

The Gay Philosopher



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WE WERE OUT to Lake Cisco Park the other night and heard an out-of-town fellow say: "One of the nicest things about Cisco is the splendid park facilities. Wish we had it."

The Lake Cisco Amusement Company probably doesn't pay its stockholders dividends. But the owners can be sure that their investment is genuinely appreciated by a lot of people. More than 3,000 students from throughout Central Texas were guests at the park and swimming pool last week. A large group already visited the park this week.

WENT OUT LAST evening and looked over the Don Franklin Shows. They have the reputation of being the cleanest show in Texas. And we believe it. One concession man has a pretty good idea. You pay him your fee and he guesses your age. If he misses more than two years, you win.

Heard him guessing a woman's age. "Now, you won't be mad if I guess too much will you?" he asked.

THE CISCO COUNTRY Club and golf course are also big assets to the community. Activity at the club is increasing. They're getting ready for the big golf tournament in mid-June. Out there the other day we saw Mr. Punk Thornton perform a feat that we'll bet you can't do. He stood on the No. 9 tee and drove a ball through the road archway going into the club grounds.

The boys at the club this week were giving the greens and fairways a lot of attention in preparation for the tournament.

THE ABC CLUB is off to a good start with its broad program of sports activities for the youngsters. The club's annual membership drive also is in progress. Let's all give this fine organization our support. The authorities will tell you that they're doing a fine job with the boys and girls.

EVERYBODY IS proud at The Press office. Mr. Don Morrison, one of our linotypers, was salutatorian at Cisco Junior College. And, what is more, Mr. Andrew Weatherby passed all of his subjects out at high school. And with flying colors. Mr. Weatherby, you know, is kind of vice-president in charge of the press room.

RETURNS TO BASE Arthur West, Marine Corps private, returned to his base in San Diego, California, Sunday evening following a week-end visit with his mother, Mrs. Johnnie Belle West, 809 West 11th Street.

Mrs. Dora Kennedy came in Tuesday from Abilene for a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. V. H. Bosworth.

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Civil Service Needs Illustrators And Photographers

Examinations were announced today by the United States Civil Service Commission for Illustrator, Scientific and Technical Illustrator, Photographer, Microphotographer, Blueprint Operator, and Photostat Operator. The positions to be filled are in Washington, D. C., and vicinity.

The following optional branches are covered by the Illustrator examination: Technical Equipment, Botany, Entomology, Geology, Medical, Heraldry, and General. The salaries range from \$2,284 to \$6,235 a year but not all of the positions to be filled have the same salary range. To qualify for the positions, applicants must have had from 1 to 7 years of appropriate experience. Pertinent education may be substituted for as much as 4 years of the required experience. Applicants must furnish with their applications a sample of their illustration skill. No written test is required.

The positions to be filled from the Photographer examination pay \$2,086 and \$2,284 a year. The salaries for Microphotographer, Blueprint Operator, and Photostat Operator range from \$2,086 to \$2,724 a year. To qualify for these positions, competitors must pass a written test and, for positions paying \$2,284 and above, they must have had appropriate experience. No experience is required for the lowest grade positions.

Further information and application forms may be secured from the Commission's Local Secretary, Mr. Sam B. King located at Cisco P. O., from civil service regional offices, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, 25, D. C. Applications for all of the examinations must be received in the Commission's Washington office not later than June 28, 1949.

East Cisco Baptist Have Homecoming

Members of the East Cisco Baptist Church will be hosts at an all day homecoming Sunday. Former members and ministers have been invited to attend the all-day meeting and a large crowd is expected.

The day will be highlighted by talks by former ministers, singing and dinner served at the building located on East 12th Street. I. W. Lawrence, former minister, now of Newcastle, and former minister T. J. Sparkman will speak at the services. Mr. Sparkman is now minister at De Leon.

All local members and those visiting from Cisco were asked to bring well packed lunch baskets for themselves and visitors.

