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Ex-Fireboys O. M. Bell, Swan Reaves, Miles Hines, Bert Van Horn, and Sam Jacks were snapped Sunday visiting with Fire Chief John Nixon. Other former volunteer fire-fighters who visited the new Fire Hall were Scott Ralston, J. D. Craft, Earle Denny and R. A. Dahl, but they left before Chaucey Weller could take the picture.

President's Wife Asks Mothers to Aid Red Cross in Its Projects

Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower this week called on the mothers to support the Red Cross with funds and blood to make sure that gamma globulin and serum albumin—blood derivatives that combat paralytic polio and fight shock—will be available to their children in this country and to their sons in Korea.

In a special statement, Mamie, herself a mother and grandmother, asked mothers throughout the nation to do three things "right away" to help the current Red Cross appeal for \$93,000,000:

1. Make a fund contribution of their own and make sure that other family members and neighbors have contributed.
2. Call their Red Cross chapters with an offer of assistance to collect funds in neighborhoods where there are no solicitors.
3. Sign up for a blood donation at the earliest possible moment.

Iowa Park Invites Neighbors to Track Meet Next Monday

There will be an invitational track meet here Wednesday, April 1, with teams from Seymour, Quannah, Electra, Burk Burnett, Olney, Crowell, Archer City, Holliday, Valley View, Chillicothe, Bowie and Henrietta invited to take part.

The meet is scheduled to start at 2:00 with each 1st and 3rd place winner receiving a ribbon. The school winning the meet will receive a beautiful trophy.

There will be a practice meet here this Friday afternoon with Seymour and possibly two or three other schools participating. Boys working out for the Hawk team are Jimmy Martin, Claburne Lindley, James Williams, Delos Whiseant, Frank Spradlin, Jean Paul Moore, Orlean Shook, Howard Klinkerman, Leonard Luckett, James Fenner, Leon Brown, Thurman Peyton.

The Hawks ended football training last week by dropping a hard fought 7-2 game to the graduating seniors.

For Sale — Modern Shoe Shop building. See A. L. Halbert, 4tp

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Women Plan For May Fellowship

The May Fellowship committee of the Iowa Park Council of Church Women met at 10:00 Wednesday in the Christian church to make plans for the observance.

The May Fellowship program will be presented in the Presbyterian church at 7:30 p.m., May 1, "Our Christian Concern" will be the theme, according to Mrs. Joe Bell, chairman.

Mrs. Black Renamed Tuberculosis Officer

Board of directors of the county Tuberculosis association held a meeting last Friday at the YWCA in Wichita Falls for the election of officers. All officers were re-named for another two years. They are:

Mrs. Joella Terrill Butler, Wichita Falls, president. Mrs. J. L. Clayton, Electra, first vice president. Mrs. Virginia Sheriff, Burk Burnett, 2nd vice-president. Mrs. T. M. Black, Iowa Park, 3rd vice-president.

Miss Maude Moller, Wichita Falls, secretary. Oral Jones, Wichita Falls, treasurer.

Mrs. Black and Miss Moller were selected as delegates of the county unit to the annual meeting of the Texas Tuberculosis association, the American Trudeau society in Mineral Wells, April 10-11. Mrs. Butler will go as a member of the state board of directors. Miss Margaret Hall, executive secretary of Wichita County unit, will appear on one of the programs of the convention.

Miss Margaret Hall and Mrs. T. M. Black were in Berger last Tuesday attending a district convention and dinner of the tuberculosis association. They both were speakers at the night meeting.

Prospects Are Good In Hawk Baseball

The Hawks started baseball practice Monday with some 21 boys reporting. There are many new faces this year. Most of the boys are inexperienced and have shown considerable improvement in the two workouts.

Lettermen reporting to Coach Corbett were Howard Klinkerman, Lee Roy Weiss, Lloyd Klinkerman, James Fenner, Mickey Sewell, Buddy Johnson, Jimmy Eastwood, James Williams.

Boys out for the first time are David Sewell, J. C. Bridges, Leonard Luckett, Charles Knight, Jerry McLemore, Claburne Lindley, Geo. Tatom, Jimmy Jinkins, Tommy Patterson, Dennis Fletcher. Band director C. L. Vaughn is helping Corbett with the coaching.

Americans Must Have Zeal to Win Over Communist Ideology

Mmes. James Sewell, Dave Harbour and Fred Widmoyer attended the First District Federation of Women's clubs convention in Mineral Wells, Tuesday. Theme for the convention was "Re-evaluation of Our Spiritual Heritage," and the outstanding address on this subject was given by Mrs. H. Guy Moore of Kansas. She emphasized the need for us as Christians to match our zeal in Christian living with the Communists' zeal for their ideology.

