



# Iowa Park Herald



Iowa Park, Texas, Thursday, March 25, 1954

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Uhrich and daughter Gloria of Denver, Colo., were guests last week of his mother and father Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Uhrich.

## Reader Ads . . .

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For Sale —  
Thornberry Top Soil, 5 yds. \$10.00  
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## Sweetheart Honored

An FFA sweetheart jacket was presented to Sue Geisert Thursday morning in chapel by Joe Garrison. In the district judging contest at Midwestern last Saturday, the dairy team composed of Eddie Whittenberg, Lloyd Klinkerman and Tommy Patterson won second place and was presented a banner.

The livestock team composed of Boyd Coleman, Donald Cope and John Wesley won third place and a banner.

The land team composed of Douglas James, Gerald Clements and Randall Pierce won fourth place.

Lloyd Klinkerman was second high individual in dairy and Tommy Patterson was fifth, Boyd Coleman was third high in livestock and Douglas James was fifth in land judging.

John E. Sibley, vocational agriculture instructor, accompanied the teams to Midwestern.

Eddie Whittenberg Reporter

## Experienced Counselor Begins Work With Duke Insurance Agency

Miss Birda Cochran, formerly of Wichita Falls and lately of Dallas, has recently moved to Iowa Park where she is associated with the Carroll Duke Insurance Agency.

Miss Cochran is an experienced insurance counselor and executive. She was for 25 years assistant manager of one of the largest general agencies in Wichita Falls. She is recognized by insurance people in this area as a thoroughly qualified insurance counselor.

The Carroll Duke Insurance Agency will continue under the management of Mrs. Duke, with the assistance of Miss Cochran, to give its customers a complete insurance service.

## Seniors Practice for Play Next Friday

The senior class will present the three-act comedy "Here Comes Hatie" in the school auditorium on Friday, April 2.

Those taking part in the play are Valton Lee Watkins, Shirley Lee, Shirley Barron, Keith Keeter, Sue Geisert, Earl Gilbert, Delores Langford, Janette Dickerson and Beverly Barker. Other members of the class will be presented in intermission specialties.

For an evening of good entertainment, buy your tickets from Beverly Talley, Cecil Marquart Jr. or Tena Adams. Reserved seats are 75 cents. Regular admission tickets are 50 cents for adults and 35 cents for students.

## IOWA PARK WINS FIRST IN DISTRICT ONE-ACT PLAY

The Iowa Park dramatics group won first place in the district meet held at Crowell on Monday and Tuesday of this week. The play, "Dark Wind," was under direction of Mrs. O. R. Owens, speech instructor. The cast was composed of Beverly Barker, Mickey Sewell, Cynthia Thornberry and Shirley Barron.

Second and third place plays were presented by Chillicothe and Olney respectively.

The winning play will be presented in area competition to be held in Wichita Falls April 9. Winner of this meet will go to the state contest.

Beverly Barker of Iowa Park was selected by judges as one of the all-star cast for the district.

## Road to Be Surfaced

Resurfacing and leveling work has been authorized by the state highway commission on the south lane of U.S. Highway 287 between Iowa Park and Wichita Falls.

Similar work on the north lane has been completed at an approximate cost of \$100,000. The south lane work is expected to cost about the same amount.

## School News

A meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in the high school auditorium to plan the All-Sports banquet to be given in the cafeteria next Tuesday night. Mrs. D. O. James was elected general chairman. The following committees were appointed:

Menu: Meses. Alan Berry, Joe Baxter, Thompson.

Decorations: Meses. James Sewell, Barker, George Lewis, J. W. Thomas, Archer.

Food: Meses. Fenner, Cope and Luckett.

Program: Mrs. Sllgar.

Tickets: Mr. Elms.

Dishes: Meses. Jones, Klinkerman, Lindley, Fred Lewis, Reed.

Serving: Meses. McLemore, Pyle, Johnson, Archer.

Tickets are on sale at the high school and may be purchased for \$1 each.

Speaker for the program will be Lt. Thomas Huges of Wichita Falls.

## Park Attend HDC Meeting in Seymour

Mmes. A. E. Bailey, John Wesley and A. H. Estes attended the meeting of District III Home Demonstration clubs in Seymour Wednesday, March 24.

Three outstanding events on the program were two addresses: the first "The Changing Environments of Texas Agriculture" by Dr. T. R. Timm, head of the department of agricultural economics and sociology of Texas A & M; the second by Mrs. Eloise Johnson of extension service of A & M, her subject being "Mental Health."

The third was demonstrations by three 4-H girls.

There were 222 club women and 43 delegates present. Each county in the district is allowed 3 delegates.

Wichita county has 15 clubs; 466 4-H girls and 356 4-H boys. Mrs. Bailey is president of the Wichita County Council. There are 289 club members in the county.

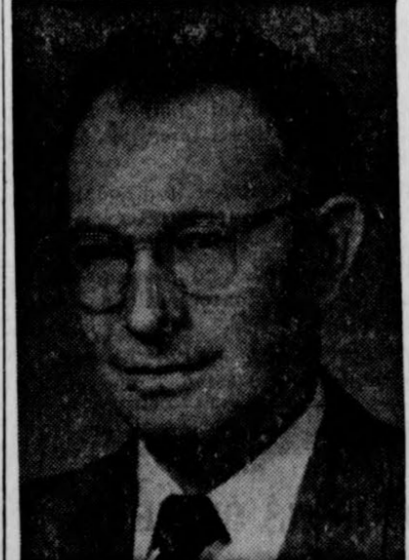
Mrs. W. B. Roling underwent surgery at Wichita General hospital Thursday morning, March 25.

