



Farm Bureau Week, Oct. 21-28 Is Proclaimed by Texas Governor

Gov. Beauford H. Jester has proclaimed October 21-28 as Texas Farm Bureau Organization week in recognition of this important phase of our Texas life.

PROCLAMATION BY THE Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME WHEREAS, farming and ranching activities in Texas afford the principal income of a vast majority of its inhabitants; and, WHEREAS, the farming and ranching business is one of the leading industries of Texas; and,



BY THE GOVERNOR: Beauford H. Jester

Lions Share Food With Wives and Teachers, Have Fun

Fun, food and fellowship, the old standbys of gatherings, were strongly in evidence Tuesday night at the school cafeteria when the Lions had their annual combination Ladies Night and party for the teachers.

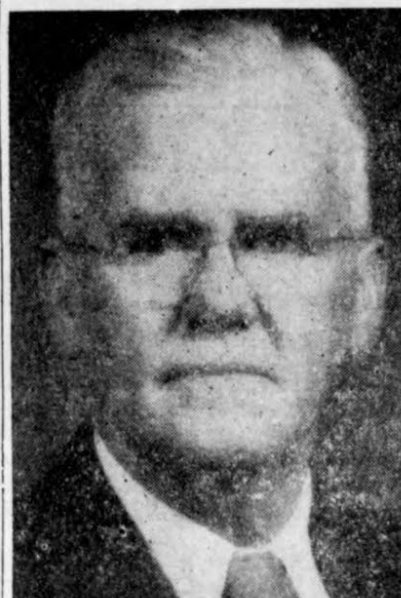
Favorites Chosen At High School

As is their wont, students of Iowa Park High School this week selected the most and runner-up most kids in school. As was to be expected most of the most were seniors and many of the runners-up were juniors.

City Council Acts to Save Water For Use of Texas Municipalities

Twenty-three Club Opens Season in Brilliant Fashion

Maintaining a custom of many years standing, the season's activities of the Twenty-three Study club were inaugurated at a re-assembly luncheon Thursday, Oct. 14.



MAYOR CURTIS SEWELL

Hide, Boys, the Warriors Are to Be Here Oct. 29

With no game this weekend, the Hawks are rounding into shape to meet Valley View here next Friday, October 29.

Water was the main topic for consideration of the Iowa Park city council on Tuesday night of this week when they met for a regular monthly session.

Present besides the mayor, the city secretary, the council members and the city attorney was Al L. Reed, who presented to the council the recommendations of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce concerning Joint Resolution 24.

Plans for Annual Banquet Made At C.C. Meet

An adjourned meeting of the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce board of directors was held on Thursday evening last week in the City Hall with J. C. Horn presiding.

WSCS Continues Study of Geography Series

The fourth in a series of lessons titled "On Our Own Door Steps" was presented Monday by Mrs. W. E. Stockton and Mrs. Miles Thompson to the members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service as they gave special attention to the topic The Panama Canal Zone and the Virgin Islands.

Volley Ball Girls Start Practices

Mrs. Ruth Lucy called out the girls volley ball players this week to start practice for the coming season of play.

Student Talent Entertains for PTA Meeting

The second PTA meeting of the current school year was held at the school last Thursday. Theme of the meeting was "Health" and the main speaker was Mrs. A. Campbell of the Wichita county health unit.

Hawks Lose to Holliday, 6-0

Although the Iowa Park Hawks dropped another conference game last Friday night on their home lot to the team from Holliday, they continue to deserve and win the respect and admiration of their fans.

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C. H. Holloway Buys Jarrell's Grocery

Another major change in business management in Iowa Park was completed this week when C. H. Holloway replaced Mrs. Ruth Jarrell as owner of Jarrell's grocery and service station.



P.T.A. President Hazel George

Park Confectionery Is Sold by Bart Rogers

Alton Long of Wichita Falls became the new owner of the Park Confectionery in Iowa Park on Thursday of this week.

Rodney Weaver Has Job with United Gas

Rodney A. Weaver began work Tuesday for the United Gas office in Iowa Park. His duties will include office work, reading meters, and taking care of service calls.

Card of Thanks

We are grateful to the many friends and neighbors who extended their sympathy and thoughtfulness during the illness and at the death of our son and brother Walter Ray.

