



## Our Town

**FRIDAY, APRIL 30**  
Seniors, juniors, faculty and parent sponsors go to Craterville for annual outing.

**SUNDAY, MAY 2**  
Valley View seniors present their play, "Hearts and Gowns."

**SATURDAY, MAY 1**  
May day celebrated in some places with May basket hanging.

Matinee special at Parkway theater, "Sergeant Mike."

Opening of Kaiser-Frazer agency, the Duke Motor company.

Opening of Nixon Cafe.

Attend church at one of the churches of Our Town.

**MONDAY, MAY 3**  
Women of churches meet in afternoon sessions.

First Baptist circles: Mary-Martha at church, Sallee-Morgan with Mrs. Sam Ferguson, Ruth with Mrs. Naomi Smith.

Ray T. Sones of Stephenville to be guest speaker at Baptist church, 8 p.m.

**TUESDAY, MAY 4**  
May Festival at football field at 8 p.m.

New officers of PTA to be installed. Mrs. T. M. Clark is installing officer. A program under direction of Mrs. Kathryn Sue Banks and including all pupils of the school will be presented. Winding of the May ribbon promises to be a lovely attraction. All persons in Our Town invited. Mrs. Taylor George is to be installed president; Mrs. D. O. James is retiring president.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 5**  
Mid-week services at churches of Our Town. Baptist church moved prayer meeting hour to 7:45 p.m.

**THURSDAY, MAY 5**  
Young Adults Sunday School class social at Methodist church 8 p.m.

## Reader Ads . . .

**FOR SALE** — 1941 Ford truck, 1 1/2 tons, winch and bed. Hill Motor Co.

**WANTED** — Salesman for industrial life insurance debit, Iowa Park. Must have car. Ages 25 to 45. Married. Contact J. P. Tackett, 1508 1/2 Westlake, Wichita Falls, Texas, or call 2-5470 for appointment after 8 o'clock evenings.

**FOR SALE** — Chevrolet school bus, 1942 motor, seating capacity 36. Res. buy. If interested call C. E. Birk or W. R. Bradford.

For beautiful Everyday Greeting Cards, Address Book, Stationery and Correspondence Notes, see or call May H. Turner. 9-31p

**FOR SALE** — 1938 Ford tudor "60." Heater, good tires, motor like new. For any time. W. A. Richardson, 203 South Wall Street.

**FOR RENT** — Electric Floor Waxer. Rexall Drug.

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LOVELY 5 room house, hardwood floors, fireplace, venetian blinds; beautifully landscaped grounds front and back; double garage. Very desirable location.

Nice 5-room house, lots out-building for small dairy, chickens, etc. Lots and lots of space, corner location. Reasonable, and immediate possession.

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Real buys in 4 to 7 room houses, some with lots of space, some close in, some near school, some with nice cellars, outbuildings, nice lawns and other conveniences.

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Charles Lane, new employee of Baldwin Electric, has had 15 years experience in radio repair. Phone 4921 for pick-up and delivery.

**FOR SALE** — Mattress for a three-quarter bed, in good condition; chest of drawers, 5 drawers with a dark stained finish. Each reasonably priced. Mrs. Everett Sewell.

## DR. LANDES WAS SPEAKER FOR SENIOR BANQUET. MEXICAN THEME IS COLORFUL

Not even in the days of "Once upon a time" could there have been a more colorful and brilliant affair than the gay fiesta banquet which feted the high school seniors, faculty members and class sponsors at the Baptist church, Thursday evening, April 21. The event was typical of the courtesies annually extended the senior classes over a period of years by members of the W.M.U. of the church. Mrs. Taylor George, educational chairman, was in charge of arrangements.

As guests assembled in the auditorium they experienced their first thrill of the evening as they listened to the organ number of Miss Bonnie Metz, who is equally at ease at the organ or piano.