## School Board Filing Closes Saturday

Bud May announced this week that midnight Saturday is the deadline for filing names of candidates for the board of trustees of Iowa Park Independent School district. Two positions are to be filled, those of D. O. James and H. B. Klinkerman.

To date Virgil Woodfin and Justin Butta are the only candidates for these two positions. The election is Saturday, April 3.

Board members whose terms run through another year are C. E. Birk, Bud May, J. R. Cope, James Sewell and Miles Thompson.



## Gospel Meeting to Begin at Kamay Mar. 29, One Week

Brother Willis Jernigan of Commerce, Texas, will do the preaching in a revival to begin March 29th at the Kamay Church of Christ. Due to its nearness, the Kamay folk have cordially invited Iowa Park residents to travel the short distance for an outstanding message. There will be two services daily, 6:00 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.



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## Club Members. Guests Hear Book Review By Mrs. Bala Williams

A little bit of Ireland was transplanted to a local setting Thursday afternoon, March 18, to make the Guest Day observance of the 23 Study club one of the most outstanding of the current club year.

At the invitation of club affiliates approximately 100 guests assembled in the auditorium of the Baptist church for the traditional book review.

Guest artist was Mrs. Bala Williams of Wichita Falls, past president of the Unity club of that city. She has established herself as a capable reviewer both in Denton where she formerly resided and in Wichita Falls.

Introduced by Mrs. James A. Sewell, a long time friend, Mrs. Williams reviewed "Proud Kate," a biography of Catherine Chase by Ishbel Ross. Born in 1840, the brilliant Catherine was a social leader of the Civil War era and later became antagonistic toward Abraham Lincoln because of jealousy and a consuming ambition for her own father to be president of the U.S.

At the age of 16 when her father was elected governor of Ohio she served beautifully as mistress of the governor's mansion. Her colorful life was characterized by popularity, fame and wealth, but after having reached a zenith she suffered an almost ludicrous descent to the commonplace and died in poverty in 1899.

A musical prelude featuring organ and piano numbers by Mrs. R. A. Tanner and Mrs. Otis Gay was the first suggestion of the St. Patrick's Day theme. Their well modulated selections were introduced with "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling" and moved pleasingly from other old favorites to "The Rosary," the concluding offering.

A meditation following the pledge of allegiance to the U.S. flag was contributed by Mrs. China B. Smith who read the adoration of the shepherd based on the 23rd Psalm.

During the social hour held in the church parlor Mmes. C. J. Simpson, China B. Smith, Gibbons Brubaker and L. E. Brooks were hostesses. Mrs. Brubaker presided at the crystal punch service and Mrs. Smith served the white cake squares topped with green shamrocks.

## Alvin Ratcliff Gets Medical Discharge From Navy Service

Alvin Ratcliff, son of H. C. Ratcliff, received a medical discharge from the navy Friday, March 12, at Norfolk, Va.

Alvin had been a patient in the U. S. Navy hospital Fortsmen since Christmas.

He received his training at San Diego before going to Korean waters.

Alvin and his wife will arrive in Iowa Park this week. She is the former Miss Betty Arrington of Enterprise, Ala. They were married last October.

## Band Students Enter Altus Competition

Band students who will enter the solo and ensemble contests at the Altus Band Festival to be held Friday, March 26, have been announced by C. L. Vaughn, director.

Soloists will include Caroline Sewell, flute; Nancy Smith, oboe; Arlen Shook, Jeraldine Entreklin, Joan Archer, Ann Vestal, Kara Ann Smith, Anita Thompson, clarinets; Joe Payne, tenor saxophone; Bobby McManus, Larry Jones, cornets; Bruce Hughes, baritone; David Sewell, Thomas Jones, and Bruce Hughes, trombones; Janice Wilson, Sue Bedford, snare drums; Mary Ellen Roberts, Beverly Sue Croft, June James, Shirley Barron, Joan Archer, Jo Ann Calloway, Peggy Koonce, Margaret Schwalbe, Sara Johnson and Patricia Craft, twirling.

Ensembles will include a flute quartet composed of Caroline Sewell, Beverly Sue Croft, Sara Johnson and Carolyn Whittenberg; a clarinet quartet, Josette Hensley, Anita Thompson, Joyce Stephenson, Ann Vestal; a clarinet trio, Arlen Shook, Jeraldine Entreklin, Joan Archer; a saxophone quartet, June James, Patricia Croft, Shirley Barron and Ira Jo Payne; a brass sextet, Mickey Sewell, Robert McManus, Sue Geisert, Loyd Lewis, J. D. Miller and Doylee Morgan.

The band will also enter the concert and sight-reading contests.

## Mother of Mrs. Euell Spruiell Dies in Wichita

Funeral services for Mrs. Irene Caywood, 65, of Wichita Falls, who died in a hospital there Tuesday, were conducted Thursday in the Lamar Baptist church. Mrs. Caywood was mother of Mrs. Euell Spruiell of Valley View.

Mrs. Caywood had lived in Wichita Falls 30 years. Survivors other than Mrs. Spruiell were two daughters Mrs. Ed White and Mrs. Helen Wood, both of Wichita Falls; a son William Randall Caywood of Monterey, Calif.; two sisters Mrs. James Dewitt of Freonia, Kans., and Mrs. Charles Lazure of Tishomingo, Ok.; and a brother Homer Mount of Detroit, Mich.

