

The Gay Philosopher

By J. W. S.

SEVERAL CITIZENS of Cisco have come to us with opinions concerning the election scheduled for September 25 on the City Charter Commission. In some instances, the citizens were somewhat confused. The September 25 election will be only on the question of "shall a commission be chosen to frame a new charter?"

The present City Charter was written back around 1919 and a lot of water has gone under the dam since then. If Cisco wanted to change to city manager form of government, such a provision would have to be in the City Charter. The present charter does not include such a provision.

In other words, we will not at this time vote on a city manager form of government. We will vote on whether we want our charter modernized and, if so, elect a 15-man commission to make recommendations. If we approve the present proposition, the work of the 15-man commission would be submitted in an election later.

Since it is logical that a good many sections of the present City Charter might well be modernized or rewritten, it is our considered opinion that the voters should approve the September 25 proposition.

The election on parking meters will be a different matter and there will be a separate ballot for it.

MR. O. O. ODOM, master of the arts, tells us that he has accepted a school teaching proposition over at Breckenridge. He will teach arithmetic in the elementary school and will help coach the junior boys. Last year, Mr. OOO, taught in the Rising Star schools.

A couple of weeks ago, Mr. OOO, took his wife and two sons over to Abilene and they watched while the Hardin-Simmons University folks presented him with a sheepskin — Master of Arts in Education Economics. The two Odom boys got quite a thrill out of seeing their dad march out in cap and gown.

Mr. OOO, has now enrolled in the extension service of SMU to do some work on his doctor's degree. He's going to be so educated that he won't know what to do, huh? Forget to ask him if he will be a fan of the Lobos or the Buckaroos this season.

BACK ON THE job at the Chamber of Commerce is Mrs. Peggy Gallagher after an absence of a week. She and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donica went up to Aurora, Mo., to attend final rites for an aunt and they got back to Cisco Saturday night.

Mrs. Gallagher reports that egg production is down somewhat at her cage hen house. The hens get off schedule in extremely hot or cold weather. The market outlook seems real good, Mrs. G. says.

SEE THAT MR. O. J. Tillinghast has commenced work to overhaul the old Piggly Wiggly Grocery building. Understand a new variety store will occupy the space. Will have all the information concerning same soon. . . . A large box of clothing was left at The Press office yesterday for the Bible family of Nimrod — victims of the home fire recently. . . . Paul Brashear, the 76th Legislative District representative-elect, business visited in Austin Tuesday.

IDEAS MAKE JOBS. That's the subject of a clipping that somebody sent us. In part, the clipping reads as follows:

"Where does a job come from? "A magazine published by one of our great chemical companies answers that in these words: Unlike potatoes or apples, a job is not found in nature. It results from the marriage of a need and an idea. Its birthplace is the laboratory.

"Then it gives an interesting illustration from this company's experience. Twenty-odd years ago scientists in its employ produced a form of synthetic rubber which had outstanding qualities. Yet many were dubious as to its practical value, largely because it initially sold for a dollar a pound at a time when natural rubber sold for a nickel.

"Still, the company had faith in this new product of the laboratory. Millions were spent to (Turn To Page Four)

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Final Rites For Henry Lenz Are Scheduled Today

Final rites for Henry A. Lenz, 60 year old Cisco farmer-carpenter who was killed Monday by lightning, were to be held at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday at the Gospel Assembly Church with the Rev. L. C. Anderson, pastor, officiating. He was to be assisted by the Rev. Bob Partain of McAlester, Oklahoma.

Mr. Lenz was struck by lightning bolt at about 6:30 p. m. Monday while picking cotton in a field just east of the city limits. He apparently died instantly. His body was discovered by Mrs. Lenz when she went to look for him after he failed to return home at his regular time. She found him in the field at 7:30 p. m. and summoned aid.

He had been a resident of Cisco for the past 20 years where he engaged in farming and in carpentry. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Gospel Assembly Church. He was born in New Berlin, Texas, on May 3, 1894.

Burial was to be in Oakwood Cemetery under the direction of Wylie Funeral Home. Pallbearers were to be Lloyd Bilbrey, Garland Williams, Allen Jackson, Olie Williams, Everett Suggs and Louie Melton.

Survivors are his wife of Cisco; three daughters, Mrs. Stewart Statton and Mrs. Tommy Partain of Cisco and Mrs. James Couch of Garden City; two sons, H. D. Lenz of Brady and Doyle Lenz of Abilene; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lenz of Cisco; two sisters, Mrs. Mike Berger and Mrs. Odie Wooten of Cisco; four brothers, Walter, Alvin and August Lenz, all of Cisco and seven grandchildren.

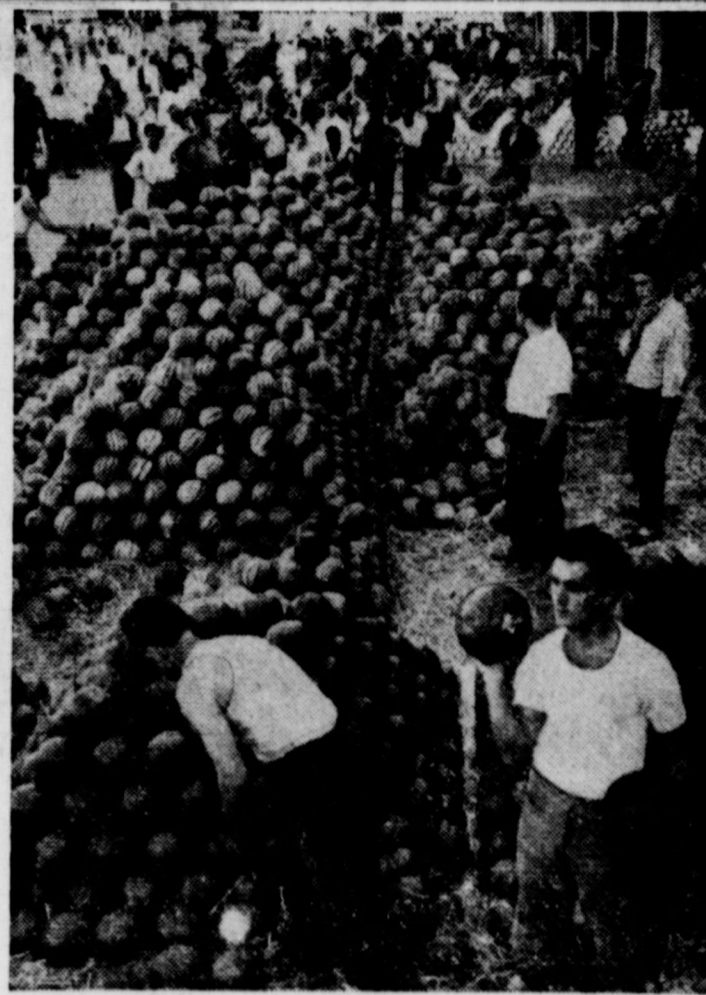
Civil Service To Hire Assistants

A number of Junior Professional Assistant positions are to be filled in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Arkansas immediately. Beginning rate of pay is \$3410 per year. Persons employed in these positions will interview, assist and advise claimants, beneficiaries, and other persons, and adjudicate claims for benefits filed for old age and survivors' insurance. A written test will be given and experience or education is required for consideration.