A quintet of young ladies, Juanelle James, Patsy Ozee, Carolyn Baxter, Bobbie Jean Girard and Opal Payne Patterson, ushered guests into the parlor where pennants, catalogues, literature from the various Baptist colleges and universities were displayed.

As the honored guests approached the banquet hall, their first impression was of the beauty, color, charm and festivity of "South of the Border, down Mexico Way." From the first glimpse the image persisted throughout the evening. Decorative appointments on the banquet tables were so complete in every detail that they attested the artistry of members of the committee on decorations. This group was headed by Mrs. Charles Metz and included Mesdames Earle Denny, James Easterwood, Lee Brigham and Mr. Ray Herrington.

Centering the tables were wood carvings so realistic as to portray the customs and characteristics of the country. These featured donkeys harnessed to carts laden with produce and symbols of Mexico and also gaily costumed Mexicans leading the somewhat obstinate animals. Place cards were sombreros in the fiesta colors and individual favors were candy-filled flower pots topped with cactus. The hand painted programs pictured a Mexican reclining against a cactus as he was taking his siesta. These were duplicates of the larger form used on the piano at the front of the room. On the walls and in other advantageous places large serapes, hats, gourds, cacti, vegetables and a profusion of pot plants completed the truly Mexican setting.

As toastmistress Mrs. R. A. Tanner's performance captivated her audience. Her poise and graceful appearance blended with her gaiety and dynamic personality to create a contagiously entertaining atmosphere.

## Miss Duke Play Role In Hardin Drama

Miss Carolyn Duke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Duke of Iowa Park, who is a sophomore drama student at Hardin college, is cast in one of the character parts in Pygmalion, the play to be presented Thursday and Friday nights by members of the Blue Curtain, dramatic club at Hardin.

Miss Duke's picture appeared in a recent edition of the school paper and was accompanied by a complimentary notice of her ability and success in previous presentations in which she has appeared.

Her part as Mrs. Higgins in the play is described as a "fine and sincere" character and directors have faith in Miss Duke's ability to handle the part well because of her natural charm and beauty.

**A. H. SMITH BUYS HOME IN CALIFORNIA. WILL MOVE WEST IN NEXT 60 DAYS**  
A. H. Smith, live wire real estate man of Iowa Park, returned from California, Wednesday. He was accompanied to the western state by a daughter Miss Virginia Smith. Two other daughters Eunice and Nell live in Glendale, Calif. Mr. Smith bought a home in Glendale while there. He and Mrs. Smith and family will move there in approximately two months when the property is vacated. They have sold their home here.

Miss Mary Anne Hill, visiting over the weekend at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hill, had as houseguests Miss Betty Coker of Talco and Miss Jeane Matthews of Hubbard. All three are sophomores at TSCW, Denton.

Two tickets to the Parkway theater, Friday and Saturday, are at the Herald office for Mrs. Walter Scott.

**FOR SALE** — Used Coolerator, 150 lbs. capacity. In good condition. Gale Lowrance, phone 3002. 14

**FOR SALE** — G. E. Light bulbs, all sizes and types, at Clayton Baldwin Electric Shop, Phone 5921.

**WANTED** — Home for motherless kittens. Call 3631.

**FOR RENT** — Premier vacuum cleaner, 75c per day. Iowa Park Appliance, phone 5401.

**FOR RENT** — Heavy duty rotary waxer and polisher, 75c per day. Iowa Park Appliance, Phone 5401.

## Mr. and Mrs. Mixon To Open Cafe Here

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mixon, residents of Iowa Park most of their lives and widely known throughout the county, will reopen the cafe known as Tony's Cafe on Cash street Saturday of this week.

Tony Roland, owner of the cafe, closed it the last of February and has been away from Iowa Park on other business interests. He said this week while here that his plans to settle are still indefinite.

Mrs. Mixon has been employed at the Hay-A-Lunch for two years and is an experienced cafe manager.