Cisco High School Graduates 68 Seniors Here Tuesday Night

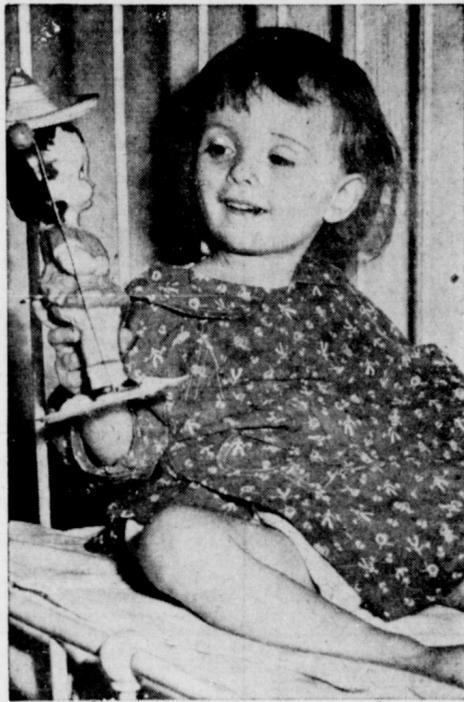
"The open doors of clean living, goodwill, and good citizenship are before you and no person on earth can close them but you." Rev. Richard Crews told 68 graduating seniors last night at the Cisco High School Commencement exercises.

In his address in the high school auditorium, Rev. Crews divided his talk on the subject "The Open Door" into three separate sections. The Open Door of Clean Living was illustrated first: "Pure living on your part will lead to continued happiness and enjoyment of life," the speaker said. "And only you can close the door."

"Second is the Open Door of Goodwill. Once, when Booker T. Washington, a famous Negro educator, was pushed from the sidewalk into the gutter, he rose smiling and said: 'I defy any man that forces me to hate, "Be the same."'

"If we are to achieve a successful life, and I do not use the word 'successful' in terms of money, we must express goodwill at all times — with our family, neighbors and citizens of the community."

He urged the seniors to go out into the world with a belief in



THIRD OPERATION COMING UP—Pamela Lamphere, two and one-half, is in County Hospital, in Chicago, Ill., awaiting her third operation to correct a natal condition of an outside bladder. The case drew nationwide attention when her parents were about to separate over whether the first operation should be performed.

Young Musicians To Be Presented In Recitals

Several recitals, planned to provide opportunities for young artists to appear before the general public will be held Friday and Saturday evenings of this week under the sponsorship of the Cisco Music Study Club.

Two other recitals will be held on Sunday afternoon and Monday night of next week.

The Music Study Club is using the recital concept as a method of encouraging performance of young musicians, especially those who plan to make music either a part of or their entire career.

The recital Friday evening includes students of junior level and one senior student who anticipates a minor in music at college. The junior students are Virginia Weiser, French horn; Charlie Laminack, cornet; Richard Moore, French horn; Charles Beene, Sousaphone, the latter being a graduate of Cisco High School.

All of these students have received special recognition in the recent interscholastic music league contests in San Angelo and have been awarded medals for their achievements. Both Miss Weiser and Richard Moore received a one rating in solo, and will include their contest number in their recital program. Charlie Laminack, Charles Beene and Richard Moore were three members in a sextet that received top rating in the contest. In addition to the sextet Mr. Beene also received a two rating for his solo work.

The program, with Mrs. Fred D. Baumgardner as accompanist, will be presented in the Twentieth Century Club rooms at 3 p. m. Friday. The general public has been invited to attend.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Kay Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Jackson, who has been recovering in Graham Hospital the past week following an emergency appendectomy, was released Tuesday, attendants reported today. He will remain in his parents home, 1301 Avenue D, until he fully recovers.

Local Officials Map Out Campaign Designed To Fight Polio Menace

4-H Clubs Help In Dairy Promotion

Production of milk for human consumption is one of the oldest farm enterprises. Yet today — because of modern scientific research and invention — it is one of the newest and biggest of all agricultural activities. There are some 27 million dairy cows in the nation. One of the objectives of the National 4-H Dairy Production program is the building of a successful dairy herd from an original investment in a 4-H Club calf.

Guided by county agents and local 4-H Club leaders, more than 1,399 boys and girls are participating in this "Learn by doing" 1949 project. They acquire knowledge to grow fine pastures, build healthy herds and produce good, clean, wholesome milk. Not content to stop there, these future dairymen pass their knowledge to the community by demonstrating at clubs and meetings procedures such as "Dairy Problems on the Farm," and others.

To further encourage 4-H'ers in this endeavor, the Kraft Food Company for well over a decade has donated awards for outstanding records. This year there will be a gold-filled medal for first place county winner, and a sterling silver medal for second place. Eight \$25 U. S. savings bonds will be presented to state winners, while all-expense trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago will be arranged for 10 sectional champions. From this sectional group, six will be chosen to receive a \$300 national agricultural college scholarship.