Notice

Picture of the "Cake-Baking Contest" are available at the Blake Smith Studio.

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Bancrofts Entertain Many Relatives

Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bancroft, 309 West Bank, came from far and near during the weekend for a reunion. Many brought baskets of food and helped in preparation of the meals which were a source of real enjoyment and fellowship for Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft and Joyce and Peggy Curlee, who live with them.

From Oklahoma City came Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Holtzclaw and Richard Curlee, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Curlee and family of Holiday and Mrs. G. W. Anderson and son of Vernon were also present. From Wichita Falls the visitors were Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Norsworthy, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wright, Mrs. Iva Miller. Local people present at the gatherings were Mrs. Alice Allen and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis and daughter.

Five-Week Vacation Trip Enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Roberts

A five-weeks vacation trip to the far west has just been completed by Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Roberts of Iowa Park, and they report a most perfect trip and visits with friends and relatives. The entire trip was made by bus and weather conditions were ideal, according to the Iowa Park couple.

First stop was at Amarillo with their daughter Mrs. Virginia Harris. From there they visited in Denver and went on to Cheyenne where his brother Jerry Roberts lives.

The trip took them to Salt Lake City, Reno and San Francisco where two nephews Robbie and Lewis Roberts reside. Their son George who lives in Oakland was the next host and they greatly enjoyed that part of the trip.

From Oakland they journeyed to Los Angeles and saw Mr. Roberts' brother R. R. and then went on to Phoenix where her sister Mrs. George Montgomery makes her home.

The last jump of their travel was from Phoenix to Wichita Falls and there Mr. and Mrs. Roberts were picked up by another daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Sells, who brought them on home.

Baptist Women Will Meet at Church Next Monday at 10:00 a.m.

The Mary-Martha circle of the Baptist church women's missionary union met Monday in the church parlor. After the opening devotional by Mrs. Jim Miller Mrs. Donald Hill led an interesting Bible study. Those assisting Mrs. Hill were Mesdames M. L. Brubaker, Jack Blaylock, H. I. Tatom, E. J. Jinkins, Loyd Bell, E. A. Jones and Jim Miller.

Mrs. Tatom, circle leader, directed a business session.

The Sallee-Morgan circle met with Mrs. Sam Hill. The opening devotional by Mrs. L. N. Lochridge was followed by the Bible lesson conducted by Mrs. Ada Curry. Assisting were Mesdames Hill, Lochridge and J. A. Berg.

Mrs. Lila Traylor was hostess to the Ruth circle with Mrs. Curtis Hill leading the invocation. Business of the circle was discussed under leadership of Mrs. Herman Mitchell.

Bible study on the stewardship of service was taught by Mrs. J. T. West. Mrs. R. R. Brubaker then led the closing prayer to dismiss. Mesdames Charlie Metz, James Easterwood, O. M. Jones, J. C. Searl, Curtis Hill, Herman Mitchell, Earle Denny and Lila Traylor.

Each woman of the Baptist congregation in Iowa Park is urged to bring a donation of canned sweets or pickles to the church Sunday or Monday. The gifts are to be sent to Buckner Orphan Home.

Mrs. E. W. Sumrall will be leader of the Royal Service program which the Sallee-Morgan circle will present at the church Monday at 10:00 a.m. when the W.M.S. meets in an all-day session.



Vacation Time! What a wealth of memories this brings to mind. Or the keen anticipation with which we waited for those trips to the seashore or to the mountains. The wonderful times we enjoyed are still vivid remembrances. But how about the future? Can you look forward to the hazards of that future with the same assurance? You can if you have a nice nest-egg of U. S. Savings Bonds.