## CLEAN UP WEEK BRINGS OUT RAKES AND BROOMS HERE

Clean up week in Iowa Park under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce was drawing to a close Thursday, the day set for the truck to pick up all trash and cans placed conveniently to pickup spots.

General chairman, Mrs. Gordon Clark, who directed the campaign, had high hopes that visible results will evidence the success of the program.

The city has been divided into four wards and a block captain is to be appointed for each block.

Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Otis O. Hendrix, ward directors, completed their appointments and turned them in for publication this week.

## Mr. and Mrs. Hanks Buy Hamburger Shop

Another in the many turnovers of businesses in Iowa Park the past week is that of the sandwich and hamburger shop at 114 N. Yosemite which was sold by Mrs. Cleo Lewis to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hanks who are operating the eating place since Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanks are from Wichita Falls where they were in the insurance business. They are making their home in the Buzzard apartments. Mr. and Mrs. Hanks are members of the Methodist church.

## Sand Beach Swimming Pool to Open Sunday

The management of Sand Beach announced Thursday that the pool will be opened for swimming next Sunday if everything can be completed to make ready for it.

They invite all water lovers to come out and help make the season opening day a gala event.

All accessories of swimming sport will be on hand to make for good swimming fun, the management has announced.

## IOWA PARK CHILDREN PERFORM IN WICHITA FALLS

Guest entertainers at a luncheon Wednesday noon were a group of dance pupils of Mrs. Kathryn Sue Banks. The luncheon was at the First Methodist church, Wichita Falls, for the B.O.P. class.

The local children were Doranna and Jeannine Scott, Carolyn Sue Bedford, Dewayne Lancaster, Joe and Jan Collins, Bruce Hughes, Sandra Sue and Buddy Banks and Bill and Suellen Bryant.

## MRS. DUVALL, MOTHER OF MRS. CLARK, BREAKS HIP IN FALL

Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Clark were called to Dallas at the weekend when her mother Mrs. Elizabeth Duvall fell Saturday and broke her hip. The accident occurred at the home of another daughter in Dallas.

Mrs. Duvall is in the Baylor hospital in Dallas and was scheduled to undergo the hip fracture operation Thursday.

## KAISER-FRAZER AGENCY TO OPEN HERE SATURDAY

Iowa Park is to have a new major business when Carroll Duke opens the agency for Kaiser-Frazer automobiles Saturday. Mr. Duke has purchased and remodeled the building at 128 Cash Street where he expects to maintain permanent and continuous sales and service of his cars. The new business will have the name "Duke Motor Company."



CARROLL DUKE

Electric and radio shop is in the same building, will be service manager for the new motor company.

Mr. Duke is an old timer in this city. He came to Iowa Park, March 8, 1919, and was identified with banking business in both banks here for 20 years.

He has operated the Duke Insurance and auto financing business with offices on Cash street. He will continue to operate this business. Mrs. Duke is associated with her husband in the business. Their home is on the Wichita Falls road.

In announcing the line of automobiles to be sold by the Duke Motor company, Mr. Duke says, "Kaiser-Frazer enjoys the distinction of having pioneered in postwar styling and the present trend is very definitely in that direction. No road clearance has been sacrificed to produce the new, low, wide body lines, with seats 62 inches wide and 27 cubic feet of storage space in the trunk."

"Kaiser-Frazer," he continues, "is featuring a spring drive-away plan on all models. If you are planning a vacation trip and need a new car we can arrange to have the model, color and style of car ready for you on the date specified."

Mr. Duke says he will carry a complete stock of parts and have specialized mechanical service to see that your car gives the most in efficiency and enjoyment.

## CONTEST WINNERS SPEAK FOR LIONS

High school students who were awarded places in the Class A, Region III meeting at SMU last weekend gave an excellent program at the Iowa Park Lions club Tuesday noon. They were presented by the Boys and Girls committee of which M. L. Hines is chairman.