## VALLEY VIEW PTA HEARS TALK BY WILKES

Members of Valley View Parent-Teacher association met in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening at 8:00 for a business meeting and program.

Mrs. Amer Lewis, president, conducted the meeting, assisted by Mrs. O. R. Moore, secretary, and Mrs. Weldon Golden, treasurer.

Featured speaker was Supt. Clark Wilkes, who spoke on "What Our School Taxes Provide." Musical entertainment was provided by a rhythm band composed of first and second grade students. Mrs. Otis Gay is conductor.

## Former Parkan Injured In Truck-Car Collision

Osie R. Coats of Wichita Falls and formerly of Iowa Park, was in satisfactory condition Wednesday at Wichita Falls Clinic hospital, where he was taken Tuesday for treatment following a car-truck collision three miles south of Wichita Falls on the Jacksboro road.

He was driver of a pickup that was in collision with a sedan driven by William D. Kehoe of Wichita.

Mr. Coats suffered rib injuries as well as possible internal injuries. His daughter Mary Lee, 12, was treated at clinic hospital for a cut over the left eye and was released. Her smaller brothers Jackie, 9, and Gary, 7, were not hurt.

Mr. Kehoe received a minor cut on the lip. Damage to both vehicles was heavy.

## Camp Fire, Blue Birds Serve Birthday Cake In Lobby of Bank

A large four tier cake was served to more than 200 persons Saturday morning at the State National bank by the Camp Fire and Blue Bird girls. The cake was served in honor of the 44th birthday of the Camp Fire organization.

The large confection was decorated with the crossed logs and flame of the Camp Fire girls, the Blue Bird of happiness of the Blue Birds and the red feather of the Community Chest. The top of the cake was decorated with red roses.

The cake was served to the public by the following four groups of girls: the Happy Blue Birds of Mrs. Joe Price, the Bright Eyes Blue Birds of Mrs. Tom Compton, the Cheerful Blue Birds of Mrs. N. E. Seay, and the E Ha Wee Camp Fire girls of Mrs. Howard Engledow.

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## ★ Park Clinic News

Mrs. Floyd White had surgery Friday, March 19.

Joyce Lunday had her tonsils removed Friday, March 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Good announced the birth of a daughter Saturday, March 20.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moss of Holliday announced the birth of a daughter Tuesday, March 23.

Kenneth Scott underwent surgery Wednesday, March 24.

Mrs. T. A. Blaylock had surgery Wednesday, March 24.

Gale Bradley, son of F. O. Bradley underwent surgery Wednesday, March 24.

**CHAPEL SUNBEAMS MEET**  
First Baptist Chapel Sunbeam Band met Tuesday afternoon with their leaders Mmes. Pat Kingcade and J. R. Stewart. They meet each Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 for stories, missionary activities, games and handwork. The Sunbeams are auxiliary to the Mission circle which meets at the same time with Mrs. R. E. Jackson as leader and Mrs. L. P. Adams as chairman. This week 18 children were present.



## Carroll Duke, 57, Insurance Broker and Civic Leader, Dies

Funeral services for Carroll Duke, 57, insurance broker and businessman, were conducted Wednesday afternoon, March 24, at 2:00 in the Baptist church with Rev. H. M. Riek, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park of Wichita Falls under direction of Tanager Funeral Home of Iowa Park.

Mr. Duke had been a patient in Bethania hospital for one week when he died Monday morning following an extended illness.

Carroll was born July 14, 1896, at Texarkana, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Duke.

After seeing active duty in World War I, Mr. Duke became associated with the First National bank of Iowa Park, now known as the State National bank. He later became president of the bank. With the establishment of the Carroll Duke Insurance Agency, he resigned his bank position and devoted all his time to insurance and income tax accounting.

On May 19, 1923 he married Miss Georgia Lou England in Seymour. They have lived here since that time.

Carroll was a member of the Baptist church and was a deacon for many years. He had served as church treasurer for 14 years prior to his resignation in 1953. He was well known throughout this area, having served as president of the Lions club and as a member of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and with many other civic and church organizations and activities.

Mr. Duke is survived by his widow; two daughters Mrs. Russell Brown of Villa Platte, La., and Miss Lou Ann Duke of the home address; his mother Mrs. Gertrude Duke and brother Eugene Duke, both of Texarkana; a sister Mrs. George Smoot of Wichita Falls; and two grandchildren Nancy and Melanie Brown of Villa Platte.

Active pallbearers were T. J. Pace, C. E. Birk, George R. Huckaby, Sam Hill, W. M. Owens, W. C. Probst of Iowa Park; W. R. Bradford and Howard Renfro of Wichita Falls.

Honorary pallbearers were the board of deacons of the church and members of the Lions club.

Other out of town relatives attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. Grady England, George Smoot of Wichita Falls; Mrs. W. E. England, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Neathery of Seymour; Mrs. C. J. Norton and daughter Pat of San Antonio; and Russell Brown of Villa Platte.

## Religious Education Specialist to Preach Sunday Morning

Dr. Paul O. Cardwell of Dallas will preach at the Methodist church here Sunday morning at the 11:00 o'clock service.

Dr. Cardwell is the executive secretary of the board of education of the North Texas Conference of the Methodist church. In this capacity he is head of all educational work of the churches of the conference and is head of the Youth Camps and all other related work in the field of Christian education.

The guest speaker is an outstanding minister in the field of religious education, having served several years on the general board of education of the Methodist church. He is a preacher of unusual ability, having been pastor of some of the larger churches in this conference, such as Kessler Park in Dallas and First church in Paris. He will be heard with pleasure and profit, and an invitation is extended to all to hear this man of usual ability.