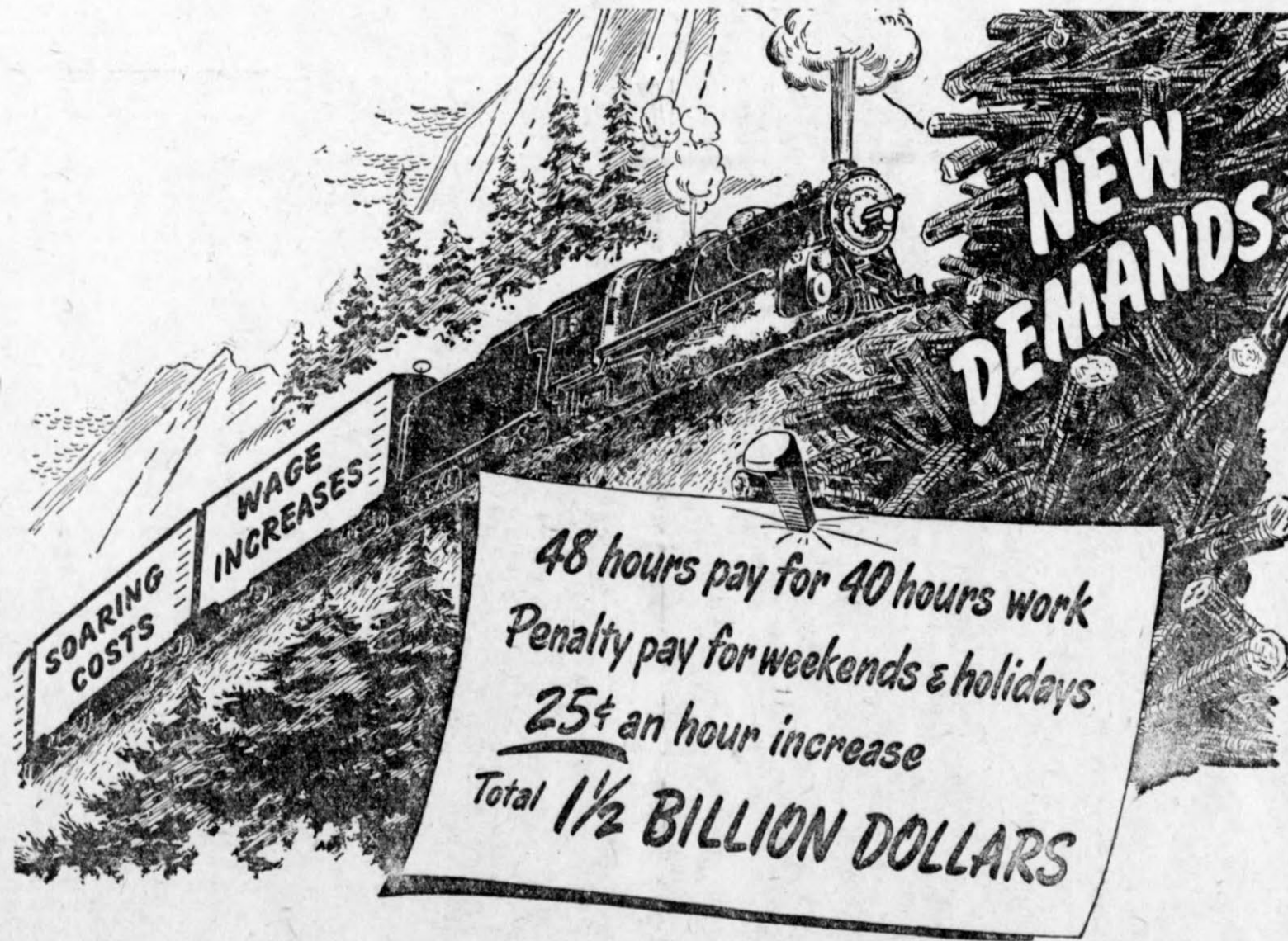
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They also demand a minimum of 12 hours pay for any work performed on Saturdays, and 16 hours pay for any work performed on Sundays and holidays.

On top of all this they want an additional increase of 25c an hour for every employe!

You'd Pay the Bill!

Summing up these demands, they mean that these union leaders seek to force the railroads to give one million employes an annual raise which would average \$1500 per employe!

The total cost of this would be no less than 1 1/2 billion dollars per year, which is more than twice the expected net income of the railroads this year.

You'd pay the bill, because if these increased costs are forced on the railroads,

they must have still further rate and fare increases.

Demands Unreasonable

These employes have had substantial raises during and since the war. Their average weekly earnings are higher than the average weekly earnings of workers in manufacturing industries. They have more job security than the average worker in American industry. They also enjoy paid vacations, a retirement system and other advantages more generous than the average worker receives.