She said that the trend of sophistication which has bred indifference to our loyalties and to our Christian influence in the community must be changed to revitalize the church through loyal attendance and study, and teaching of the Bible; thus developing Christian communities through being Christians. She paid tribute to President Eisenhower who while yet a general stated that the roots of America is Christianity.

Mrs. Van Hook Stubbs' address on "Trends" deplored the trend to depreciate our capitalistic principles of competition which is also a vital root of our American heritage and our freedoms. Trends lead toward good of people, or weaken them; the trend in thinking has led toward a weakened freedom in hoping to get "something from our government for nothing"; this is false thinking because their benefits are available only through increased taxes.

There is a trend to frown on success in business or personally through competition which is the life of our country. Without competition, incentive to create or grow is lost. Her illustration was that in a class at school, those who had high grades had their extra points shaved off to add to the grades of the lower or falling students—what incentive is there for anyone to apply himself since someone else's efforts will be added, so he doesn't need to try.

The district chairmen reported six awards to the 23 Study club of Iowa Park at that time as follows: Iowa Book, Youth Co-operation, Citizenship, Religion (through using devotionals at each meeting), a plaque for Getting Out the Vote, and an award for the study course on "Strengthening America for These Times."

The General Federation's Americanism department is sponsoring the restoration of Independence Hall in Philadelphia. This will be done through the united efforts of all club groups. Churches and schools are being invited to participate.

NEW RULES MADE FOR REXALL BLUE CROSS GROUP

T. M. Clark announced this week that new rules affecting the Rexall Group of the Blue Cross have been made and are now after policy holders must pay the month on or their insur-

Your C. of C.

By Ruth Hill Yeagan

Knox City disaster relief donations may be left at the Chamber of Commerce office or given to the minister of any of the churches.

PROJECT SHOW—4-H and FFA

The county 4-H club and FFA Project show will be held at the Texas-Oklahoma Fair grounds on Saturday, April 18, at 9:00 a.m.

Plans were made for this show at a meeting of the committee this week. Present at the meeting were B. T. Haws, county agent; J. Bryant, assistant county agent; Wade Bailey, vocational agriculture instructor at Electra; Norman Duke, teacher at Burk Burnett; and J. K. Bradshaw, teacher at Iowa Park.

The four chambers of commerce in the county—Burk Burnett, Electra, Iowa Park and Wichita Falls—will present awards in beef, dairy, hog, rabbit and poultry divisions.

All boys who have their projects entered in the show and the first ten names to be drawn will receive a pocket knife each. Mr. Bryant will present the knives.

The Project show is not an accomplishment show, but a display of each boy's present project.

CAR TAGS

License plates are moving steadily now. Please bring your 1952 License Receipt and TITLE when you come to get your tags.

The Iowa Park substation will be open from 8 to 5 each day but Sunday through April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Payton have had as guests this week their daughter Mrs. J. M. Honaker and children Pamela Gail and Johnny Glenn of Abilene; Mrs. Payton's mother and three sisters: Mrs. Mabel Duvall of Houston, Mrs. R. C. Lister of Fort Stockton and Mrs. A. L. Ramsey of Kamay.

Church of God to Host Citywide Brotherhood

All the men in Iowa Park are invited to attend the Brotherhood meeting to be held next Monday evening at 7:30 in the Church of God. Dinner will be served at 7:30 under direction of Roy Stegall, Ernest Lee, Lester Watson and Steve Brown.

Men of the host church have secured special vocal groups to perform for their guests. They promise a quartet and a duet.

Speaker for the evening will be J. D. Bright of Weatherford, state overseer for the Churches of God.

Since this meeting completes the year for present officers of the interchurch Brotherhood, election of new leaders is on the agenda.

Hail, Rain, Wind Hit Iowa Park

Accompanied by sharp flashes of lightning with resulting loud claps of thunder, a hail, rain and wind storm struck Iowa Park late Thursday afternoon, March 26.

No great damage has been reported. One rain gauge in town showed almost three inches of precipitation fell in about an hour. The hail was of the small variety and did scarcely more than cut a few early leaves off trees.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Clara, Texas F. W. Behrmann, Pastor Saturday, 9:15 a.m.—Religious Instruction Sunday, 10 a.m.—Graded Sunday School Classes and Adult Bible Class.

10:45 a.m.—Divine Worship. Maundy Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Communion Service Good Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Good Friday Service

You are always welcome to worship with us.