Moran Banker Heads Seven County Group

Glen Cottle, cashier of the Moran National Bank, was named the new chairman of the Seven Counties Bankers Association at a meeting of the group in Olney Tuesday. Moran was selected as the site for the 1950 meeting.

He succeeded G. C. Nixon of Olney who had headed the bankers from Jones, Knox, Throckmorton, Haskell, Baylor, Shackelford and Young Counties.



OUT—Detroit Tigers' shortstop, Johnny Lipon, has the ball as Hank Bauer of the Yankees is out at second base in the first inning of a game at New York's Yankee Stadium. It was part of a double play. Umpire is John Stevens.

Questions on Netting in Lake Cisco Are Answered by Custodian Judia

Below is the second of a series of questions and answers pertaining to netting in Lake Cisco. The series was prepared by Ray Judia, lake custodian, after compiling the questions that were asked most frequently.

Further information on the subject will be released from time to time. Mr. Judia plans to release recipes on the proper cooking of carp, buffalo, and other fish that are classed as undesirable. The recipes will be released soon.

The last of the series of questions and answers is as follows: Q — How long will it take to place the lake in the desired condition?

A — That depends on how long it takes to eliminate the rough fish in order to allow desirable fish to re-establish themselves. At the present rate we should see a marked change in a year after that takes place.

Q — What about the shad that a three inch net won't hold?

A — As soon as enough big fish have been removed to allow it, it is planned to stock the lake heavily with bass. They cannot be destroyed by fish that are not in the lake and it is believed that if bass are stocked in sufficient quantities they will take care of the shad situation. Fish must eat each other to obtain sufficient food and the plan is to play one type against the other in order to maintain a balanced population in the lake. This will make fishing at its best and make better fish.

Q — How long will netting in Lake Cisco be legal?

A — It should be legal as long as we intend to hold the rough fish under control.

Q — Will the nets catch all of the carp and rough fish out of the lake?

A — No. There are always baby fish of that type that can go through a legal size net and of course they will grow into big ones. Netting is just an effort to control them.

Q — How many pounds of fish is being taken from the lake per day?

A — For the past ten days the catch has amounted to 400 pounds per day and that will increase as more nets are put in.

Q — Is a fish trap, seine and net the same thing?

A — No. A fish trap is an enclosed apparatus that catches and holds the fish. They are usually lured into the trap with some type bait. Traps are strictly illegal in Texas. A seine is a net that is drawn through the water for the purpose of catching fish. Seines are illegal in Lake Cisco and Lake Bernie. Nets are so that fish will swim into them and become entangled in the threads. This is a stationary set and is legal in Lake Cisco if the mesh is three inches or larger.

Nets should be set deep enough below the surface so as to allow boats to pass over without interference. This is not only protection for the boatman but is even better for the fisherman.

Anyone wishing additional information can call 45-W-1 or go by the office at Lake Cisco Courts and Mr. Judia will be glad to assist in any manner possible.

In an effort to prevent a polio outbreak, the sanitation department of the City of Cisco has planned an all-out campaign to eliminate flies and other pests suspected of carrying the dread disease.

Workmen were spraying alleys and out buildings over the city with a DDT solution and planned to cover the entire town this week. Plans call for the purchase of a new fog machine that can be mounted on a truck or pickup. The type machine being considered will envelop the desired area with a fine fog or mist that will penetrate into all places where flies are prevalent.

The type machine now in use is getting some results but the heavy influx of flies demands a more efficient method, city officials said.

Polio has climbed steadily in Texas for the first five months of the year and the reported cases far outnumber those of last year.

Local citizens were urged to cooperate with city officials in the effort to make Cisco free of hazards. They were urged to keep garbage tightly covered, to keep cow and horse lots clean and to see that sewage disposal units were operating properly.

The campaign is under the direction of Sanitation Commissioner Hugh Chief Brown.

Workmen were also engaged in a campaign to kill mosquitoes and were pouring oil and chemicals on low places where water stands. Citizens were urged to check their alleys and yards to see that old cans, automobile tires or other containers were disposed of. They were also urged to check air conditioning units against improper drainage. Mayor G. C. Rosenthal urged cooperation between the people of the city and workmen.