In contrast with the demands of these 16 unions, which add up to the equivalent of 48c an hour, the Conductors and Trainmen recently settled their wage request for an increase of 10c an hour.

Railroads Run for Everybody—Not Employes Alone

The railroad industry must serve not one but many groups—producers, businessmen, shippers, passengers and the general public—night and day, every day of the year. These unions are proceeding in utter disregard of this important difference between railroads and other industries. Industrial plants can be shut down over weekends and holidays, but freight, mail, express and passengers must continue to move. Everybody who enters railroad employment knows this.

Strike Threat

On September 18, 1948, the leaders of these 16 unions began taking a strike vote. But the threat of a strike will not alter the opposition of the railroads to such unreasonable demands!

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(Published in the Iowa Park Herald October 14, 21, 1948.)

Citation by Publication in Delinquent Tax Suit and Return The State of Texas County of Wichita.

In the Name and by the Authority of The State of Texas.

To: Florence Collins, whose residence is unknown, Boyd Collins, whose residence is unknown, the heirs and legal representatives of Florence Collins and Boyd Collins, deceased, whose name and residence are unknown, and the respective unknown heirs and legal representatives of all the above named parties, hereinafter described property and their heirs and legal representatives, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, owning, or having, or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the hereinafter described property delinquent to plaintiff herein for taxes.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that suit has been brought and is now pending in the Honorable District Court, 78th Judicial District, Wichita County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, for itself and Wichita County, Texas, is plaintiff; The City of Iowa Park, Texas, is impleaded party defendant; and Florence Collins and Boyd Collins her husband are defendants, by the filing of said plaintiff of a petition on the 8th day of August, 1948, and the file number of said suit being No. 23892-B and the nature of which is a suit to collect delinquent ad valorem taxes on the following described property, to-wit:

Lots Nos. One (1), Two (2), and Three (3) in Block No. Forty-seven (47), of the Original Townsite of the City of Iowa Park, Wichita County, Texas.

together with interest, penalties, costs, charges, and expenses of suit which have accrued and which may legally accrue thereon.

The amount of taxes due each plaintiff, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs is as follows:

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The names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on said property not made party to this suit are None.

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including plaintiff, defendants, and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 22nd day of November, A.D. 1948 (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Wichita County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, this 8th day of October, A.D. 1948.

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Outing Enjoyed by Presbyterian Youth

Losers in a recent contest, the intermediates of the Presbyterian church school entertained the junior department with a sightseeing tour and picnic last Saturday.

The youngsters visited the Wichita Falls public library, the country club district, and then went to Scotland park for a picnic supper.

Sponsors of the outing were the Rev. Mr. M. C. Yeargan, Mrs. Carl Cobb, Miss Clara Lowrance and Mrs. Gale Lowrance.

Children enjoying the outing were Wilda and Patsy Lynn; Nelda and Eldon Cobb; Marvin Richter; Sammie, Jimmie, Gladys and Joy Shelton; Mary Frances Mayo; Kay Reed, Joline Cooksey; Linton Gale Lowrance; James Williams, Mary Gayle Park, Bobbie and Donnie McManus; and Jerry Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hilbers (she is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Bull of Valley View) were married about a year ago. Soon afterwards Mr. Hilbers fell 40 feet from a derrick and was injured badly. Now recovered the young couple are now keeping house and cooking on a Tappan Range bought of the Bradford Furniture & Hardware.—adv.

Soil Conservation Work Continues Over Entire W-W District

There has been about 3 miles of terraces completed on Melinda Binger's farm this week. They were constructed by Commissioner H. H. Haynes of Electra. Other farmers constructing terraces in the Pumpkin Center conservation group the past month are: Jacob Roessler, 1.5 miles; Elwood Haynes 1.4 miles; Frieda Nieman, 3 miles; Charlie Pace 3 1/2 miles; and Judson Irby 1 mile. Terracing is one means to an end of good conservation farming. After terraces have been properly constructed, a crop rotation that includes a legume should be followed.

Applications for assistance of the Wilbarger-Wichita Soil Conservation district have been received on 160 acres of J. L. Gage, 1500 acres of Gary Lee; 422 acres of Mike Hartmangruber; and 293 acres of the Perkins-Prothro Co.