For early consideration for employment, applications should be filed not later than September 7, 1954, with the Director, 8th U. S. Civil Service Region, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas. The nearest post office can provide application forms or information about where they may be secured.



NO PROBLEM HERE — Terry Turnaukas of Cleveland is holding a couple of wild animals in her arms, but right now they're gentle as babies. In fact, the leopard cubs are babies and won't present Terry with any real problems for some time. Her dad is a zoo expert and brings baby wild animals home for special feeding when necessary for their survival.



ENOUGH FOR ALL—Or so it appears from the piles of watermelons stacked up awaiting sale to customers who swarm through a market place in Rome. Special trains bring the melons into the Eternal City every night, and the fruit comes in from farmlands all over that famously fertile country.

LITTLE LEAGUE ORGANIZATION MEETING PLANNED FOR FRIDAY

A meeting for the purpose of reorganizing the Cisco Little League into an independent organization will be held at 7:30 p. m. Friday at the community room of the First National Bank. All Cisco business men, and men and women fans were invited to attend the meeting and to help with the organization.

In the first two years of the operation of the Little League it has been under the jurisdiction of the ABC Club. It was the plan of the ABC Club to turn the league over to an independent organization after the program got under way. At the last meeting of the ABC Club it was decided to turn the league and the franchise over to the independent organization after it was formed. The meeting Friday night was called to form the independent organization.

Also to be discussed at the Friday meeting will be the building of a new ball park for the exclusive use of Little Leaguers. Plans for the 1955 season will also be made at the meeting.

Under the proposed plan the Cisco Little League will operate under an independent committee

during the 1955 season. The committee will elect its own president and directors, and handle the details of play. It was stressed that everyone interested in the welfare of the youth of the community should attend the Friday night meeting.

Mrs. Buchanan Is Called By Death; Service Pending

Mrs. Nancy Buchanan, 72, a resident of Cisco for the past three years, died at the home of a son in Lubbock at 9 a. m. Tuesday.

Mrs. Buchanan had been visiting in the home of her son for the past month. The body was brought to Cisco late Tuesday by Wylie Funeral Home coach and will lie in state at the funeral home until time for the services.

She came to Cisco three years ago from Putnam where she had lived for some 40 years. She was born in Dickens County on December 21, 1881. Her husband, W. A. Buchanan, died on December 17, 1950. Mrs. Buchanan was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Thursday at the East Cisco Baptist Church with Elder C. L. Casey of the Cisco Primitive Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery under the direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. O. C. Hicks of Compton, Arkansas, Mrs. S. L. Seastrunk of Abilene, Mrs. W. J. West of Cisco and Mrs. R. R. Williams of Seagraves; two sons, H. H. Buchanan of Lubbock and G. A. Buchanan of Port Neches; a sister, Mrs. Sophonia Notgrass of Cisco; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Lottie Teague of Cisco; and 13 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Rural Fire Truck Assists At Olden

The Cisco Rural Fire Truck went to Olden last Sunday afternoon to help firemen from Eastland and Ranger put out a blaze that burned off some 200 acres of grass land owned by the Tobe Martin heirs.

Chief Sutton Crofts and Firemen H. O. Anderson and H. L. Ferguson accompanied the Cisco rural truck to the fire.

Ben Cagle, 15-year old son of Mrs. Eula Cagle of Olden, suffered painful injuries when he fell from a jeep during the fire fighting. His condition was described as satisfactory Tuesday at the Eastland hospital.

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Putnam News

Mrs. Carl Wallace of Tyler has returned to her home following a visit in Putnam with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Mobley, and her sister, Ruth. Mrs. Wallace is county school supervisor of Smith County.

Miss Mildred Yeager of Dallas has returned home following a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Yeager, and sister, Ruth. Miss Yeager has a government position in Dallas.

Mrs. Powell and daughter of Dallas has returned home following a visit in Putnam with her sister, Mrs. Lewis Williams and family.

Nat Williams, superintendent of the Lubbock schools, visited his mother, Mrs. Louie Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams and daughter Friday.

Clyde Haney visited Mr. and Mrs. George Biggerstaff Friday.

Raymond DeBusk of Cross Plains and Bill Webb of Burkett were visitors in Putnam Thursday.

Gale Eastman of Amarillo visited briefly in Putnam Thursday en route to Baird.

Mrs. Oliver Culwell, who returned home with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Eugleberg at Annapolis, Maryland, is expected home Sunday.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, III, has had as her guests during the past week, her sister's children of Seymour.

Mrs. Lena Kelley returned to her home in Fort Worth Thursday following a visit in Putnam.

Mrs. Guyton has returned to Putnam following an extended visit in California with her daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Daring.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark were visitors in Baird and Abilene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton White and children have returned from a visit with his brother, Orvil White, and family at Muleshoe.

Mrs. Buford Allen and son, Lou David, spent the weekend in Putnam with her mother, Mrs. B. Moore, and her sister, Eva.

Fay Jobe and family have returned to his base at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Everett and children of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Everett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete King and son, Edward, of Fort Worth were transacting business in Putnam Monday. They also visited relatives and friends.

Mr. Kertner of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Biggerstaff Sunday en route to Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Everett Sunday.

Gale Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams, will leave Friday for Lubbock where she will enter high school to complete her senior year. She also plans to further her musical education there. Nat Williams, uncle of Miss Williams, is superintendent of the Lubbock schools.

Lewis Williams left Monday morning for Smith County and other points in East Texas. Mr. Williams is a government cattle inspector.