Two first place winners, Lucy Lee Dale, who gave her declamation, "Mothers of Men," and Choyce Brown, who made a record in the broad jump of 20 ft. 7 1/2 in., headed the list of winners. Three other declaimers, Jimmie McDonald, Katie Merle Sumrall and Bobby Pace, gave as readings the following: "A Tribute to Jefferson," "Ballad of the Harp Weaver," and "The Touch of the Master's Hand."

Bonnie Zeck and Glen Miller, extemporaneous speakers, described the requirements for preparation and presentation in their contest. Sue Ridenour, who was one on the district team in shorthand, was also presented as a guest.

Supt. W. R. Bradford introduced the pupils and gave an account of the scope and development of Interscholastic League work.

During the business session, presided over by President Sam Hill, Harry Weaver, I. A. Campsey, Miles Hines and Scott Ralston were elected delegates to the District 22 convention to be held in Wichita Falls next Monday and Tuesday. Alternates chosen are Curtis Sewell, C. J. Simpson, O. R. Kelly and M. L. Smith.

Members of the club were urged to attend the convention and the club voted not to meet in regular session next Tuesday, May 4.

Additional guests Tuesday were Lion Paul Collins of Wichita Falls and Jack Austin.

Mrs. John Kent returned Monday from a vacation in Oklahoma. She will be employed two days a week at the Iowa Park Herald. Mr. and Mrs. Kent have taken the Kiel rent property at Sand Beach and will move Saturday from the Campsey apartment where they have been living since January.

## "THE TANGLED YARN" SENIOR CLASS PLAY HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM Thursday, April 29, 1948, 8:15 p.m. A comedy in three acts

**CHARACTERS**  
Camilla Page, a young lady with ideas ..... Patsy Gay  
Vivian Page, her cousin ..... Sue Ridenour  
Cora Blade, who shares an apartment with Vivian and Camilla ..... Bobbie Partney  
Stuart Brand, an unpublished young author ..... Glen Miller  
Mrs. Morgan, a landlady ..... Evelyn Birkman  
Micheal Morgan, her husband ..... John Parish  
Sadie Stringer, an idle roomer ..... Juanita Klinkerman  
Alexander Lawton, a magazine editor ..... Rip Van Winkle  
"Joshua Page," alias Claudius Stringer ..... Oscar Singleton  
Mrs. Page, Camilla's mother ..... Robbie Starr  
"Speed" Martin, a newspaper reporter ..... Dick Heilmann  
Mrs. Brand, Stuart's mother ..... Paula Beasley

**SYNOPSIS OF SCENES**  
The entire action of the play takes place in the living room of an apartment in Mrs. Morgan's rooming house, which is shared by Camilla, Vivian, and Cora.

Act I: Early morning. Camilla spins a yarn.  
Act II: The following morning. The yarn becomes nothing but tangles.

Act III: Two days later. Sadie completes the untangling.

**DIRECTORS:** Miss Polly Clark and Mrs. Allen Guthrie  
**STAGE MANAGER:** Dean Jackson  
**MUSICAL ARRANGEMENTS:** Mrs. Maude Owens

Between Acts I and II  
Musical Specials ..... Members of the Senior Class  
Between Acts II and III  
Melody of the Girls ..... Members of the Senior Class

## SIX LOCAL STUDENTS WIN REGIONAL HONORS. WILL GO TO AUSTIN, MAY 7

Placing four students in the state finals at Austin, scheduled to begin May 7, Valley View high school really let itself be known in the regional meet at Dallas last Friday and Saturday.

With results not yet in on the Ready Writers contest in which Clota Mae Moody was a contestant, Valley View has already made 47 points with two first places and three winners of second.

In girls doubles, tennis, Frances Leath and Doris Henderson defeated a girls team from Byers in the finals. Garland Childers took first in the boys singles, tennis; and J. L. Thomas teamed with M. G. Jones to take second place in boys doubles, tennis.

Billy Kendrick tied for second place in high jump and thereby became eligible to compete at Austin.

In girls debate the Valley View team of Phyllis Deel and June Smith took second place.