Holy Week Services To Feature Preaching At Methodist Church

Holy Week services will be conducted at the Methodist church from Palm Sunday, March 29, thru Easter, April 5, each evening at 7:30, according to Rev. Guy E. Ferdue, pastor.

Mr. Ferdue will deliver a series of sermons under the general heading of "Cries from the Cross."

Easter Sunday morning the sermon subject will be "A New Personality." Infants will be baptized and others will unite with the church.

Easter Sunday evening the choirs of the church will present a program of Easter music.

In preparation for this Holy Week emphasis, seven teams of two men each have been doing visitation this past week.

Valley View to Elect Two New Trustees

Valley View Independent School district board of trustees has called an election for Saturday, April 4, to be held in the elementary school building. Two trustees will be selected.

The places of R. H. McKinlay, who has moved from the district, and L. M. Carnes, who has asked to be retired, are to be filled.

Mr. Carnes has served 10 years, the past five of which he has been president of the board.

Candidates' names filed with the county judge and the secretary of the school board are O. R. (Babe) Moore, Don Waters, Raymond W. Crenshaw, J. Wes Lingle.

The board has named Mrs. Roy Laakey election judge, Mrs. Louis Boniol and Mrs. Swan Reaves, clerks.

Four Men File for Two School Posts

Interest is developing in the Iowa Park school board election set for Saturday, April 4. There are two positions on the board of trustees to be filled, with four names already filed for the official ballot.

Arch Hughes was the first to file for re-election to the board. James Sewell and Ed T. Patterson filed during the past week, closely followed by Joe R. Cope, who is seeking re-election to the board.

According to Bud May, secretary, filings will be accepted until midnight, March 30.

Fred Parkey was named by the board to act as judge of the election. He will be assisted by Mrs. John Tidwell, Mrs. L. C. Perry and Mrs. R. R. Brubaker, clerks. J. C. Searl is an alternate.

The polls will open at 8:00 a.m. in the high school building and voting will close at 7:00 p.m.

Holder members of the board are Bud May, C. E. Birk, D. O. James, Miles Thompson and H. B. Klinkerman.

Road Work Moving Toward Completion

H. L. Stone, in charge of construction of three important road projects in Iowa Park's immediate neighborhood, said this week the dirt work will be finished soon on all three projects. He plans to apply the all weather surfacing on or about May 1, with May 15 as the latest date for final completion.

One Day Tourney Will Produce Volleyball Champs of District

The Hawks Volleyball tournament will be held March 28 at the high school gym with the first match getting underway at 9:30. The schedule will be as follows:

- 9:30—Crowell vs. Holliday
- 10:20—Burk vs. Chillicothe
- 11:10—Iowa Park vs. Seymour
- 1:30—Olney vs. Quannah.
- 2:20—Winner 2nd & 3rd games
- 3:10—Winner of 1st & 4th games
- 4:00—Winner 5th & 6th games.

Price of admittance will be 50 cents for the entire tournament or 25 cents for the morning session and 25 cents for the afternoon session.

Mrs. Glenn Scott, coach of the Hawks, hopes to have a large crowd of local folk yelling for her team. Sandwiches and cold drinks will be sold by members of the junior class.

Mrs. Gerald Walsh will be referee for the tournament. Special feature of the afternoon will be issuing of the new 1952-53 volleyball jackets at the close of the tournament.

Roby Commissioned

2nd Lt. James W. Roby, son of Mrs. J. C. Roby of Iowa Park, was graduated March 20 from the US Air Force Officer Candidate school and will begin extended active duty after a brief leave. Awarding of the commission culminated six months of study and practical application in administration and leadership techniques.

Engagement Revealed

The engagement of Miss Norma Jean Moer to Russell Joseph Noe is being announced this week by the young lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moer of Iowa Park.

Miss Moer is attending school here and is a member of the high school band.

The young man is son of Mr. and Mrs. William Noe of Brighton, Ill. He attended schools in Brighton and is now serving in the air force. He is now stationed at Sewart Air Force Base in Smyrna, Tenn.

Wedding plans will be announced later.

Iowa Park friends attending the funeral last week of K. P. Caldwell's father at Vernon were Mesdames H. M. Mulkey, A. O. Beall, Harrel Sullivan, and Mr. Cleo Jones.

Mrs. Evelyn Cooper of St. Jo visited her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Black last week.



Local Teacher First Applicant for Midwestern M.Ed.