Mrs. George Biggerstaff has received word of the death of her cousin, Joe Riddle, who passed away in the Hendricks Hospital in Abilene. Mrs. Biggerstaff attended the funeral at Abilene Monday afternoon.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, Sr., attended a family reunion Sunday at Winters. Harry Barkley, cousin of Mrs. Shackelford, flew down from New York for the occasion.

Mrs. Sunderman entertained with a Stanley party Thursday.

Bill Lloyd of Levelland is expected for a weekend visit with his mother, Mrs. M. L. Lloyd.

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City Schools Report Increase In Enrollment For New Term



WAITING FOR ITS TOPPER—The lower half-shell of a 250,000-gallon stainless-steel-clad water tower rises skyward at the General Motors Technical Center in Detroit. When the upper half is placed on the tower it will bring the structure's total height to 132 feet. Three steel columns, each six feet in diameter, support the tower.

1,137 Students In Classes First Day

One of the largest student bodies in recent years was enrolled in Cisco schools as the 1954-55 term got underway Monday morning, according to a survey of the various schools today.

At the close of the opening day, figures revealed that there were 1,137 students enrolled in all the public schools, an increase of 59 over the same date last year and an increase of 77 over the number on the rolls at the close of the 1953-54 school year.

East Ward and West Ward showed the largest increase with 19 each. The high school showed an increase of 13 and junior high had an increase of four. The negro school also had an increase of four.

The figures for the schools are as follows:

High school — beginning of the 1954-55 term, 306; beginning of the 1953-54 term, 293; end of the 1953-54 term, 271.

Junior high — beginning of the 1954-55 term, 292; beginning of 1953-54 term, 288; end of 1953-54 term, 285.

East ward — beginning 1954-55 term, 140; beginning 1953-54 term, 121; end of 1953-54 term, 138.

West ward — beginning of 1954-55 term, 383; beginning of 1953-54 term, 364; end of 1953-54 term, 354.

The negro school began the 1954-55 term with 16 students. That school had 12 at the beginning and end of the 1953-54 school year.

In addition to the above there will be some 30 to 40 students enrolled in the Lutheran school from the first through the sixth grades.

Cisco will send six negro students to the Eastland County high school for negro students in Eastland this year. Three students from Cisco were enrolled in the school last year.

Mr. Bint said that the school program began this year with less problems than ever before and that the program appeared better than in recent years. He said that the teaching staff was complete and that the teachers were above the average for small schools.

45 PLAYERS ARE PRESENT FOR FIRST WORKOUT OF WRANGLERS

Some 45 prospective Wranglers were on hand to greet Coach Red Lewis Wednesday morning as Cisco Junior College held its first drills in preparation for the 1954 football season.

Included in the group were 14 returning lettermen and some 31 other candidates.

The time Wednesday morning was spent in exercises and running in order to limber up for a rough practice session Wednesday afternoon. Coach Lewis planned to go into bodily contact drills at the afternoon session.

Most of the boys arrived at the college campus Tuesday, but a few arrived early Wednesday. The boys are living in the dormitory and are being fed at the cafeteria.

Plans call for holding drills twice daily through September 7. Lewis was expecting additional boys to arrive within the next few days. His plans call for keeping at least three full teams for the coming season which opens at Chesley Field on September 11.

Lewis is being assisted this year by Joe Stephenson, who has had playing experience in Arkansas and coaching experience in Arizona. He was on hand for the initial drills Wednesday morning.

Strawn Exes Will Hold Homecoming Event This Week

Strawn's gala 1954 Homecoming, staged annually under sponsorship of the Strawn Ex-Students and Ex-Teachers Association, will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 3, 4 and 5. J. E. Guest, president of the Exes organization, recently announced.

One of the most interesting and impressive programs in the history of the annual homecoming has been arranged for this year's big three-day affair.

Ex-students and ex-teachers of Strawn and visitors from neighboring counties, cities and communities are cordially invited to attend the gala three-day affair.

The program has been scheduled as follows: FRIDAY, Sept. 3—6 p. m., Street Carnival, 9 p. m., Free Street Dance, East Front Street. Music by Joe Louis Poydock Band.

SATURDAY, Sept. 4—8 a. m., Registration begins at Homecoming Tent; 9 a. m., Motion Pictures of previous Homecomings, Strawn High Auditorium; 10 a. m., Homecoming Parade; 1 p. m., Reunion and Gab Fest at Homecoming Tent; 2 p. m., Football Game, Strawn High Greyhounds vs. May Tigers; 4 p. m., Old Fiddlers Contest at Homecoming Tent; 6 p. m., Old Fashioned Barbecue at Homecoming Tent; 9 p. m., Homecoming Dance, Music by Red Woodard and Orchestra.

SUNDAY, Sept. 5—11 a. m., United Homecoming Church Services at Homecoming Tent; 2 p. m., Old Time Singing at Homecoming Tent.

Firemen To Bring Variety Show To City In January

The Cisco Volunteer Fire Department announced Wednesday that they had booked the famous Lee Grable Review for an appearance in Cisco on January 28 or 29 at the high school auditorium.

The Lee Grable show is a variety performance with Grable booked as the world's greatest illusionist. The show has been presented in many of the world's largest theaters. The show comes to Cisco highly recommended by the Mineral Wells fire department. The show was presented there before an audience of 4,000. It is also recommended by the Sweetwater Lions Club, and many other organizations over Texas.

Grable will bring to Cisco some 10 tons of baggage in his specially built transport to put on the \$100,000 production. There are six people in the company. The feature of the show this year is the floating piano act.

The fire department plans to use proceeds from the show to purchase needed equipment for its use.

Country Club Plans Family Night Supper

Members of the Cisco Country Club will hold a family supper party at 7 p. m. Friday at the club, according to an announcement today. Members were asked to bring covered dishes and, if they wish, to bring guests.

The announcement said that an entertainment committee for September was appointed, as follows: Mrs. J. W. Sitton, chairman, Mrs. Zan Burroughs, Mrs. Marshall Jones, Mrs. W. B. Wright and Mrs. Gene Abbott.