## Church Men to Meet Monday Evening, 7:00

Jim Toma of Hobart, Okla., has been invited to speak to the Men's Brotherhood of Iowa Park when members meet in the Baptist church Monday night, March 29, at 7:00 for their regular Fifth Monday session.

Mr. Toma is an Assyrian born near Jerusalem and is expected to bring an interesting and instructive talk.

Johnny Clapp, president of the all-church brotherhood, this week issued a special invitation to all men in this area to attend the meeting and take part in activities of the brotherhood.

Elvy Sargent of the host church, also said this week that committees of men in the Baptist church are making preparations to serve supper at 7:00 for the meeting.

## Dairy Show Planned At Wichita Falls, Tuesday, April 20.

Final plans have been made for the annual Tri-County Dairy show to be held in Wichita Falls on Tuesday, April 20. The one-day show will be conducted at the 4-H club barn. The show this year is being sponsored by the Wichita Falls C of C and milk companies of Wichita Falls.

Dairy farmers of Wichita, Clay and Archer counties are urged to start making plans now to enter animals in the show. B. T. Haws, county agent, hopes to have at least 100 entries this year.

The following classes will be shown: Females—four years and over, two years and under four (also yearlings in milk), 15 months to 2 years, 6 months to 15 months; Bulls—two years and over, one year and under two; six months and under one year.

All cattle will be judged on classification basis, both junior and senior. No cattle under six months of age will be shown. Registered bulls only will be shown, but both registered and grade females may be shown.

Cash premiums will be awarded.

## HAWKS TO PLAY BOWIE IN BASEBALL

The Hawks will go to Bowie Saturday afternoon to play their first baseball game of the season.

## TRACK MEET HELD

The Iowa Park Hawks were hosts to Seymour and Burkburnett this Thursday afternoon for a track meet. A light rain Wednesday was a great help in laying the dust for this practice competition.

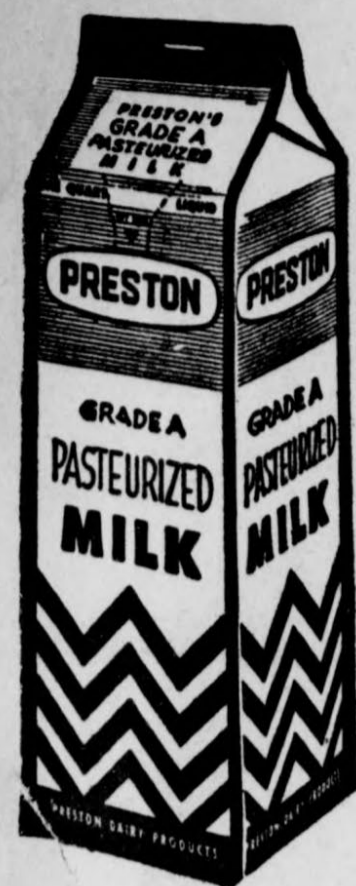
## INDEPENDENCE HALL PROGRAM HELD

Thursday morning a talent program was presented in the school auditorium for the purpose of raising money for the Independence Hall Restoration Fund. Each school which donates \$100 to this cause will have its name placed on a bronze plaque to be displayed in Independence Hall.

Mrs. J. D. Padgett and sons David Wayne and Jerry, and Gary Guthrie visited Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Guthrie Jr. and Rita and Douglas in Spearman last weekend. Mrs. Guthrie and children returned to Iowa Park to spend this week with relatives.

### Soil Conservation

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planted. The peas were fertilized with four hundred pounds of super phosphate per acre. Schreiber plans to leave peas on the land and not graze since the weather conditions have been so dry. During drouth conditions Schreiber said, "I believe you obtain more benefit by not grazing peas." Since moisture conditions control the possibilities of much growth, you receive more total value by using peas just as a soil-building crop." Most of the soils in the Little Wichita Soil Conservation District

Before planting, a good seedbed was prepared. About thirty pounds of inoculated seed per acre were

will grow Austrian winter peas. For additional information contact your local Soil Conservation Service personnel. Farmers and ranchers who are planning on sodding Coastal Bermuda this spring should prepare a good seedbed well compacted for sprigging. Sprigging should be done on soil with good moisture or watered immediately after sprigging to prevent the plant roots from drying out. This introduced grass appears to

be well acclimated to this area, as the grass has been grown locally since 1950, and has survived the winters in good condition. This grass will stand more frost and stay greener longer than common bermuda.

This grass is well adapted to both tight and sandy soils, under irrigation, but does not thrive under shade conditions. This grass will survive under rather saline conditions. The sprigging rate will run to five thousand plants per acre. Coastal Bermuda responds readily to nitrogen fertilizers and appears to increase the yield of forage produced within accordance with amounts of fertilizer applied. Probably a more rapid response to growth and a quicker coverage of the soil by the grass would be had with the application of around 200 pounds of 16-20-0 applied just ahead of sprigging and worked well into the soil.

Do not apply fertilizer in rows at time of planting because of the danger of burning the tender plants. Probably the hand method of sprigging is the most successful in securing a good stand. But regardless of the planting method used, follow the following simple rules to enhance your chance at success.

1. Get one end of the stolon at least 4 to 6 inches into the soil and leave the other end above the soil.
  2. Plant only when you have a good season in the ground.
  3. Water the plants as soon after planting as possible.
  4. Mow as often as necessary to keep down weeds.
- Do not graze until plants are well established. Graze lightly until complete coverage of ground is secured. Where grass plantings are large enough, divide into two pastures and watering can be practiced. Livestock will graze grass more readily after a short rest period.