Mrs. M. J. McDonald, Iowa Park High School teacher, was the first to make application for a degree from Midwestern Graduate school. She will receive a master's degree in education with a minor in history in the May graduation exercises.

This will be the first class since the school was opened in the spring of 1951. About 25 graduate students are expected to receive master's degrees at this time.

Mrs. McDonald teaches history and government here. She has been the Hawks Nest sponsor the past two years; coached students in extemporaneous speech, debate and declamation. Her contestants have gone to regionals every year except one. Two years the extemporaneous speaker won first at regionals.

Working on a program of guidance, she has chosen as topic "Understanding Iowa Park Seniors."

Mrs. McDonald has been counselor for the young people of the Methodist church for eight years, a Sunday School teacher and student secretary of the WSCS of the church. She has worked in the summer recreation program sponsored by the Iowa Park Council of Churches Women.

Bertha's home was in Rockingham, N.C. She taught history in high school for 18 years, and in 1934 resigned to join the WACS to serve with the air force. She was stationed at Kearney, Neb., as chief craft dispatcher. She served 30 months, 2 years of it at Kearney.

She and Mr. McDonald were married in December 1945 and they have made their home here on West Aldine since then. She has taught here since 1946.

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Standardized Tests, School Records and Counseling." Tests were given last year's seniors in order to help them discover their abilities and talents and thus enable them to secure work which will be best in keeping with their Interests and abilities. A follow-up is being made of this group in order to be of more service to them. Similar studies are being made of this year's class of seniors.

Mrs. McDonald is also working on a paper about the history of Iowa Park.

She enrolled the first day Midwestern's graduate school opened in 1951 and has straight A's in all her graduate work.

Bertha received the B.A. degree from East Carolina Teachers college, Greenville, N.C., and has done graduate work at the University of North Carolina and Duke university.

The work of the Fireboys in remodeling and renovating their Fire Hall is truly commendable. We join with all in thanking the department for such unselfish civic mindedness.

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★ WCSS ★

Members met at the Methodist church Monday morning when the president Mrs. W. M. Owens conducted a short business session.

Mrs. T. R. Horine taught the 3rd lesson on African Heritage. Mrs. W. E. Stockton offered prayer and Mrs. A. D. Butcher played for the group singing. Assisting with the program were Mrs. G. E. Trammell and Mrs. Guy Perdue.

Others present were Mmes. Carl Sullivan, E. B. Taylor, Fred Widmeyer, Travis Smith, Joe Bell, D. O. Smith, Arch Hughes, Irene Watt, Miles Thompson, T. C. Scott, J. N. George, S. L. Denny, Richey Abernathy, Herman Mahler.

Circle 4 met at the church Monday evening at 7:45 with Miss Mary Butcher in charge. Mrs. Virginia Cammack gave the devotion and Mrs. Emma Gauntt brought the program.

The members voted to become a Guild. Mrs. Lloyd Neeley spoke on the Guild and invited members to be guests of Floral Heights Guild at a meeting in April. Seventeen members and three guests were dismissed with prayer.

Not previously mentioned were Mmes. Esther Thornberry, Lydia Hudson, Ina Parker, Paul Zink, R. E. Waters, John Tidwell, Jim Hatten, M. O. Cheves, L. A. Teal, J. C. Ralston, Tom Watt, LaDell Trimm, Ethyle Kidwell, C. J. Thurber.

★ BAPTIST W.M.S. ★

Gleaners circle met with Mrs. W. H. Keith, Tuesday for visitation. They contacted eight families. In the business session they discussed their contribution to the Easter box for Buckner Orphans home. Present were Mmes. Georgia Simmons, C. P. Pace, T. T. Thigpen, Earl Thompson, O. S. McLemore, Harold Wendt and the hostess.

Blanche Groves circle met for an all day mission and Bible study with Mrs. A. C. Hooten, Tuesday afternoon. Present were Mmes. T. M. Thaxton, D. O. James, Carl McKinnon, L. E. Brooks, Jim Cowden, D. C. Bridgers, Roy Crabtree, Virgil Woodfin and the hostess.

Ruth circle met at the church Monday afternoon for Bible study led by Mrs. James N. Easterwood. Present were Mmes. Maria Stogsdill, Earle Denny, O. M. Jones, L. C. Hill, R. R. Brubaker and Lila Traylor.

Saltee-Morgan circle met with Mrs. Fleetwood Bell, Mrs. J. E. Sewell conducting the business and Mrs. Ada Curry teaching the Bible lesson to Mmes. Urb Farmer, J. E. Sewell, Sam Ferguson, Emmett Harris, George Roberts, J. I. Alvey, J. A. Berg, Sam Hill, Ada Curry, R. B. Chambers, Mary Etta Thompson, Aaron Brubaker, J. H. Wilson, E. W. Sumrall and the hostess.