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ACADEMIC FREEDOM

What should be the attitude of university administrations and the teaching fraternity as a group toward communist teachers? That has long been a big question in this country, and endless words have been written in an attempt to answer it. An impressive contribution to that literature has now been made by Dr. Frank Munk, Professor of Political Science at Reed College, in an article printed in the Portland Oregonian. Reed is a small institution in point of numbers but it has a national reputation. Dr. Munk's discussion is made the more significant by the fact that three members of the Reed faculty, cited for alleged Communist party membership, refused to testify before a Velde Committee hearing on constitutional grounds, and one of them has since been suspended by the trustees.

Dr. Munk has more than a theoretical knowledge of dictatorship — a Czechoslovakian by birth, he has lived under both Nazism and Communism. He stands solidly for academic freedom, which means, among other things, the freedom to take an unpopular position. He believes that the congressional investigations are justly subject to criticism. But he also says: "Is it not true that many intellectuals are only playing into the hands of congressional investigators by their deliberate blindness to the

existence of conspiratorial Communist groups in the campuses of some of our best colleges and universities? . . . Would the investigators have had their field day had the academic profession been more sensitive to infiltration and more cognizant of the threat from the extreme left? Does liberalism always have to be one-eyed — seeing the enemy on the right but not the one on the left?"

Dr. Munk points out that the real question is what degree of academic freedom is possible — whether it should be unlimited or not — and asks: "Does academic freedom protect teachers who espouse and propagate communism, fascism or any other totalitarian ideology — of which this century probably will see a few more?"

He clearly thinks the answer here is No, and he quotes with evident approval from the Harvard University report on Communist professors, which said, in part: "We think membership in the Communist party by a faculty member today, with its usual concomitant of secret domination by the party, goes beyond the realm of his political beliefs and associations. It cuts to the core of his ability to perform his duties with independence of thought and judgment. . . . It is beyond the scope of academic freedom."

Then Dr. Munk explains why the Communist party is fundamentally different from all other political movements extant in this country. Its members act as agents of an unfriendly foreign power. It provides the apparatus for an underground conspiratorial movement which would destroy our system of government and replace it with a dictatorship — a dictatorship which Dr. Munk describes as that "of the oligarchy ruling the Communist party." On top of that, Communists feel no obligation to the truth, which in itself, in his words, is a denial of "the very foundation of academic freedom."

Dr. Munk goes into considerable detail and summons much factual and historical evidence in making his case against Communist teachers, and it is a powerful case indeed. Finally, he believes the solution lies with the teaching fraternity. To quote him once more, "Ultimately academic freedom will only survive if it will be equibrated by academic responsibility to the profession itself and to the larger community."



HIGH HOPES — Inside the bulky para-rescue suit being adjusted by two U. S. Air Force men in Los Angeles is nine-year-old Mike Martin, who hopes to be a pilot. Mike's an orphan at the Boys and Girls Aid Society Home in Altadena. He appeared on a TV show and expressed his wish for the future. As a result, he was treated to a full day of Air Force life at March Field.



ONE THAT GOT AWAY — Boston catcher Sam White (22) lands almost in the laps of his teammates as he skids to a halt at the Red Sox dugout in a vain effort to snare a foul by Yankee pitcher Bob Grim. A Red Sox colleague raises both his arms to prevent White from toppling down the dugout steps. The game, played in New York, was won by the Yankees, 14-9.



OPTICAL ILLUSION—The high man on that ladder appears to be about to touch the top of the famed obelisk in Paris' Place de la Concorde. But he's actually surveying the area and marking dimensions for a platform to be used by officials during a celebration in the French capital.

Vets Questions And Answers

Q — A veteran friend of mine forgot to pay his GI insurance premium when it was due, and he died during the 31-day grace period. Will his beneficiaries receive his insurance proceeds, or are they out of luck?

A — Inasmuch as the grace period had not expired, his beneficiaries will receive the insurance proceeds, minus the unpaid premium.

Q — I am enrolled in a two-year business course under the Korean GI Bill. I understand I am entitled to 30 days' absence a year. If I don't use up all my absences the first year, can I carry over the rest to use in the second year?

A — No. Unused absences may not be carried over from one year to the next. During your second year you still will be allowed no more than 30 days' absence — regardless of how many days you used up your first year.

Q — I bought a house with a GI loan. Recently my house was completely gutted by fire. Would it be possible to have my GI loan rights destroyed, so that I can buy another house?

A — Yes. It is possible, under the law, to restore your GI loan rights. However, VA must be free from liability on the original loan. Your nearest VA office can provide you with all the details.

Q — I have just been separated from service, and I intend to apply for Korean GI term insurance. What's my deadline?

A — You must apply, and pay your first premium, within 120 days after the date of your separation. Remember, 120 days is not always four calendar months, so be sure you apply within the 120-day period.

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FOR SALE — Wyondotte and Lehigh crossed pullets. Phone 81. 192

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FOR SALE — 30 young mutton goats, extra good quality. Phone 967-J-2. Breckenridge highway six miles from Cisco. J. H. Reynolds. 191

FOR SALE or trade — Good big used Frigidaire. Would trade for anything of value. Phone 788.

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FOR SALE or Trade — 240 acres of good land, improved, in Scurry County. Would trade for small stock farm in Cisco area. R. F. Leard, Route 1, Hermleigh, Texas. 196

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Lost

LOST — Green and brown parakeet. Answers to name of "Cutie." \$5 reward. Mrs. G. E. Ware, trailer house at 906 E. 9th. 192



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LOST — Parker 51 pen. Phone 405-W. Reward. 191

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WANTED — One E Flat alto saxophone; second hand, must be in good condition. Contact Harold Thomas, band director. Phone 1266. 193