### NEWS FROM CONGRESS

By Frank Ikard

For sometime there has been growing dissatisfaction with our program of foreign economic aid.

This program has undoubtedly been of some benefit as far as immediate results were concerned; however, it has had more than its share of the extravagances and busts. It cannot be kept as a long range program for the simple reason that we cannot afford it. In addition to this, it fails to meet our need for many reasons, the most important of which are that: 1. in many instances it is based on the premise that friendship can be purchased; 2. It does not take into consideration that the conflict in which we are engaged with the Soviets is a conflict for the minds of men and over a way of life that may last for two or three generations, and 3. it puts our representatives abroad in the position of telling the people of other countries that their way of doing things is wrong and that they should follow the American example which many times is impossible to sell to the people of other countries. If we are to ultimately win this conflict, we must find some way to permanently instill in the hearts and souls of the people of the world the ideas that have made this country great. We must somehow let them know the feeling of free men, the effectiveness of free institutions and the happiness of an individual who possesses freedom of mind and body. We could accomplish this very desirable result in a way that would be more effective in the long run and be a whole lot less costly to us, by selecting outstanding young people in the countries of the world and let them come to the colleges and universities in this country. We could bring them to the smaller colleges and universities in the South, Southwest, and Midwest where they could learn firsthand the advantage of the Democratic way of life and where they could study our great institutions. By selecting outstanding young people who had qualities of leadership in the fields of medicine, law science, farming, business, and labor; we could be assured that when they returned home their country would have enlightened leadership that was devoted to the cause of free men. It is interesting to know that the Russians are at this time educating thousands of the Indonesians in Russia and her Satellites. With this in mind, it becomes clear that the Communists do not need to defeat the French in Indochina by military aggression this year or the next, but by educating the future leaders of that country and by sending them home to assume positions of leadership, they can eventually wear France and her allies down. The number of young people from Indochina being educated in this country are less than one hundred; so you can readily see how badly outnumbered we will be over the long run.

### BAPTISTS

Our circle met with Mrs. O. S. McLemore on Tuesday at 2:00 for Bible study. The lesson on David was brought by Mrs. C. P. Simmons.

During the business session each officer gave a good report. Mrs. McLemore brought a devotional on "Times and Seasons." We then had special prayer for those in sorrow. A refreshment plate was served to 3 visitors and 9 members.

We hope our visitors will come again and be members next meeting, which will be at the home of Mrs. Joe Price on Kamay road. If anyone wishes to meet with our circle and doesn't have a ride, please call Mrs. Pace at 7521, Mrs. C. P. Simmons at 5791 or Mrs. Georgia Simmons at 2692 and we will see that you get to attend. Those present were Mmes. C. P. Pace, James Paris, Joe Price, T. T. Thigpen, Haskell Thompson, O. S. Gelsert. The visitors were Mrs. Joe Pollard, Mrs. A. L. Sims and Mrs. R. B. Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown sr. and son Jimmy of Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. David Hale of Grand Prairie were in Iowa Park to attend the Carroll Duke funeral, and also visited with Mrs. Brown's sister-in-law Mrs. Ruth Gard and family. A program such as this would also have the advantage of very effectively destroying the Communist line of propaganda for a person that had spent a year or two in this country studying and had come to know Americans and their ways, could, when he returned home, better than anyone else, refute the idea that we were a war-like people bent on aggression or that everyone in this country except a very few were economic slaves. The cost of this program would be a mere fraction of what we are now spending around the world to combat Communism.

The Supreme Court refused to permit Alabama and Rhode Island to file their suits challenging the States' rights to the tidelands. This apparently rings down the final curtain on the dispute over the tidelands.

### CAFETERIA MENU

- Monday: Hamburger patties, corn, green beans, pea salad, fruit cobbler.
- Tuesday: Canned ham, white beans, greens, sliced tomatoes, egg custard.
- Wednesday: Chicken and noodles, candied yams, buttered peas, slaw, cake.
- Thursday: Steak and gravy, green beans, creamed potatoes, jello salad, chess pie.
- Friday: Italian spaghetti, corn, asparagus, potato salad, lemon pie.

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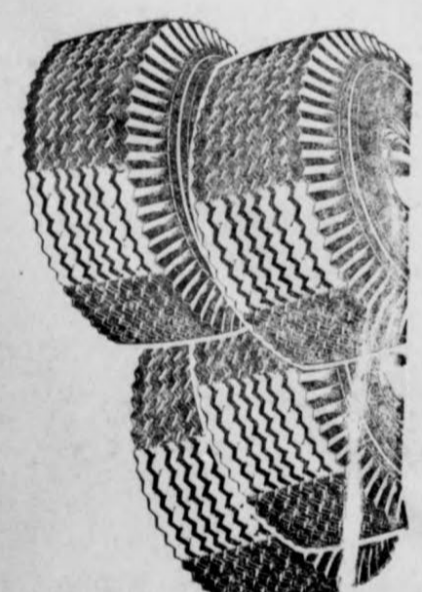
Records show that day-to-day maintenance is best and cheapest in caring for your car, truck or tractor! Get the maintenance habit — let us care for your machines while they are running. Then when replacement parts are finally needed or major overhauls are indicated, we will discover them early and save you time and money.