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★ Soil Conservation

Fred Hanna of Vernon told the District Agricultural Workers of his success with guar recently. Guar is an annual upright summer legume having small purplish flowers grown in the axis near the main stem. According to Hanna, guar produces seed in amounts from 300 to 1000 pounds an acre, green manure up to 12,000 pounds an acre, and increases yields on the crops following.

Hanna's cotton produced a bale to 3 acres following guar, as compared with a bale to 5 acres on adjoining land. Remember the past season was a dry year. Lester E. Brooks, superintendent of Texas Experiment Station at Iowa Park, said the highest yields of grain sorghum on the station followed guar. It also grew successfully for Wymore Downing farming northeast of Wichita Falls.

Seed will be available at Iowa Park at a price of 10 a pound or less. Seeding rate is 8 to 12 pounds an acre in rows and should be seeded with regular row crop equipment, using grain sorghum plates.

Following is a list of questions and answers:

1. What are the uses of guar? Guar is used for green manure, soil protection, mulchage from seed for paper and other industries, and seed production.
2. What are the soil adaptations? Guar is adapted to a wide range of soils. It grows best on sandy loams and lighter soils, but grows on heavier soils that are not puddled or wet.
3. What are the fertilizer requirements? Seems to respond to 300 pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate an acre but will grow well without the addition of phosphate.
4. Shall I inoculate? Use special guar inoculant or nitrogen culture E.
5. When do I seed? At cotton planting time.
6. Do I cultivate guar? Keeping the field clean is necessary for good production.
7. How do I harvest? Use regular field combine.
8. What can I plant following guar? Since guar does not mature until fall and moisture for seeding immediately following the crop may be gone, the technicians for the district suggest that you wait until the following spring before seeding another crop and follow with cotton or some forage crop.

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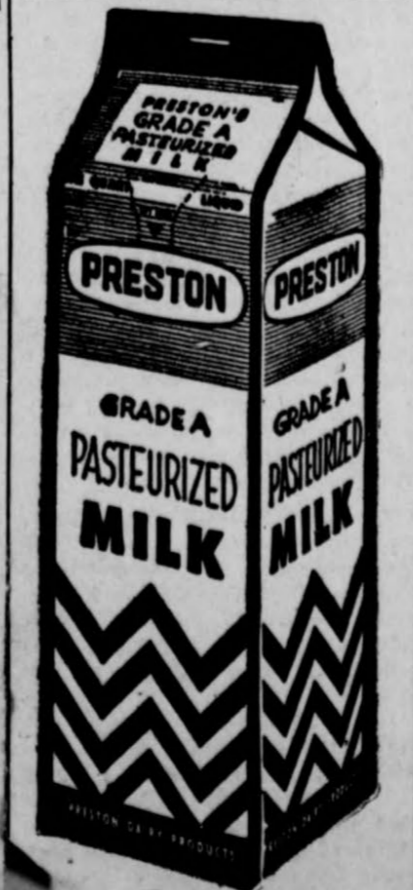
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Juniors

After some of our students have dropped out, our little class has about dripped down to nothing. Jerry Evans decided to visit his uncle Sam for several years, and there are various reasons for the inmates leaving the "House."

Monday afternoon the volleyball girls beat the Burk girls. Don't forget the tournament to be held at the House this Saturday.

Everyone be sure to attend that possibly can. Come out and back the Hawks. Here's hoping we win district again.

Those teachers are just terribly hard on us poor inmates. We're having half of our six weeks tests this week, so you know what that means. We all look like we're half dead. Maybe this could be laid on lack of sleep.

The girls are getting out their luscious summer clothes. We're just simply crushed over this beautiful summer weather.

Be sure and see all the black boys in the Negro Minstrel. There'll be laughs for everyone.

Betty Pybus certainly gets around—she's going steady with a good looking crud. Poor ole David certainly has a hard time keeping her away from Sand Beach.

Another one of our favorite sops is engaged. Congratulations, Mona Ruth.

Janette Dickerson is still going steady with Harold Phillips. You know, this has been going on for several ears. Must be love.

Sunday, Mary Crawford and Betty Pybus ate dinner at the Lindley home. Now, June, you better watch that. Ole Claby and June get along pretty well.

If any of you girls have lost your b.f. this week, go to the IP theater and you'll probably find them climbing the walls.