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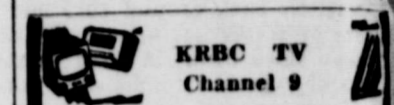
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4:00—Homemakers Fiesta
4:30—Daily Devotions
4:40—Music of the King
4:45—Preview
4:55—News Headlines
5:00—Katie Krewe (NBC F)
5:25—Crusader Rabbit
5:50—Palomino Playhouse
6:30—Evening Report (L)
6:45—Industry on Parade
7:00—Red Skelton Revue
7:30—Arthur Murray Party
8:00—I Married Joan (NBC F)
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10:15—Movietime
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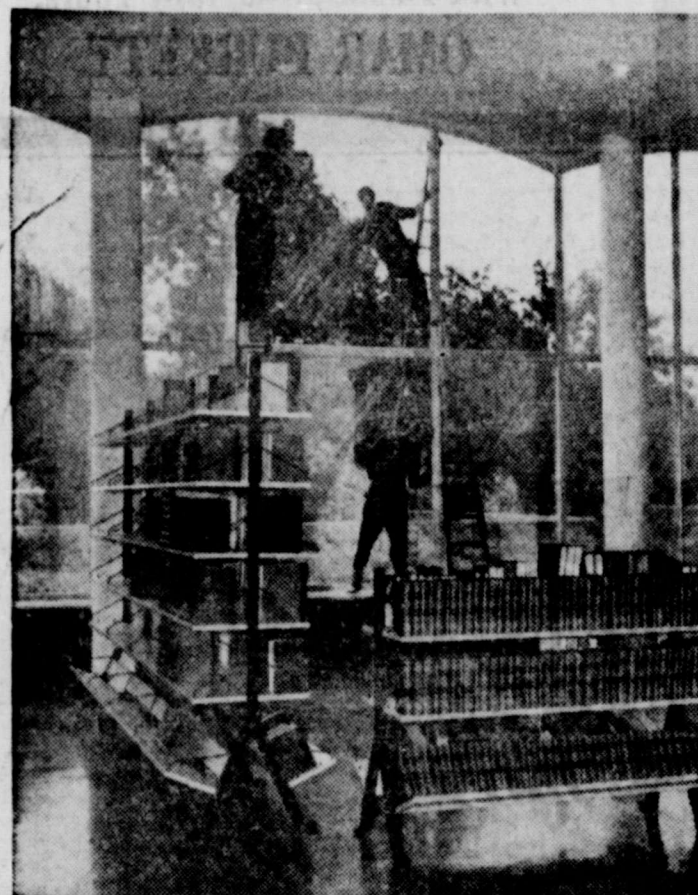


LIVE TROPHIES — When big game hunter Jack Larson, of Quincy, Mass., arrived in Brooklyn from the Gold Coast of Africa, he had a lot to show for his trip. Monkeys were hanging from his belt, his neck and his arms. Larson got some other animals, of course, but they weren't as easy to manage for a photo as were the playful simians which seem to enjoy captivity.

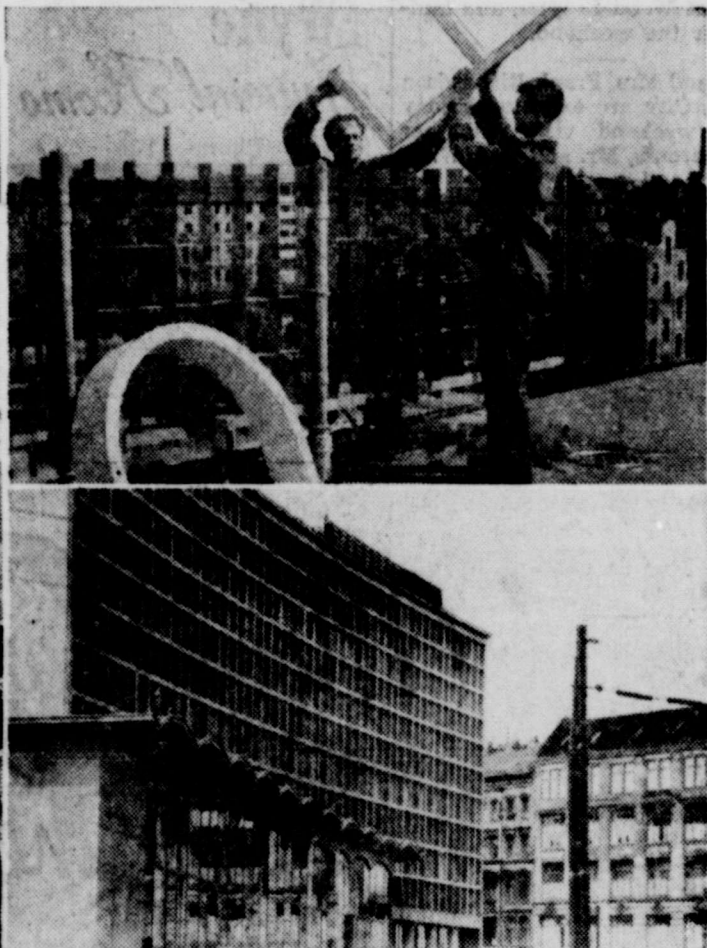


HELPING OUT—Singer Mrs. Ella Mae Tomevi, left, of Paterson, N. J., and former nightclub entertainer Mrs. Marion Kaufmann, of New York, are crippled by polio. They're learning to adjust their crutches at the New York Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation and are offering their talents to help the Foundation's Emergency March of Dimes drive.

FRIENDSHIP LIBRARY



GOOD NEIGHBORS—Scheduled to open in September is the new American Memorial Library in the U. S. sector of Berlin. Built for \$1,250,000, it is the largest public library in Europe. Huge windows in the reading rooms are shown being notched in the new memorial to the friendship of the



U. S. and West Berlin. Workmen are installing huge letters, top right, which will be operated by neon, across the front of the building to mark it. The modern, curved facade of the library contrasts oddly with older architecture, below. Cornerstone for the 650,000-book library was laid in 1952.

ALL WORK AND NO PLAY MAKES A DULL MARINE



Marine Pfc. Ralph W. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Major W. Brown of Route 1, Brownsboro, Tex., is crowned "King for a Day" at Camp Gattin, Oahu, T. H., by Marine Lt. Col. Bruce Hillam as a part of the camp's recreation program. He was selected by a drawing held for the 1st Air and Naval Gunfire Liaison Company. The honor entitled Pfc. Brown to demand his most secret wishes for a day and have them granted.



The hula troupe which entertained at the King's noon-day coronation banquet received personal thanks from His Majesty after a lunch of T-bone steaks, corn-on-the-cob, strawberry shortcake, watermelon and a Hawaiian salad bar.



Waking at the Marines' regular rising hour at 6 o'clock, King Kirkbride issued a command from the royal bed to a group of fellow Marines, sending them out on a hot field problem while he stayed behind to enjoy the regal comforts of his title.



The greatest test of the monarch's power came at 9 a.m. when he ordered breakfast in bed served by his Top Sergeant, Marine MSGT. J. D. Kirkbride of Omaha, Neb. To serve His Majesty Kirkbride was required to wear a chef's hat and cook's apron; he also had the honor of lighting the King's after-breakfast cigar.