Stock ponds have been completed on the following farms the past week: Frank Foster, State Hospital, Arthur Ramming, C. H. McKinley and Bullington-Parish. Since our annual evaporation here ranges from 5 to 6 feet each year, it is necessary to construct ponds 12 to 14 feet deep to provide an everlasting water supply for livestock.

Borders have been run and are now in the process of being constructed on 50 acres of Rufus King's farm in the Kamay conservation group. Prior to the building of borders, a carry-all leveled the irregular land, then the 60 ft. land plane, owned by the Irrigation Improvement District, leveled the land. He plans to plant the area to alfalfa. At present King has 250 acres of alfalfa he is using for hay and pasture purposes.

Borders are being run this week on Johnny Williamson's farm southeast of Iowa Park. Technicians of the SCS are running the borders.

There have been 3.5 miles of terraces completed this week on Edgar Siber's farm of the Clara conservation group. F. M. Myers has had 1 mile of terraces constructed on his farm north of Clara. Commissioner Hines' equipment did the work.

Recently the home ec girls of Iowa Park cooked pies on a Tappan range (Bradford's F & H Co. of course), watching them bake through the open glass oven. The girls served the pies to teachers that evening.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bridgers of Vernonia, Ore., were recent visitors with D. C. Bridgers and Mrs. Lue Hill and family.

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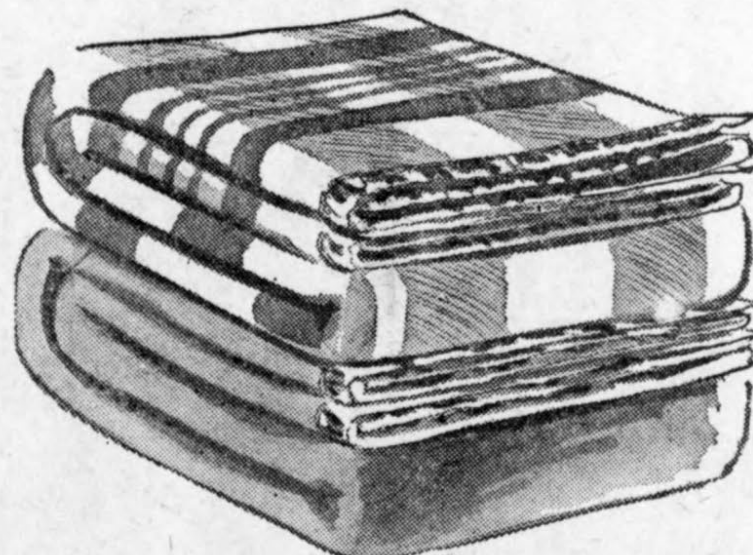
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A few thousand years late, but with promise of abundance, the United States has entered the production lists of one of the oldest and most glamorous of minerals—jade.

Recent commercial development of jade deposits in Wyoming, California and Alaska—estimated to contain many thousands of tons of this gem stone—is stirring new currents in an industry long associated almost exclusively with the Orient.

China, for untold centuries has been the outstanding center of jade carving and trade. The earliest Chinese character for the word "precious" included symbols for jade beads and utensils. Jade has been found in ancient Chinese weights and measures. Cut into various forms to give off sounds when struck, it was made into "musical stones" or chimes centuries before Christ.

It is an odd fact that although jade is known to have been used in strikingly similar ways by prehistoric peoples in both Old and New Worlds, the bulk stone has turned up in comparatively few places.

Archeological expeditions, such as those of the National Geographic Society-Smithsonian Institution to southern Mexico, have uncovered spectacular jade collections in ancient burial sites. But no jade mines yet have been discovered in that part of the world. The only local source of raw materials for such objects would appear to be jade pebbles or boulders found in the stream beds.

Doctors Say Bone Bank Has Great Possibilities

Bone preserved in a frozen state for weeks is of "definite value" in bone-grafting operations, Dr. Leonard F. Bush, Danville, Pa., and Dr. C. Zent Garber of New York report in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

In an article entitled "The Bone Bank," the two doctors say that "if foods, serums and other perishable substances could be kept in a low temperature freezing cabinet, we decided that perhaps this method could be used to preserve bone so that a constant supply would be available at all times."

