. It is the responsibility of the Department of Agriculture to find practical ways and means to carry out these intents. The instructions have not been clear, although it is very difficult to make everything connected with it either black or white. There is a lot of grey in between the two extremes.

Regardless of these emergency measures, there is still much to be done. There is not much need to give a sick man a hypo and tell him he is cured of what ails him. Until the cause of the illness is treated, he likely will not recover. In the case of the stockman, we need to treat the cause of all the trouble with cattle prices. The drought has not been the entire cause of prevailing conditions.

I have proposed to the Department of Agriculture and the Agricultural Committees of Congress that acreage quotas for cotton and peanuts not be imposed on our area, due to crop failures the last two years. The response to the proposition is not encouraging. As an alternative, I am proposing that we be given credit for land prepared for planting crops, but which were not planted or harvested because of the drought. This proposition is receiving some consideration, and I hope those of us who are interested in it may be successful in attaining some concession in this respect.

Speaker of the House of Representatives, Joe Martin of Massachusetts, tells me that in spite of the present Legislative logjam, the Congress will still adjourn by August 1.

## Briefly Told

Mr. and Mrs. George Irvine left Wednesday for a vacation trip to Colorado.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Robert Walker and sons, Robbie and Brad, arrived in Cisco early Friday for a visit with Mrs. Walker's mother, Mrs. Cate Atkins. Dr. Walker will report to San Antonio Monday for duty with the armed forces. Mrs. Walker and children will remain in Cisco with Mrs. Atkins until Dr. Walker receives a permanent station.

Mrs. E. L. Graham has returned to Cisco after a visit in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Layden Stroud and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Graham and Carolyn.

Mrs. F. E. Harrell, Miss Mary Jane Butts, Mrs. E. L. Graham, Mrs. F. D. Wright and Mrs. Lanie Marcell were in Coleman Wednesday where they were in the home of the Clift family.



**WOODLAND MUSIC**—The quiet woodland at Interlochen, Mich., sets the scene for an inspired practice session as Nancy Reese perches on a tree stump to run through a cello solo. The Wilmette, Ill., high schooler is continuing her musical studies in a back-to-nature setting at the Interlochen Music Camp where hundreds of students are blending art and nature.



**SHE HAS HER PAWS FULL**—Maggie, a three-year-old Irish setter in Burlingame, Kans., is the proud and busy mother of a litter of 18 pups. So complicated is the problem of feeding the hungry gang that Carol Okey, 12, has to come to the rescue with a tiny bottle. The almost unbelievable number of new dogs is thought to be some sort of a record.



**BALCONY SEATS ONLY**—The attitude of a group of bear cubs in a Chicago zoo resembles that of rapt music lovers at an outdoor concert. This bunch appears to have arrived a bit late and settled among the top tiers of the amphitheater. But the American black bear cubs are just sunning themselves.

## Brazos Project Is Given Boost By U. S. Senate

First step to open the way for a \$35,000,000 dam construction program on the Brazos River below the Possum Kingdom reservoir was taken Friday. The Senate, on motion of Senator Johnson, passed the Butler bill repealing the present law, which would permit the federal government to take over, after 50 years, any dam built on a navigable river under a permit issued by the Federal Power Commission.

John D. McCall, general counsel for the Brazos River Authority, which operates the Possum Kingdom Dam under the federal permit, said that the authority plans to build either three or four dams below this major project, but has been unable to finance them so long as the present law remains on the statute books.

The federal permit for Possum Kingdom, key dam in the river development, expires in about thirty-five years, McCall explained. Since the authority wants to finance the new dams over a period of 50 years, it has found this impossible so long as the federal government retains authority to take over Possum Kingdom at the completion of the permit.

Similar legislation is pending before the House and McCall said that he hoped for favorable action in that body next week.

## Gay Philosopher —

(From page one)

BACK IN TOWN, we ran into Mr. Mel Sandler, son of the Chas. S. Sandler, who has been spending a few days with home folks. He and his orchestra have just finished an engagement in Florida and they're opening this weekend at Perrin Field, Sherman, and go to St. Louis from there. Mel looks very good and is enjoying his work.

M. M. Tabor is to leave Friday for South Texas where he will be employed with Humble Pipe Line Company for the next five months. Mrs. Tabor and daughter, Kay, will accompany him and spend the month of August at Alice, Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glenn, and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Robinson plan to leave Friday for a two weeks vacation trip at Ruidosa, New Mexico.

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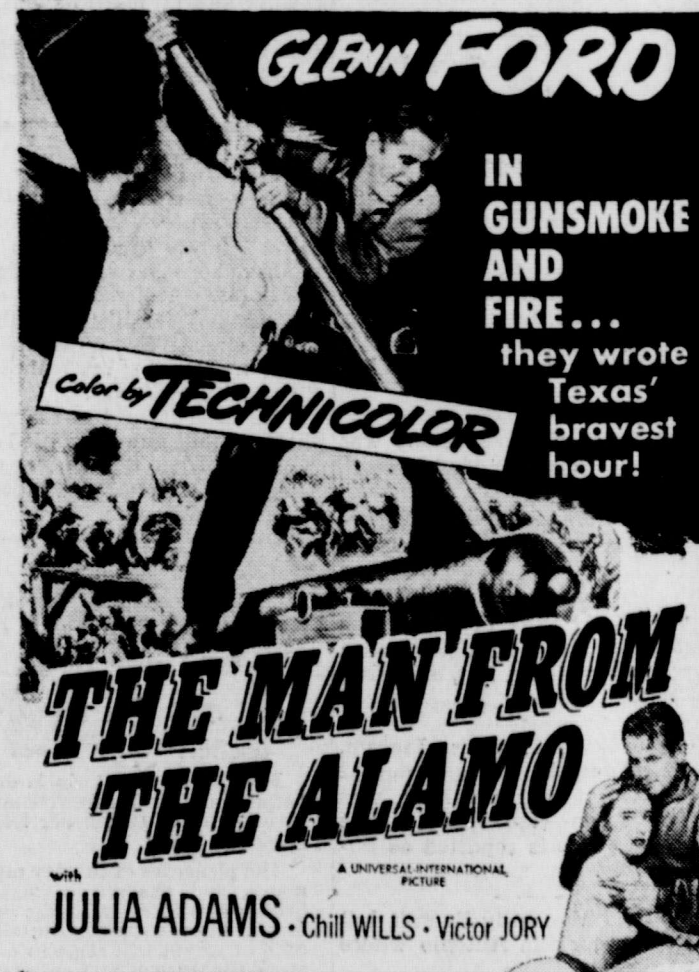


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