Legal Notice

AN ORDINANCE ORDERING AN ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER A COMMISSION SHALL BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A NEW CHARTER, PROVIDING FOR THE ELECTION OF A COMMISSION TO FRAME SUCH CHARTER AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Commission of the City of Cisco in Eastland County, Texas, as follows:

(a) That an election be held at the City Hall in the City of Cisco, on the 25th day of September, 1954, to be participated in by the qualified voters of said city, for the purpose of submitting to said qualified voters the question "Shall a Commission be chosen to frame a new charter?", and electing a Commission of fifteen persons to frame such charter, should the majority of the qualified voters voting on said question vote in the affirmative and appointing George Davis judge of said election with authority to appoint such assistants and clerks to assist in holding the same as he may deem necessary.

(b) That said election be held as provided for by the charter of the City of Cisco and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas.

(c) That the ballot to be used in said election shall be substantially as hereinafter set out:

You may vote for the proposition "Shall a Commission be chosen to frame a new charter?" by writing an X in the box by the word "Yes," or you may vote against the proposition by writing an X in the box by the word "No" as follows:

"SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A NEW CHARTER?"

() "Yes"

() "No"

Regardless of whether you have voted for or against the proposition: "Shall a Commission be chosen to frame a new charter?" vote for a Commission to frame such charter in the event a majority of the voters voting at such election vote in favor of choosing a Commission to frame this charter.

The fifteen persons whose names appear below were selected by the City Commission to serve as a Charter Commission. You may vote for those persons by writing an X in the box by their names or you may vote for other persons by writing their names on the lines opposite the names of the persons selected by the City Commission and drawing a line through the names of the persons you do not wish to vote for; but do not vote for more than fifteen persons. Those selected by the City Commission to frame a new charter in the event a majority of the voters voting at said election vote in favor of choosing a Commission to frame a new charter, are as follows:

- () E. E. Addy Jr. _____
- () Jack Anderson _____
- () W. B. Cates _____
- () Joe Clements _____
- () R. E. Grantham _____
- () W. P. Guinn _____
- () C. E. Higginbotham _____
- () E. L. Jackson _____
- () Sam Kimmel _____
- () James P. McCracken _____
- () S. H. Nance _____
- () R. L. Ponsler _____
- () J. B. Pratt _____
- () A. G. Sander _____
- () W. B. Wright _____

(d) That should a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election vote in the affirmative on the question "Shall a Commission be chosen to frame a new charter?" then, after the Charter Commission has completed its work and submitted the new charter a second election shall be held at the date designated by the Commission chosen to frame the new charter in conformity with the laws governing such election, to determine whether the new charter shall be adopted.

(e) That notice of this election shall be given by publication of a copy of this ordinance signed by the Mayor and attested by the Secretary of the City of Cisco, Texas in each issue of some daily or weekly paper published in the City of Cisco, Texas, for not less than 20 days immediately preceding the date of such election; and the posting of a copy of said ordinance at the City Hall in Cisco and two other public places in said city for not less than 20 days preceding such election.

(f) That the fact the present charter of said City of Cisco is inadequate and the importance of the proposed ordinance creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read on more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance such rules are hereby suspended and it is ordered that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

After said motion was made and seconded the ordinance was read in full and thoroughly discussed by the City Commission. Therefore the Mayor called for a vote upon said motion and Morrison, Cluck, Britain and Hansen Commissioners and Sitton Mayor Protem voted for said motion and



MIDDY FASHION — Balenciaga's middy ignores natural body lines in Paris to fall in a straight line from a collared scoop neckline to mid-thigh, atop a straight slim skirt. The sleeveless ensemble, tied with two enormous self-bows, is done in navy cotton ottoman. It's this season's popular style.

Hope Diamond To Be Displayed At Texas State Fair

A collection of diamonds worth over ten million dollars worthing the famous Hope diamond, will be the central exhibit in the new air-conditioned Women's Building at the 1954 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 9-24.

Surrounding the diamonds will be a fabulous display of fine furs, couturier gowns, lingerie, millinery, leather goods, textiles and other high-style items appealing to women, simulating a window-shopping tour through the world's swankiest shopping districts.

Edith Head, winner of several Academy Awards for film costumes will be present at the fair with the Oscar-winning clothes she designed for the movie "Roman Holiday." A cobbler will show how a hand-crafted shoe is put together, a leading perfumer will introduce a new fragrance especially for the fair, and there will be an exhibit showing how an evening gown evolves from processes that begin in a South Texas oilfield chemical plant.

The diamond display will glitter around a manikin wearing the "Court of Jewels," a collection of priceless gems that one time adorned the crowned heads of Europe. Rough stones also will be shown, along with the finished gems in settings for the hair, throat or wrist.

The entire high-fashion display is something entirely new to fairdom, General Manager James H. Stewart said, and will give the new women's building a sparkling sendoff.

More than 65 leading fashion manufacturers will have displays in the exhibit, and they are drawn from all over the world. One shoe firm now has representative visiting London, Switzerland and Paris to bring the latest European designs to the fair. A Bavarian leather firm will show the latest in sportswear, and there will be sweaters from Scotland. Gowns designed in Paris along with "made in Texas" fashions will give the show a truly international flavor.

First Baptist WMU Has Meeting Tuesday

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Ward for a social honoring Miss Marie Borst, missionary volunteer.

Games were played under the direction of Mrs. E. H. Cheves and Mrs. Ward. Mrs. C. E. Whitmire, W. M. U. president, presented the gift to Miss Borst in behalf of the W. M. U.

Punch was ladeled by Miss Kitty Lou Pippet assisted by Misses Bertie Donham, Bobbie Jean Hagaman, and Melba Rae Harrelson.

Approximately 40 members and a guest attended.

Mr. and Mrs. John Speir have returned from a visit in Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

-0- voted against it. Thereupon the Mayor declared said motion and ordinance adopted.

Passed signed and adopted this the 24th day of August 1954.

/s/ J. W. Sitton
Mayor Protem

Attest:
/s/ Hal Lavery
City Secretary

CLUB TO MEET

The Word Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. E. Stansell. All members were urged to attend.

Miss Martha June Morehart has returned to Andrews where she teaches in the Andrews High School after spending the weekend in Cisco with her mother, Mrs. B. E. Morehart.