Doctors, Dentists Needed For Duty With Army

Reserve officers of the Army Medical, Dental, and Veterinary Corps have been asked by Major General R. W. Bliss, The Surgeon General of the Army, to signify their availability for short periods of service ranging from one to 29 days a month, in order to help relieve the Army's critical shortages of these professional personnel, Colonel Oscar B. Abbott, Executive District, announced here today.

If response to the questionnaires is sufficiently encouraging, reserve officers may volunteer for short terms of service and perform professional duties at Army or Air Force hospitals and medical installations located in their geographic area. If 5,000 Reserve officers volunteer for only three days a month for a year's time, the man-hours thus contributed would be equal to the full-time service of 600 physicians, dentists, and veterinarians.

"The Army Medical Department is faced with an unparalleled peacetime emergency in carrying out our medical requirements authoritatively," General Bliss stated. "In time of military emergency, it is the Reserve officer upon whom the great burden of effort and sacrifice has fallen. Today, we are again turning to Reserve officers of the Medical Department for help."

Medical officers can obtain further information and applications at their Organized Reserve Corps headquarters office at Room 201, Federal Bldg., Waco, Texas, or by writing direct to The Commanding General Brooke Army Medical Center, San Antonio, Texas.



PICK OF THE CROP—When U.S. packers launched their National Pickle Week in Chicago, Ill., they chose Persian-born Mrs. Martha Collins as their Pickle Queen. Instead of a royal scepter, Queen Martha holds a giant replica of a pickle.

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MORAN NEWS

By MRS. C. C. CADY

Supt. Hugh W. Smith and family will leave for Abilene the last of this week, where he will attend Hardin-Simmons University for a period of 6 weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith announce the marriage of their daughter Argie Fae to John Doyle Settle on Sunday the 29 of May, 1949 at Dallas.

Mrs. S. W. Gaston of San Angelo spent the week in Moran with grandchildren of the Gaston family while Rev. and Mrs. Gaston were attending conference.

Mrs. Florence McCarty and son of Aberdeen, Washington flew via Braniff Air Lines to Wichita Falls on Tuesday. They were met by Clarence Hamilton. Mrs. McCarty visited her father Dan Hamilton and brother and other relations in Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Den-

nis and two daughters, Terry Lee and Carey Gay, of Austin, visited home folks in Moran last week and attended graduation exercises.

Staff Sgt. Alvin Airdell spent the week-end in Moran with his sister, Mrs. I. W. McCrum and family. Sgt. Airdell is stationed at Camp Hood, Texas and has just returned from Aberdeen, Maryland where he completed the Automobile Electrician Course.

Mrs. Albert Cline and Mrs. Barbara Townsend visited their sister Mrs. Sellous Townsend in Phoenix, Arizona, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Duke of Ellen Lane, Houston visited Mrs. I. E. Durham a few days last week. They also visited Mr. Mrs. Earnest Brooks in Breckenridge before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. McGaughey and son, David, of Albany attended graduation exercises Friday evening in Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammett, both former teachers of Moran schools, now of La Feria, attended graduation exercises. Mr. and Mrs. Hammett are visiting in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Highsmith of Broken Bow, Oklahoma, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lummus.

Mrs. Maude Bankston spent last week-end in Albany visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Halford.

Rev. H. W. Gaston was returned from the North Western Methodist Conference to the Pastorate of Mornn Methodist Church for another year. Both Rev. and Mrs. Gaston have a large circle of friends who are pleased at their return.

Mrs. F. N. Hassen and son, Junior, of Cisco, were Moran visitors on Tuesday.

Mrs. Bell Waters of Moran spent all of last week in Cisco where she was called by illness of Mrs. C. A. Waters.

The people of Moran and Community sent five boxes of clothes and shoes and \$60.00 in cash to Fort Worth last week for the flood relief.

Last Saturday was a big day for members of the Women's Auxiliary. The president, Mrs. T. H. Sherman with Mmes. Nellie Dennis, Clara Edwards, J. A. Magar sold poppies on the streets until noon when their supply was exhausted. They could have sold many more. Proceeds of the sale will be used exclusively for Veterans Welfare Program. Total sales were \$44.47.

Luncheon club was served by Mrs. Dr. and Mrs. Steven Sedwick group last week. Visitors from Cisco and Mr. McKelroy from San Angelo. The program was on the Cancer Drive. Methodist Ladies on Wednesday will be served by the Moran quota of \$110.00 was exceeded early in the drive. Luncheon June 1st.