We enjoyed the All Sports banquet. Thanks to the mothers and teachers for providing us with such a lovely evening.

Ava Watts says she and her b.f. are just simply getting along fine. We're glad she does, when the rest of us fight all time.

Shirley Lee told me Retha Starr has several new girl friends, or maybe it could have been boy friends. How about that, Retha?

Earl Gilbert is a lover boy. He's with a different girl every time I see him.

Mary Ann C. and Burk jr. are still courting. Crawford, how do you do that?

It seems a few of our little female inmates have had a few lectures on "Why Not to Get Married." Now, you little darlings, take heed to this. Robert Wilcox had better hook Beverly T. before she gets any crazy ideas. Same goes for you other lads.

Now all us Jrs are thinking about the trip to Craterville. You little "baby" Srs had better clear the way. No kidding, you Srs are going to be hash. Above all, Srs, bring your swimming clothes.

Cindy Thornberry and Shirley Barron are still on the go. You simply cannot even guess what those two will do next!

Well, this is all the junk I know. Don't forget the volleyball tournament.—Tena Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sikes and daughter Cindy of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Amon White last weekend.

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whispers, "so we don't wake Daddy."

From where I sit, Biff won't be so quick to be a "child-care specialist" the next time. If we could just resist being such "know it alls," our neighbors would be better off. Take those who would deny me a glass of beer with my supper — well, I might not care for the buttermilk they like. We all ought to realize that we all have different abilities and different preferences, too.

Joe Marsh

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It is interesting also that the Greeks developed and used about that time a bronze fish hook almost identical to the ones in use today. It would seem then that the modern fly is but a development and refinement of an ancient achievement.

The fly maker gathers materials from all over the world to produce his lures. Feathers and fur from every nation find their way into his cabinet, sometimes at great price. A single condor feather sells for as much as \$3. Despite the great price paid for some materials the average fly can be tied for a few cents and only the labor cost is responsible for the price of the finished product.

Variations in patterns are unlimited. There are a number of standard flies which have been

named and the methods of tying are definitely fixed. These patterns are probably the best for they have been developed, tried and tested over the centuries. However, local fishermen who tie their own will develop certain variations which suit the immediate locality, sometimes, much better than the standard patterns. The thrill of catching a fish on a fly conceived and executed by a devoted angler is far in excess of that experienced by the fisherman who carries in his tackle box the product of someone else's thought and creation.

In addition long winter evenings offer the fly tier excellent opportunity to relive and take advantage of experience learned along the streams of last summer.

The cost of obtaining materials and tools to begin tying flies is nominal, usually being considerably less than the cost of a good rod and reel. A few evenings of diligent effort will reward the novice with a new skill and enough finished dries, wets and streamers to more than repay him for the cost. Due to the comparatively light demand for such materials only a few houses stock them. Probably the most complete stock in the nation today is maintained by Herters of Waseca, Minn. Their sources of supply cover the globe.

Sometimes larger towns and cities will have a few kits made up for sale which will serve the beginner, though he will soon find himself searching for a greater variation than he finds in his kit.

To those who might take up the noble art of fly tying, I give fair warning. Fly tying is like fishing itself. Once an angler gets the "bug" it is something he has difficulty staying away from long enough to earn his bread and butter.

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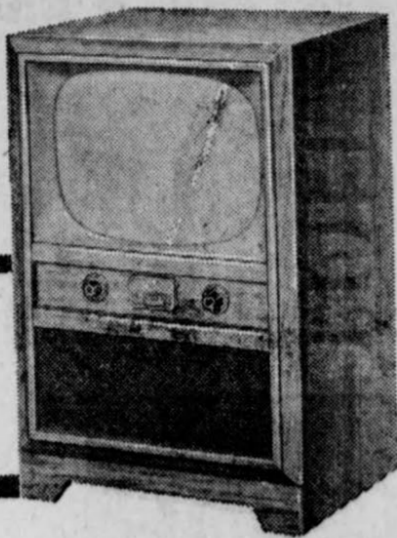
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Earle Denny, Oral Jones Tell 23 Study Club About Finance

Mrs. Lucy Birk was hostess to the 23 Study club Thursday of last week with Mrs. C. E. Birk sharing hostess duties.

Using the theme "Destiny is not a matter of chance, it is a matter of choice; it is not a thing to be waited for, it is a thing to be achieved," Mrs. China B. Smith led the program on public affairs.

Mrs. W. G. Steele presented the

fine arts number in a piano solo, "Etude in C minor" (Chopin).