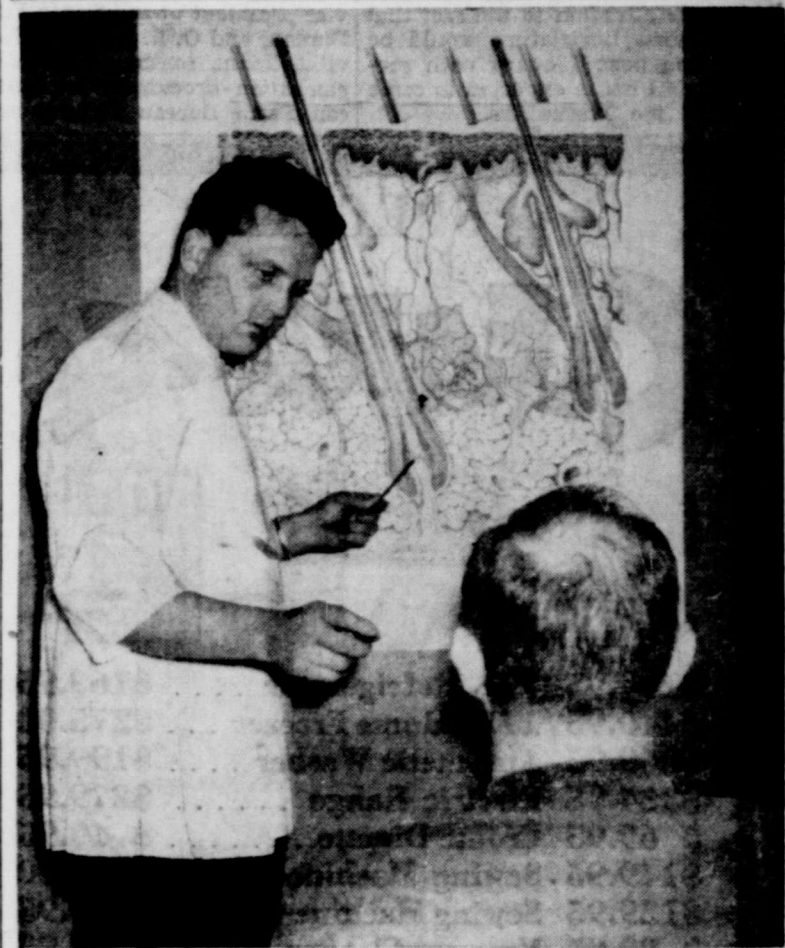
Mr. and Mrs. H. Ford Taylor of San Angelo are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance.

Dana Thornton left Tuesday for Grand Prairie where she will teach in the schools.

Irvin Brunkenhoefer will leave Thursday morning for Houston where he will attend the University of Houston this fall.

Mrs. J. W. Cousins and Barbara have returned from a visit with relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burzenski were called to Sarasota, Florida, Sunday due to the death of his father.



Famous Trichologist Will Demonstrate How To Grow Thicker Hair . . . And Guarantees It!

This new method of home treatment for saving and growing thicker hair will be demonstrated in Cisco, Texas, Thursday ONLY, Sept. 2, 1954.

These private demonstrations will be held at the Victor Hotel on Thursday ONLY, Sept. 2, 12 noon to 9 p. m.

Oklahoma City, Aug. 25. — In an interview here today, William Keele, internationally famous trichologist and director of the Keele Hair and Scalp Specialists, Inc., said: "There are 18 different scalp disorders that cause most men and women to lose hair. Using common sense, a person must realize no one tonic or so-called cure-all could correct all the disorders," he explained.

GUARANTEED

"The Keele Firm, recognizing that most people are skeptical of claims that hair can be grown on balding heads, offer a guarantee," Keele said.

Once a person avails themselves of the Keele treatment his skepticism immediately disappears. To insure this, we offer this guarantee: "If you are not completely satisfied with your hair progress at the end of 30 days your money will be returned."

HOPELESS CASES DISCOURAGED

First the Keele specialists are quick to tell hopeless cases that they cannot be helped. But the "hopeless" cases are few. Only if a man is completely, shiny bald is he in the lost category.

If there is fuzz, no matter how light, thin, or colorless, the Keele firm can perform wonders.

Every one is given a complete private examination to determine the condition of his scalp, and cause for his hair trouble.

FREE EXAMINATIONS

This examination is very thorough and highly technical, it requires 20 to 30 minutes. There is no charge for this examination and no appointment is necessary. After the examination he is told

the required length of treatment and how much it will cost.

After starting treatment, he makes regular reports to the Keele firm in Oklahoma City, and a trichologist will return to check his progress periodically.

To spread the opportunity of normal, healthy hair to the thousands who are desperately looking for help the Keele firm is sending specialists to various cities throughout the United States to conduct examinations and start home treatment.

NO CURE-ALL

"We have no cure-all for slick, shiny baldness," Keele emphasizes. "If there is fuzz, the root is still capable of creating hair and we can perform what seems to be a miracle."

There is one thing Keele wants to be certain every man and woman knows. If a recession appears at the temples or a spot begins to show up on the crown of the head, there is something wrong and it should be given immediate attention.

HAIR FOR LIFETIME

"If clients follow our directions during treatment and after they finish the course, there is no reason why they will not have hair all the rest of the lives," Keele said. "Our firm is definitely behind this treatment, it all depends on the individual client's faithful observation of a few simple rules."

HOW'S YOUR HAIR?

If it worries you call Trichologist R. Rance Pierce at the Victor Hotel in Cisco, Texas, on Thursday ONLY, September 2, 12 noon to 9 p. m. The public is invited. You do not need an appointment. The examinations are private and you will not be embarrassed or obligated in any way.—Adv.

References: Financial First Nat'l Bank and Trust Co. of Oklahoma City Oklahoma.

Note: Trichologist Pierce will be in Abilene at the Hotel Drake on Friday, Sept. 3.