Experiments were undertaken and it was found that human bone can be preserved apparently indefinitely in a freezer at minus 20 to 30 centigrade.

"Spinal fusions for scoliosis (abnormal curvature of the backbone) and disorders in the lower part of the back, the filling of large bone cysts and the replacement of defects in bone are a few of the common problems in which large quantities of bone are necessary," the doctors point out in their article.

The doctors, in their experiments, used large chinchilla rabbits. Control studies were made. Thirty-two bone transplantations were made by 28 operations on 19 animals. There were no casualties and in only one wound was there a superficial infection.

Protecting Basements
Precautions which home builders should take to insure dry basements include locating the house so that the ground falls away from the foundation in all directions, thus providing natural drainage. Gutters and downspouts should not only be sound and clean but large enough for a capacity downpour. Where there is danger from surface water, the foundation walls should be drained with joint drain tile laid at or below the level of the footing to carry off excess water. When ground water is present near the level of the basement floor, moisture may enter by capillary action. Even solid concrete, properly used and thick enough to withstand pressure, is not watertight without waterproofing. Some waterproofing materials are mixed with the concrete itself. Damp-proof cement plaster may be applied either to interior or exterior walls, or both.

New Hope for Amputee Vets

New hope for the 17,000 war wounded in Britain who lost limbs has been raised by a remarkable artificial hand, just perfected. It has jointed fingers which enable an amputee to tie shoe laces, light cigarettes, shave, write and do dexterous manual work. It has just concluded long practical tests made by British veterans who lost limbs during World War II. The "hand" was invented by a young Irish architect. It is made of wood and metal, and weighs 17 ounces. The hand can get a firm grip by means of small rubber pads set on the inside of fingers and thumb. A larger pad of rubber sponge covers the palm. The controls are connected to a shoulder brace. The wearer has only to exert an almost imperceptible shrug of his shoulder or back to grasp any object he wants.

New Drugs for Nerves

Improved drugs for the relief of frostbite, trench foot and other painful circulatory disorders caused by runaway nerves were described by Dr. Frederick Yonkman of Summit, N. J., at the first national medicinal chemistry symposium sponsored by the American Chemical Society. Many serious conditions result from overactivity of the so-called sympathetic nerves which construct blood vessels, increasing blood pressure locally and, in some cases, even cutting off the supply of blood to parts of the body, according to Dr. Yonkman, who explained that these nerves are stimulated by the body chemical adrenalin.

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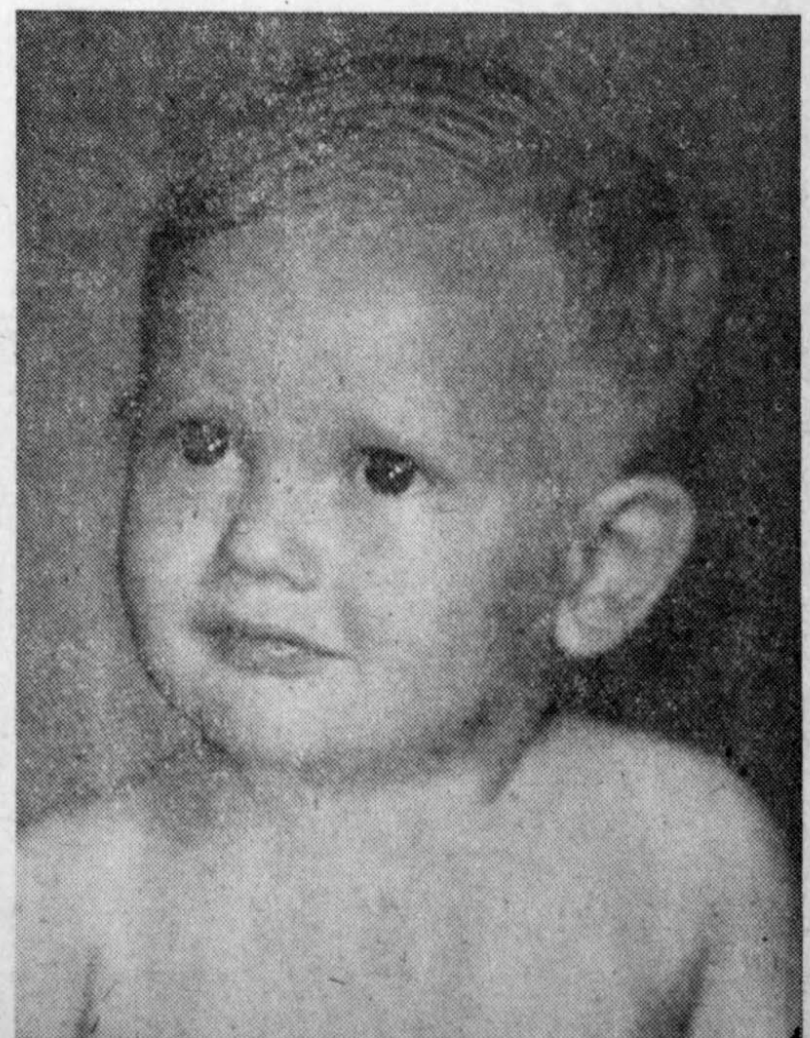