Mrs. Earle Denny gave a devotional from Ecclesiastes 3 on taking time to do vital things at the proper time and season.

Earle Denny of the Iowa Park Insurance Agency and Oral Jones, public relations agent for a Wichita Falls bank, addressed the club on Public Affairs with a Man's Viewpoint expressed to women.

Mr. Denny discussed "Feminine Focus on Life Insurance," explaining the various kinds of policies; the need for a clear discussion between man and wife of the purposes of the policies purchased. The family income controls the amount

that can be invested in policies. He explained the value of insurance protection of joint members in business; and the need for provision being made for the payment of the policies. He also insisted that care be taken that changes in the provision in policies be made as the family status changes.

Speaking on "Banking and Finance" Mr. Jones advocated estates being developed through insurance. He paid tribute to women's progress in influence and confidence through her great responsibility as the husband's partner in handling business affairs jointly with him. Due to the fact that women outlive men, they own most of the country's wealth, since 80 per cent of life insurance policies have made women the beneficiaries. He said that the more women learn of business affairs the better they can intelligently expend the finances of the families. Upon such economic intelligence depends the strength of our country. Such practices of the family prepares the woman to administer competently the family finances in the event she is left a widow.

Mr. Jones closed with an expression of optimism for prospects of business leveling off into a period of stability. It was his belief that the mental status of the citizen is increased through the challenge of a declining period creating a rebirth of the real values of our nation.

Mrs. G. S. McSteen, social security administration representative, spoke on "What Women Should Know about Social Security," as the final guest speaker. She defined the administration as the departments of health, welfare and education on the national level of insurance. This is likely soon to become included in the president's

cabinet with Mrs. Ovida Culp Hobby at its head. When this present considered act becomes a fact this will be the newest department created since the department of labor was created.

Mrs. McSteen stated that the social security card is an insurance policy for all employed persons. The number thereon remains in continuous use upon the holder notifying the department if the name is changed.

On Jan. 1, 1951, an amendment to the Social Security act provided for insurance also of the self-employed, reported annually.

She concluded by urging everyone to secure records of birth, against some unexpected eventuality arising preventing their ability to establish same if it should be necessary to seek employment.

The hostesses served a dessert plate to the four guests and the members at the social hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hines of Lubbock visited relatives last weekend. Mrs. L. Shelton and Mrs. Gayle Park were in Dallas, Wednesday attending the presbytrial.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burkett of California visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Tanner last weekend.

Tommy Slim of Forney was in Iowa Park Monday to get a load of Coastal Bermuda grass from the Lehman farm. While here he visited in the John Bell home.

Willie Fred Hastings, seaman apprentice, USS Mount Olympus, son of Mrs. Lawrence Shook, will leave for the Caribbean Sea, April 6. His ship is now in dry dock in New York.

Mrs. Thelma Brown and Mrs. Sudie Lovelace attended a school of instruction for Pythian Sisters at Wichita Falls, March 23. Mrs. Brown acted as treasurer from Roman Temple No. 92 at Iowa Park.

Mrs. W. W. Palmer went to Vernon, Tuesday night where she attended a program featuring her granddaughter Wardie Virginia McConnell of Holliday in a benefit ballet dance.

Band Preparing for Contests at Denton

The next event on the band's calendar is the trip to Denton. While the band is preparing its contest numbers, the solos and ensembles are also doing quite a bit of work for individual honors.

Last Saturday the solos and ensembles went to Wichita Falls high school auditorium to audition for the Denton trip. Those who passed and are eligible for competition at Denton on April 11 are:

Piano: Sheri Brooks, Barbara Butts, Sue Geisert.

Vocal solos: Cynthia Thornberry, Ruth Mary Dale, Caroline Sewell. Brass solos: David Sewell, Bruce Hughes, Michael Walker Sewell, Donald Pearce.

Woodwind solos: Joan Archer, Geraldine Entekin, Ira Joe Payne, Caroline Sewell.

Trombone quartet: Donald Pearce, David Sewell, Norman Lee, Marvin Richter.

Flute trio: Caroline Sewell, Norma Jean Moer, Sue Croft.

Clarinet quartet: Ruth Mary Dale, Sheri Brooks, Arlen Shook, Martha Barnhart.

Sax quartet: June James, Shirley Barron, Jewel Thornton, Ira Joe Payne.

Brass sextet: Mickey Sewell, Doylene Morgan, Donald Pearce, Bruce Hughes, Don Owens, Sue Geisert. Drum: Anne Lowe.