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Farm Bureau To Hold Meetings To Study Policy

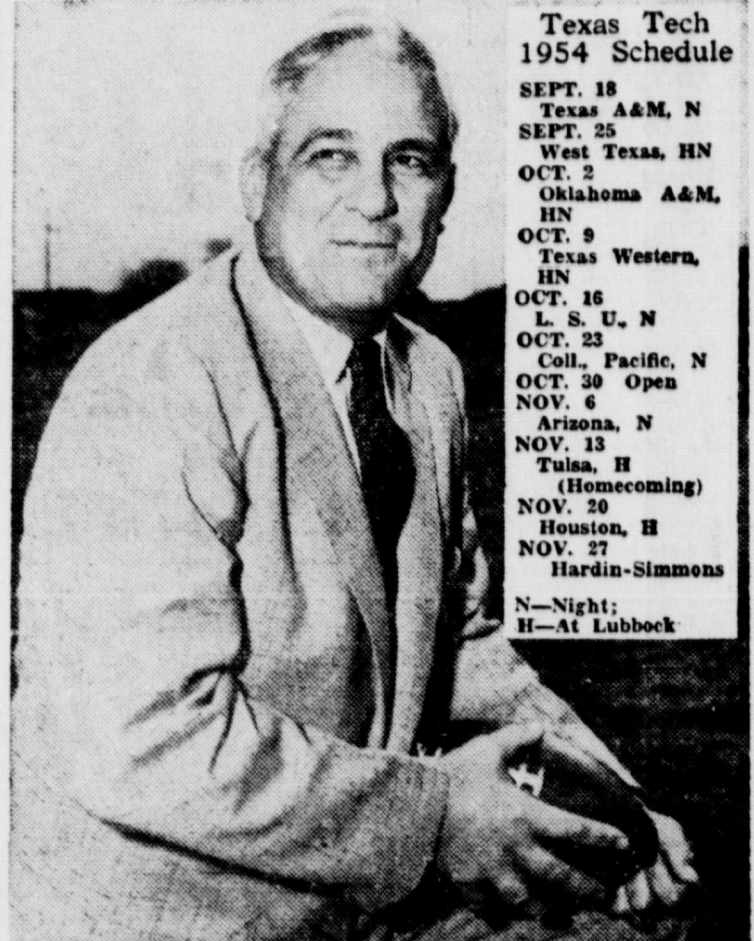
Farm Bureau leaders in Texas will gather in 13 district meetings this month to discuss current issues and lay plans for developing new Farm Bureau policies for next year.

The meeting for this area will be held Sept. 21 at Brownwood. State and national issues affecting farmers and ranchers will be discussed, according to J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau. In a letter to county leaders urging them to attend the sessions, Hammond called their attention to the fact that the Texas Legislature would be meeting next January with several vital issues expected to come before the lawmakers.

"There will be an intensive effort to increase the funds provided for road building, which will involve a new source of revenue," Hammond stated. "Some of the proposals to raise this additional revenue will be an increased tax on gasoline, abolishment of the tractor gas refund, a tax on natural gas, a state sales tax, or a state income tax."

As for national farm issues, the state farm organization leader said that the problem of diverted acres is one of the most serious problems facing agriculture. "Developments would indicate that farmers may be deeply concerned with reference to regulations pertaining to diverted acres," Hammens said.

Speakers at the meeting will be C. H. DeVaney of Coahoma, vice-president of the Texas Farm Bureau; and O. R. Long, of Nashville, Tenn., southern region organization director for the American Farm Bureau Federation.



SOUTHWESTERNER OF THE YEAR in 1953, Coach DeWitt Weaver sends his Texas Tech Red Raiders against a rugged schedule that will make it difficult for them to repeat last season's accomplishments. Tech loses seven starters from the team that won the Border Conference title, led the nation in scoring, and beat Auburn 35-13 in the Gator Bowl.

Texas Tech 1954 Schedule

SEPT. 18 Texas A&M, N
 SEPT. 25 West Texas, HN
 OCT. 2 Oklahoma A&M, HN
 OCT. 9 Texas Western, HN
 OCT. 16 L. S. U., N
 OCT. 23 Coll. Pacific, N
 OCT. 30 Open
 NOV. 6 Arizona, N
 NOV. 13 Tulsa, H (Homecoming)
 NOV. 20 Houston, H
 NOV. 27 Hardin-Simmons

N—Night; H—At Lubbock

The Black Gap Wildlife Development in Brewster County on the fringe of Big Bend National Park. The Eastern Wildlife Development, involving a series of deer-turkey restoration areas in Angelina, Polk, Tyler and Sabine Counties, has been granted \$24,000 and \$28,000 goes for the Panhandle Game Management Survey set up to determine the status of wildlife species and to supervise the harvest and other routine. Big Horn Sheep development in the Black Gap country is allowed \$32,000. This project calls for transplanting brood stock from Arizona.

MEETING POSTPONED

The first meeting of the First Industrial Arts Club scheduled for September 2 has been postponed until September 9 due to the absence of the president, Mrs. E. L. Jackson. The meeting September 9 will be held at eight o'clock p. m. at the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hildreth and daughter, Paula Sue, of Dallas spent the weekend in Cisco with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hageman. They were accompanied home by their son, Mark, who has been in Cisco for the past week visiting his grandparents.

R. H. Dunning was called to Knoxville, Tennessee, Tuesday evening due to the serious illness of his brother, George Dunning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lilly of De Moines, Iowa, visited his sister, Mrs. Wood Broyles, and family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson of Bay City are expected Friday for a weekend visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Latch.

Gay Philosopher — — —
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develop it and find uses for it. Manufacturing plants were built. The cost was brought down, while that of natural rubber rose. Finally the product caught on, and consumption doubled and tripled year after year.

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A highlight of the meetings will be the district Queen Contests. Winners will receive a wrist watch, a week's stay at a resort hotel and an expense-paid trip to the state convention. The state queen will receive an expense-paid trip to the AFBF convention in December in New York.

Game Agency Is Working On 24 Major Projects

AUSTIN, Sept. 1. — The Texas Game and Fish Commission currently is working on twenty-four major wildlife restoration projects.

The budget for this program, according to the Director of Wildlife Restoration, calls for expenditure of \$698,400.

Under the Pittman-Robertson Act, designed to stimulate general interest in sparing wild game from extinction, \$524,800 of the allotted funds will be covered. This leaves only \$174,600 to be charged to Commission funds.

Originally, the Game and Fish Commission began its own restoration program in 1938. Then the Federal Act brought new momentum resulting in broadening and intensifying the movement.

The largest single project involves both game and fish improvement combined in the Sheldon Reservoir Management Area Development near Houston. The total calls for \$147,400 for the year.

Other major items are \$50,000 each for the Engeling Wildlife Management Area Development in Anderson County and the Kerr Wildlife Management Area Development in Kerr County.

In the far western part of the state, \$38,000 is earmarked for



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