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Baking Contest Here Created Much Interest

Eighty-five entries were registered in the baking contest held Tuesday in Iowa Park. The contest was held for members of the Wichita County Home Demonstration clubs and was sponsored by Bewley Mills in co-operation with the A. and M. extension service.

There were four blue ribbon cakes as follows: Mrs. L. E. Brooks of Iowa Park; Mrs. W. E. Williams of Wichita Falls; Mrs. I. F. Standford of Electra; and Miss Peggy Hall, a 4-H club girl. Mrs. LeRoy Barfield of Wichita Falls was blue ribbon baker of rolls.

Mrs. C. B. Smith of Iowa Park served as exhibit chairman. Judges were Mrs. Ruth Wiley of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Amy Walker, home economist for Texas Electric Service company. The cakes were graded according to texture, taste, moisture and general appearance, and were entered in two classifications, those made with fats, and sponge cakes.

The exhibiting and judging took place at the City Bakery at 10:00 a.m., followed by a program at the First Baptist church, with lunch served at the Methodist church by members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Mrs. Jack Marshall of Electra, program chairman, directed activities at the Baptist church, presenting a varied and timely succession of numbers. Three phases on the topic of the United Nations were given by Mrs. L. E. Brooks, Mrs. F. C. Whistler and Mrs. Jack Marshall. "What Can We Do About Syphilis" was the title of a splendid picture shown by the county health unit. Demonstrations on making lampshades and scoring cakes were given by Mrs. Ed Williams and Mrs. W. T. Flippen of Electra.

Mrs. Floyd Boyd was general chairman of arrangements for the affair, with Miss Cathryn Sands, home demonstration agent, assisting the various committees in their planning.

Pioneers to Celebrate Halloween Next Week

Presbyterian Pioneers will meet at the church on Wednesday evening, Oct. 27 promptly at 7:30 for a Halloween mystery ride and spook celebration.

Details of the event are in the hands of the social activities committee consisting of Miss Sue Rideour and Riley Bomar.

N. E. Guthrie sr. and Scott Ralston went fishing at Possum Kingdom last week. They caught a rather large supply of the finny creatures, one a 20-pounder. Fish dinner at the E. L. Kirkland home last Sunday night made every thing come out even, and sometime soon it will all have to be done over, probably with different fishermen, certainly with different fish.

"TAP ROOTS" COMING TO PARKWAY THEATER SOON

Starring Van Heflin and Susan Hayward, "Tap Roots" comes to the Parkway Theater Saturday night for the preview attraction and will show again Sunday and Monday.

This technicolor production has for its story basis the celebrated novel by James Street. Torrid romance and spectacular dramatic action highlight the plot which concerns a pre-Civil war rebellion against federal authority.

Love scenes as well as the battle sequences are said to be violently realistic and the picture has been rated a masterpiece of sensational movie entertainment. Seen in the top supporting roles are Boris Karloff, Julie London, Richard Long, Ward Bond and a widely publicized newcomer, Whitfield Connor.

Dinner guests in the Dan Sunday home recently were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Alberding of Wichita Falls. The meal featured fish caught in Lake Wichita by Mrs. Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Miss Mary Butcher is spending a two weeks vacation in Corpus Christi with a friend Mrs. Roxie Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Steele went to Eola, Texas, Thursday of last week to visit her mother Mrs. S. J. Killam. They returned Sunday.