Twirling: June James, Maxine Ramsey, Rosetta Reneau, Martha Barnhart, Mary Ellen Roberts, Sue

Croft, Beverly Talley, Shirley Barron.

RUBY WHEAT G.A. VISITS MRS. THOMPSON

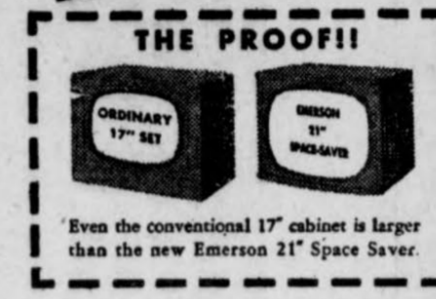
The Ruby Wheat G.A. met Monday at the Baptist church. After the program members took a basket of fruit and went to visit Mrs. Mary Etta Thompson. Attending

were Barbara Tatom, Kay Quick, Norma Kay Engledow, Oleta Williams, Betty Sue Stewart, Bonnie Sue and Jo Ann Callaway, Glenda Young and the counselor Mrs. Callaway and children Judy and Jimmy.

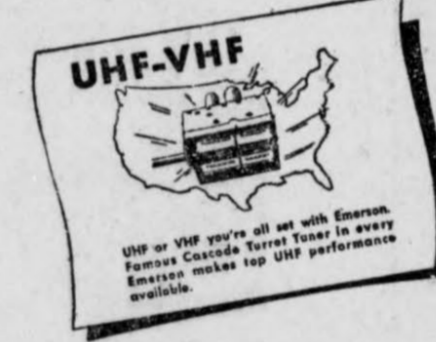
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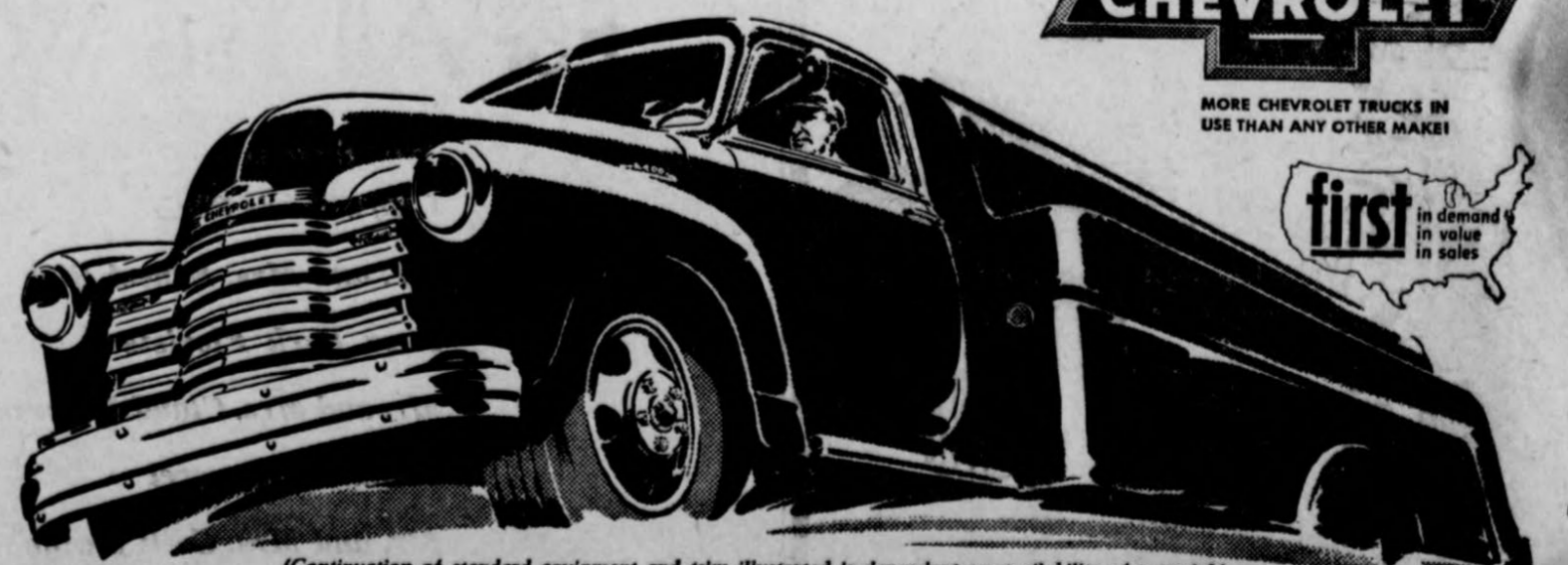
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