Visitors are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cady returned from a trip to Amarillo, Texas where they met their daughter and husband enroute home from Chicago to Pasadena, Calif. They also saw the great wheat fields ready for harvest, which was a great sight.



GOING AS GUEST—Leaving New York's LaGuardia Field for Paris, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., is greeted by hostess Alice Pearsall, Roosevelt is headed for Israel where he will make a housing survey as a guest of the Israeli government.



HOME AGAIN—Flora Lynn Greenberg, five, of San Antonio, Tex., arrives in New York on the liner DeGrasse with her doll and dog, Mike. With her mother, she has been to Casablanca.

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Mr. C. S. Surles is our sales agent to sell our town home. JESSE PENN

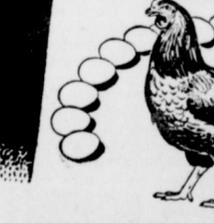
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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

BUFFET DINNER MAY 25 COMPLIMENTED MISS BETTY LOU BROGDON

Miss Betty Lou Brogdon, salutatorian of the 1949 Cisco high school class, was honored on her birthday, May 25 by her mother and aunt, Mrs. Brogdon and Miss McCracken with a buffet dinner at 7 p. m. in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brogdon at 908 west ninth street.

The house was made gay with profuse decorations of roses and other summer flowers, placed artistically about the rooms. The dining table covered with lace cloth, was centered with a crystal bowl filled with sweet peas and honeysuckle. The centerpiece was flanked at the sides by lighted white tapers, in crystal candle holders, which gave added radiance

to the scene. Guests were seated at marked places at quartet tables which held dainty centerpieces of pansies and sweet peas.

The menu consisted of baked ham, potato salad, green beans, coagulated salad, pickles, olives, and hot rolls, iced tea and dessert of ice cream and birthday cake.

After the bounteous meal was enjoyed, the honoree opened her gift packages and displayed her nice gifts to the group.

Lively conversation and music were entertaining features of the evening.

Those enjoying the dinner party were: Misses Betty Brogdon, Lovell Paul, Jo Ann Scott, Laura Lu Morris, Sally Gallagher, Betty Martin, Betty Freeland, Elaine Ziehr, Elova Moad,

Jeanette Hansen, Martha Whitaker, Bobby Deen, Zelda Sandler, Bette Wilcox, Pat Grist, and Mary Philipott.

Pictures were made of the happy group when they first arrived and while they were eating; and later in the evening other pictures were made.

EAST CISCO W. M. S. AT CHURCH MONDAY

The Women's Missionary Society of East Cisco Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church for a special program on Old Ministers' Relief Work. Mrs. Carlton Holder, acting president, had charge and opened the meeting with a song, "What Is Your Life?" Prayer by Mrs. Wayne Hodnett followed.

A short business session was conducted by Mrs. Holder where plans were made for the home-coming next Sunday, June 5, at the church. It was decided that each woman will bring a basket picnic lunch; after which the program was directed by Mrs. Paul Stephens.

Those assisting by giving program parts were Mrs. J. D.



ODDITY IN THE NEWS—Albert P. Hegar, veteran tulip grower in Buffalo, N. Y., exhibits three normal size blossoms growing from one stem. Hegar, who annually grows more than 500 tulips in his garden, stated he has never before seen or heard of a similar phenomenon.

were played and refreshments of cake and ice cream were passed to about 40 members of the class.

Mrs. Choate was assisted by Mrs. V. C. Overall, Mrs. Wayne Hitt and Miss Jo Ann Hitt.

GIRL SCOUT TROOPS HELD INVESTITURE SERVICES MAY 26

Girl Scout Troops 8 and 10, held Investiture services May 26 at First Methodist Church. Mrs. Zan Burroughs, leader of Troop 10 and Mrs. Don Choate leader of Troop 8, conducted the services. The following girls received their pins:

Troop 10: Sonja Bills, Nelda Cates, Rita Sue Burroughs, Mary Martha Borman, Pat Donohue, Janelle Redwine, Vinita McLester, Verita Butler, Mary Ann Morehart.

Troop 8: Linda Bennie, Linda Cheves, Ina Jane Carpenter, Kay Kring, Annette Thomas, Ouida Garrett, Nina Jo Walton, Dale Leopold, Faye Hooker.

After the service, refreshments were served by Mrs. M. W. Kring, Mrs. Delmar Borman and Mrs. Frank Morehart, troops committee members, to the mothers and girls present.