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### West Texas Chamber of Commerce Plans Annual Convention In San Angelo March 29

An expert in federal-state relations, a nationally-known economist, the president of a major railroad, and the Governor of Texas will address members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on March 29 and 30 in San Angelo. The occasion is the regional chamber's 36th annual convention. Registration of delegates from the 132-county region of the WTCC will begin at noon on March 28. Governor Allan Shivers will deliver the keynote address at the opening session on March 29. Following Shivers will be Dr. Clarence Manion, former chairman of President Eisenhower's commission on Intergovernmental Relations and former dean of the Notre

Dame University law school. Fred G. Gurley, president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway System, will address the convention at a dinner meeting that night. Reporting on a summary of his findings in a three-year study of business and agriculture potentials of West Texas, Dr. Sidney L. Miller of the University of Pittsburgh will speak on the morning of March 30. Robert L. Farrington, director of agricultural credit services for the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Washington, is expected to participate in the Agriculture and Livestock Committee meeting. Farrington is in charge of the drought

relief program, and the Farmers Home Administration, Rural Electrification Administration, and other branches of the USDA are under his supervision. Dr. Miller is expected to attend the meeting of the Industrial Committee; the Water Resources Committee will hear a report from the State Water Resources Committee created by the last session of the State Legislature; the agenda for the joint meeting of the State and National Affairs Committee includes discussion with Dr. Manion. Other meetings include the Community Services Committee, which sponsors the "community clinic" program in cooperation with local chambers of commerce. Results of an election of new officers to head the 5000-member organization will be announced at the close of the convention's general business session which ends at noon on March 30.



The North Texas Woman's Conference will meet in McKinney next week for the three days of March 31st, April 1st and 2nd.

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*Joe Marsh*

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### SAYS NATION'S HEALTH IS BETTER

Memphis, Tenn. — The disappearance of many once-common deficiency diseases and the generally improved health of the nation over the last two decades has been due "in large part" to the addition of essential vitamins and minerals to basic foods, according to Dr. Paul L. Day, head of the department of biochemistry, University of Arkansas.

Speaking before the Agricultural Club here, Dr. Day explained why it was necessary to add certain elements to readily available foods and how this resulted in large part to the virtual elimination of many diseases. He listed the following five food additives as having been "incalculable" benefit to the health of the United States:

1. The fortification of fluid and evaporated milk with vitamin D. Readily available foods do not contain significant amounts of vitamin D, a deficiency of which results in rickets in infants and young children. Milk was chosen as a logical carrier of vitamin D. Rickets is no longer a problem in this country.
2. The enrichment of bread and flour with certain B vitamins and iron. Recommended by the National Research Council Food and Nutrition Board, the enrichment program has prevented much malnutrition in the past twelve years. Specifically, lack of B vitamins contributes to pellagra and beriberi, once common causes of death in the southern states, and those diseases have disappeared. Generally, the B vitamins and iron contribute to all-around health and well being.
3. The iodization of salt. In certain geographic areas of the United States and of the world, drinking water and locally grown food is deficient in iodine and this deficiency causes endemic goiter. Since the addition of iodides, endemic goiter has practically disappeared from the nation.
4. The fortification of margarine with vitamin A.
5. The fluoridization of city water supplies. This step has been taken to combat the rising incidence of tooth decay with its attendant cost, disfigurement and danger to health. Although fluoridization will not completely eradicate tooth decay, there is clear evidence that it has made a marked reduction in dental caries in the many areas of the country where it is mandatory.

Dr. Day said that the high nutritive level of the American food supply is the result of the cooperative efforts of four groups of people: the producers of food—farmers, fishermen, stockmen and dairymen; the processors and purveyors of food—the food industry; scientists and governmental health agencies.

He said that one evidence of the superior nutritional level of the American people is the fact that college men today are two inches taller than their counterparts of a generation ago. The only reasonable explanation for this increase in stature he said, is the superior food supply of the younger generation.

Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Olcer jr. of St. Louis, Mo. visited his brother S-Sgt. and Mrs. Jerry Olcer last week. The two couples left last weekend for Del Rio where Jerry is stationed at Laughlin Field. They also visited in Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Olcer returned home to St. Louis this week where he will report soon for service in the armed forces.

ful Blue Birds met with Mrs. N. E. Seay. Elected were Nancy Seay, president; Frances Griffith, vice-president; Trudy Shawver, secretary; Glenda Ward, treasurer; and Karen Watson, scribe. Bird houses and sequin ties were completed at the last meeting. Scribe Karen Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams visited her mother Mrs. J. V. Davis in Honey Grove last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harrison and son Don of Electra visited in the W. T. Wright home Saturday evening. Mr. Harrison is the nephew of Mrs. Wright.