Pvt. Angus McCormick from St. Pauls, N.C., who is stationed at Sheppard Field, was a weekend visitor with Miss Clara Lowrance. Miss Lowrance is an old friend of the mother of Mr. McCormick, the two having taught school together in North Carolina.

Mrs. S. E. Hassell and children Pamela and Judy of Garland are visiting in the W. C. Brown home. She is also visiting her mother Mrs. A. O. Holt.

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Surprise Party Given For Mrs. Nannie Smith

Mrs. Nannie Smith was honored at a surprise birthday party at noon October 8 at her home. Members of the T. E. L. class of the First Baptist church school served a covered dish lunch.

Mrs. Smith received many lovely gifts and birthday greeting cards.

Those taking part in the delightful occasion were Mmes. Price, Good, Lochridge, Ferguson, Searl, Griffin, Sullivan, Brubaker, Denny; Mrs. Fox, a niece of Mrs. Smith; Mrs. Fields and Miss Dossia Smith.

Barney Bradford and Clayton Baldwin installed a Jacuzzi electric water pump at Rusty Bradley's at Rocky Point last week. The pump was purchased at Bradford Hardware company.

Mmes. D. O. James, Lloyd Lowe, Taylor George, Archie Bryant, Herman Kight attended the PTA county council meeting in Electra on Wednesday of last week.

Jim Kiel of Iowa Park is sponsoring the appearance of the Hour of Charm girls at Memorial Auditorium, Wichita Falls, Nov. 22.

Mrs. John C. Pirtle and son Clovis of Bowie returned home Sunday after a visit with the Blake Smiths.

Wednesday, Oct. 20, was a great day for Jack Ralston. He was attending a safety meeting of the United Gas Pipeline company and didn't suspect that it was anything but an ordinary safety meeting.

But suddenly Jack was called forward and presented a 20-year service pin which he had earned by working for the company and its predecessor in Iowa Park for that many years.

Mr. Ralston began work in 1928 for a gas distribution system which has since been absorbed by United Gas but the company grants seniority for that work. In 1932 he was transferred to Wichita Falls and stayed there until 1935, when he was returned here. At present he works in the district dispatching office, located about three miles northwest of Iowa Park.

The local dispatching office is the nerve center for the great gas line system built up in Texas by the United Gas Pipeline company.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilson of Chillicothe were visitors with Mrs. May Tanner last Sunday.

I. N. Walden and Mrs. Florence Scott, grandfather and mother of E. L. Scott, have been visiting in his home for the past two weeks. Mr. Walden is here recuperating from a serious illness, but is now doing nicely. Both visitors are from Plainview.



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Mrs. Delta Sims went to Hugo, Okla., last week to attend the funeral of her brother H. M. Williams. Her brother was a retired Frisco railroad man. He had lived in Hugo since 1912. A heart attack was the cause of death.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Custis and daughter Phoebe Jo and Jimmie of Abilene were visitors here with his mother over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Owens and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Butcher were in Weatherford last Sunday attending annual homecoming at the Pythian home for children.

Robert Wilcox, Mrs. Lowell Short, Mrs. Burt Vanhorn and Dwain Lofland were weekend visitors of the State Fair at Dallas.

Mrs. Buddy Tanner went to Altus, Monday with her niece Miss Lawana Brown, who has been a visitor in the Tanner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Levinson were in Dallas, Monday to purchase additional fall merchandise for the Famous store.

Jane Gaunt started work at General hospital in Wichita Falls this week. Jane is a recent graduate of Johns-Hopkins hospital in Baltimore, Md.

Wreck Hurts Two Near Amarillo

Word reached here last week of a car-truck collision 15 miles east of Amarillo at 6:30 Friday morning of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell of San Francisco and Mrs. S. H. Williams of Wichita Falls were in the automobile. A truck side-

swiped their car, overturning it and injuring all three. Mr. Campbell has been dismissed from the hospital but Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Campbell are still in St. Anthony hospital at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hendrick went to Amarillo over the weekend to visit the wreck victims and plan to return there soon.

Mrs. Oran Kelly of Spearman is visiting in the O. R. Kelly home.



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