Bobby Poe of Beaumont spent the weekend here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe. He was accompanied on his return to Beaumont by his cousin, Robert Paul Shaw.

Hall, Mrs. J. O. Warren, Mrs. Carlton Holder and Mrs. Ray Reeves. The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mrs. W. L. Lewis.

Those present were Mesdames Carlton Holder, Wayne Hodnett, Ray Reeves, Paul Stephens, J. O. Warren, A. W. White, Ollie Hughes, J. D. Hall and W. L. Lewis

MRS. DON CHOATE COMPLIMENTED MISSES HITT AND WATERS

Misses Shirley Hitt and Anna Belle Waters were entertained by Mrs. Don Choate at Cisco Country club on Friday, May 27. Both girls are members of the graduating class of Cisco Junior High School. During the evening games

Mrs. A. C. Hennessee and son, Robert Wayne of Eastland and Mrs. R. L. George and infant son, Mickey Lynn of Abilene spent Sunday here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy George. Collin George of Eastland was also a visitor in the home of his grand parents.



FISH STORY—This 150-pound sunfish was caught by Jesse Etheridge at Nags Head, N. C., while trolling with a spoon lure. Although sometimes taken in nets, this sunfish is the first one known to take a hook in those waters. Very small at birth, ocean sunfish grow to prodigious sizes.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Babb and daughter, Julie of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Milton G. Bradberry of Knox City were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Bradberry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ewell and family.

The piano pupils of Miss Ora Howell will be presented Thursday evening June 2 at 8:15 in the auditorium of First Baptist Church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Judge and Mrs. R. E. Grantham have returned from Austin where they went to be present at commencement exercises of University of Texas. Miss Gene Grantham their only daughter was one of about two thousand seniors receiving a degree from the institution. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grantham of Houston joined their parents, Judge and Mrs. Grantham there and were also present at the Commencement program. Miss Grantham majored in Home Economics. She returned to Cisco with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poe and daughter, Mary Jeanette Poe, went to Waco Sunday where they attended the commencement program at Baylor University in Waco Hall at the University and commencement exercises. The sermon took place were held in the municipal auditorium. There were 950 seniors who received their degrees among whom Joe Tom Poe, son of the Cisco couple. He is a young pastor of Calvary Baptist Church at Corsicana and will spend the summer there.

Mr. Sam Draganis, who is in Graham Hospital, is reported improving rapidly today.

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Seated on the rear of car during triumphal parade up lower Broadway, General Lucius Clay left, waves to crowd. Beside

him is Robert D. Murphy, of the State Department, Clay's adviser in Germany. (NEA)

Miss Katy Lou Atkins has returned from Fort Worth where she has been a student at Texas Christian University the past

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Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright of Hico and their son, Ray Wright and wife of Fort Worth visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Leech and son, Jack and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Guthrie. They come for Commencement exercises of Cisco High School where Jack Leech, grand son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright, was among the number graduating.

Mrs. Fred Erwin is reported ill in the family residence at

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Mrs. T. C. Richardson of Sweetwater is visiting in Cisco this week, a guest of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Maner.

Mrs. Irene Hallmark plans to go to Gatesville Thursday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Ida Grantham and her brother, Mr. Grantham. Mrs. Hallmark is a teacher in Cisco Junior High.

Jeanette Rathmel of Mesquite is visiting here this week

with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hazel.

J. O. Y. Class of First Baptist Sunday school will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. B. Popalio at 704 west tenth street for the business and social meeting of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Moore and daughters, Alma Lois and Joan Gayle of Dallas visited here Sunday with his mother, Mrs. T. M. Moore and sister, Mrs. Barton Philpott and family.

Mrs. Con Gilmore is visiting relatives at Cleburne and other places in that vicinity this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tucker and baby have returned to Mar-

fa after spending a week's vacation here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Tucker.

A. O. Vanderford of Big Spring spent Tuesday night here in the home of his father R. D. Vanderford and sister, Mrs. Gorum Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. McClane and baby of Borger are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holder this week.

Mrs. Doris Hartman of Cisco who has been a patient in the Polio ward of a Fort Worth

hospital the past two weeks, is reported slightly improved. Her five year old daughter is staying with her grand parents in Fort Worth.

John Dean Slaughter has received his discharge from the U. S. Navy and is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Slaughter. He has been stationed at San Diego Naval base and vicinity.

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