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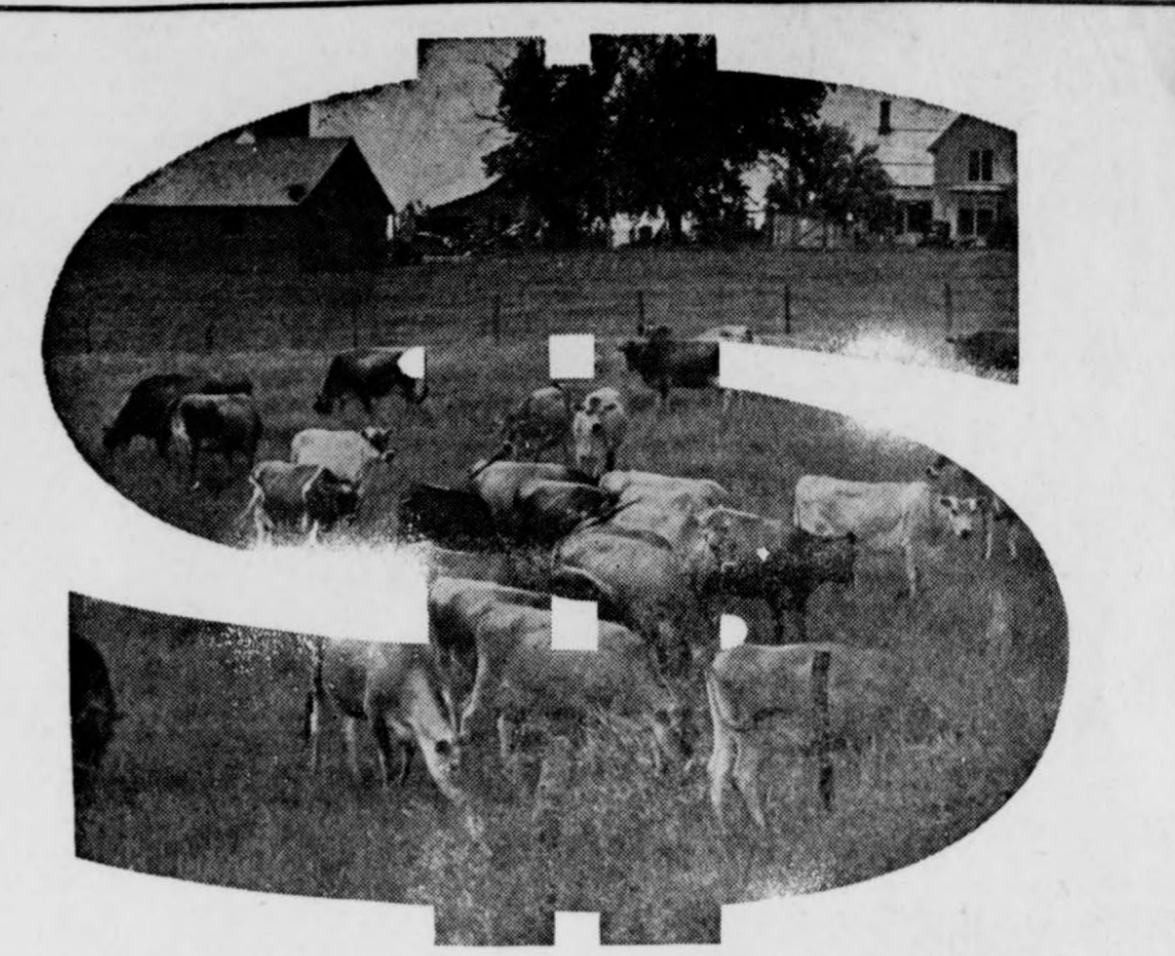
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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To John Middleton, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County at the Court House thereof, in Wichita Falls, Texas at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of April A.D. 1954, then and there to answer Plaintiff's

Petition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of February A.D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 53,398-B on the docket of said court and styled Leola Middleton, Plaintiff, vs. John Middleton, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: After alleging jurisdiction plaintiff further alleges that she and defendant were married in or about the year 1930, and continued to live together as husband and wife for about 1 year, and he was sent to the State penitentiary for a felony, and they separated and never lived together any more, and have been living apart for some twenty years.

As the fruits of such marriage, they had one daughter, now 13 years of age and married. Wherefore, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and upon final hearing that plaintiff have divorce from the bonds of matrimony from defendant.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned un-served.

The Officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas this 27th day of February A.D. 1954.

Attest: FLORA COBB, Clerk 78th District Court, Wichita County, Texas (SEAL) By Wayne Wiggins, Deputy.

WSCS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday morning in the Methodist church for the second session of the mission study "The Life and Task of the Church around the World."

Mrs. Guy Perdue's devotion on Faith was based on the 11th chapter of Hebrews. "Things that can not be shaken" was the subject of the lesson directed by Mrs. W. C. Albright. She was assisted by Mesdames Gene Owens, T. C. Berry, C. J. Thurber, C. J. Simpson, G. E. Trammell.

Mrs. W. M. Owens conducted a brief business session and announced that the mission study will be continued next Tuesday.

Others present included Mmes. J. N. George, Richey Abernathy, Miles Thompson, Fred Widmoyer, C. C. Robinson, R. N. Watson, S. L. Denny, Gordon G. Clark, Scott Morris, Joy Laible, W. E. Stockton, John Mixon, Will Spruiell and Eleanor Robinson.

Dutch Theme Used For Senior Banquet Given by Baptists

One of the most unforgettable experiences in 1954 for the high school seniors, the room sponsors and the faculty members of the local school will, no doubt, be what happened Thursday evening, March 25.

On that date the monotony of school life faded into oblivion when the Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church took them on an imaginary trip to Holland during the annual banquet for seniors.

The banquet hall of the church was filled with an atmosphere of history, tradition and romance typical of Holland. The windmill which has figured so prominently in Holland's development and is now regarded as something almost human, governed the decorative appointments for the travelog program and the meal.

Large blue mills with white sails were placed at intervals on the long tables. Spotless white, flower-laden fences where china Dutch girls and boys stood symbolizing the golden age of youth and romance were the featured decorations between the mills. Tulips, hyacinths, narcissi and other spring blossoms in Dutch containers were used in profusion to represent the flowering bulb fields in Holland. A pair of mint-filled miniature wooden shoes marked places of guests at the tables. The program covers featured a Dutch scene, and on the inside the translation of the menu into Dutch language added interest.

On the wall back of the speakers' table was a hand painted Dutch scene, the central attraction being the large windmill with movable sails inscribed with outstanding characteristics of the Hollanders.

The toastmistress, Mrs. Homer Blalock, WMU education chairman, used the messages on the sails to present the program as she spoke on the "Language of the Mills."

Authenticity was attached to the appointments in windows of the room. These were an electrically lighted three dimensional dining-room, a large wooden shoe shop, a Dutch doll, the crest of Netherlands, the crest of Amsterdam belonging to Karl Ten Brink of Electra, a native of Holland, which have been sent to him from Holland during the years of his residence in the United States.

As guests arrived they were greeted by a receiving line composed of Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Riek, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill and Mrs. J. T. New. As chairman of the literature committee Mrs. New was assisted by Mmes. Malcolm Mills, Harry Lee Mitchell and Fred Wright, who escorted the seniors to the church parlor where literature from the eight Texas Baptist colleges and universities was displayed and distributed.

Delightful prelude organ music by Mrs. R. A. Tanner was the first intimation of the thrills in store for guests.

In the banquet hall Mrs. Blalock invited guests to get on the "Plane WMU" to go to Holland for a brief holiday. Landing at the great airport Schiphol, the group went by bus into the capital city of Amsterdam where the upper sail on the large windmill sent the message of Friendliness.

This provided opportunity for the royal welcome by Queen Juliana, Mrs. Sam Hill, WMU president, and the response by Mickey Sewell, senior class president.

The honor guests were asked to board the electric train to go to Haarlem, the place of the world's most famous organ, as the wind blew the sail of Hospitality into full view.

In keeping with the encouragement of community singing in Holland, the group engaged in a sing-song directed by Mrs. O. R. Owens. Mrs. O. E. Lochridge, accompanist, was introduced as Holland's most famous organist.

The invocation was offered by Ted Averitt. Dinner music was furnished by Mrs. Lochridge. Waitresses wearing immaculate costumes, crisp aprons and quaint caps, were Barbara Tatom, Lovetta Green, Bernice Cage, Sue Croft, Mary Ellen Roberts, Janice Patterson, Sara Johnson, Christena Rogers, June James, Roberta Butts, Bonnie Calloway, Barbara Griffith.

Following the meal Supt. Keith Swim introduced the faculty members. Mrs. Dorothy Thompson introduced the seniors as "the children who lived in the shoe," and the room sponsors.

The sail of Gaiety was the cue for the musical entertainment of the evening. Miss Laverne Patterson of Wichita Falls, accordionist, Mrs. C. L. Vaughn, vocalist, and Mrs. Lochridge, organist, presented a musical program which made the entertainment register the serene ending of a beautiful fairy tale.

The sail of Peace and Courage inspired the address of the evening by Mr. Riek. The setting was in Rotterdam, the birthplace of Erasmus, a great philosopher. The speaker emphasized that faith in God was the only assurance that one would have courage never to lose himself in blind terror. He continued by stressing how faith brings

peace of mind and heart even in the face of discouragement, disaster and defeat, foes that threaten to undermine life's best hopes. The benediction was given by J. Louis Quick.

Committees for the banquet were: Program: Mmes. Lochridge, Tanner, Charles Metz.

Decorations: Mmes. L. E. Brooks, Joe Baxter, Carl McKinnon, Roy Crabtree, Jim Cowden, Taylor George, Fred Wright, Fred Hays, Metz.

Waitresses: Mmes. D. O. James, Preston Pace, O. S. McLemore, C. L. Vaughn.

Food: Mmes. R. R. Brubaker, O. M. Jones, T. M. Thaxton, Bonnie Hudson, George Lewis, Curtis Hill, H. M. Riek, Joe West, Earle Denny.

Table: Mmes. J. A. Berg, Curtis Simmons, Virgil Woodfin.

Many women of the church also served on the kitchen committee.

Happy Hands



This little Dutch girl plays with toys from an American Junior Red Cross gift box. About 500,000 such boxes were sent overseas last year.

SENIOR NEWS

Donald Keith Keeter, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Keeter of this city, was born on September 2, 1936, in Temple, Okla. Keith started school there in 1942. In 1946 he went to Marble Falls, Texas where he played football for three years. In 1952 he moved to Hugo, Okla., and played end on the Hugo football team. He made all-district two years. This year he was nominated for all-state. He also participated in boxing and tennis. He was president of the student council, president of the Jr class and a member of the National Honor society. During the summer of 1953 he went to Oklahoma Boys' State. On Feb. 5, 1954, Keith transferred to Iowa Park. He is now playing doubles on the tennis team with Mickey Sewell. His hobby is leathercraft and his ambition is to be a dentist. Keith is to be in our Sr class play, which is April 2. He is popular because of his wit and kindness to his classmates.

Ruby Janett Dickerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Dickerson of Iowa Park, was born on Jan. 11, 1935. She started to school in 1942 in Rocky Ford, Okla., where she attended four years. She then went to Devol, Okla., for 2 1/2 years, and has been in dear old IP ever since. Janette is the maid in the Sr class play "Here Comes Hattie." Her hobby is sports and her ambition is to be a civic leader. Janett has many friends.

The basketball boys got jackets this week. Doyle and Valton were the only Sr.

We're going to tear the town up April Fool's night, selling tickets to the play. Be sure to be downtown—so you can get your tickets.

Clarice had some pretty good news this week. Her old man is to be stationed at Fort Bliss.

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