## Brotherhood to Stress Soils and Souls Day

Ray T. Sones of Stephenville will speak to the Brotherhood of the First Baptist church of Iowa Park Monday night, May 3, at 8:00. Sones is teacher of a men's Bible class in First Baptist church at Stephenville.

The week starting May 2 has been designated by Friends of the Land and the boards of supervisors of the Soil Conservation districts as Soils and Souls Week. Mr. Sones' talk will be, "Conservation of Our Soils and Our Souls."

Churches over the state of Texas will observe Sunday as "Soils and Souls Day."

## LOCAL MEN GET TEXACO AWARDS

The Texaco company honored its employees of long standing at a service award banquet Saturday evening in Wichita Falls at the Kemp hotel.

Among those honored were two from Iowa Park, Riley Bomar and Oscar Ray. Mr. Ray reached the retirement age last year. Mr. Bomar has been an employee of the Texaco for 29 years, having received his 25-year award in 1944. He will receive a 30 year award in 1949.

V. H. Mahon of the pipeline department was master of ceremonies. C. B. Williams of Fort Worth, district superintendent, made the presentations and was assisted by E. L. Newman, also of Fort Worth.

Splendid entertainment and menu accompanied the ceremonies.

## COUNCIL OF CHURCH WOMEN ONE YEAR OLD NEXT FRIDAY

There are two announcements relating to the Iowa Park Council of Church Women which are of interest to the public. The annual May Fellowship Day will be observed on Friday, May 7, at 2:30 in the First Christian Church. "Every Child Is My Child" is the topic of the program to which every woman in Iowa Park is invited.

This occasion, which marks the first anniversary of the formal organization of the Iowa Park Council, is being planned by the committee on Christian Social Relations, composed of the following women: Mrs. R. B. Sisk, chairman; Mesdames Lester Watson, Taylor George, R. A. Tanner, Richey Abernathy and Gayle Park. Mrs. Taylor George will lead the program on May 7.

A second item of interest is that the drive for clothing to be sent overseas netted 175 pounds of garments and shoes which have been packed and shipped. Mrs. Gordon Clark is chairman of the project. This is the third drive made by the Council for this needy cause.

## Rural Truck Makes Run West of Town

Iowa Park Volunteer Firemen put out a fire five miles west of town on the Electra road Thursday morning. When the rural truck arrived at the scene of the fire they found that a car being towed by a Vernon man had caught fire under the dash. When the fire was extinguished it was found that wiring under the dash had been burned off and that heat of the flames had melted the glass and plastic parts of that region of the car.

## New Hav-A-Lunch Owner is M. C. Clark

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Clark are the new owners of the Hav-a-Lunch cafe on the highway adjacent to the Vernon Lovell service station. They bought the cafe from Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Knight who have returned to Wichita Falls. They came here from Wichita Falls as proprietors of the cafe last October.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark are seeking a place of residence in Iowa Park. They have one son, five years old. Mr. Clark is an ex-navy man. He served two years overseas.

## Moore Laundry Sells to California Folk

Mr. and Mrs. John Pelt, who recently came to Iowa Park from Englewood, Calif., have bought the laundry at 101 West Daisy and took it over Monday of this week. They purchased the business of Mrs. L. C. Moore.

Mrs. Moore bought the laundry from Rex Lehman in January. She plans to return to her former home at Bovina.

## Girls Have Picnic at R. B. Cage Farm Home

Ten girls of the seventh grade had an enjoyable outing at R. B. Cage's farm Saturday. They had a picnic lunch under some big shade trees along the creek bank. The weather almost caused them to call it off.

Those present were Bernice Cage, Margaret Talley, Jackie Copeland, June Brittain, Shirley Quast, Betty Schwalbe, Dorothy Wakefield, Opal Owen, Evelyn Coats and Loveta Green. Connie Copeland and Patsy Via were invited but were unable to attend.

## Sandra Jo Wood, little five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wood, is in the Wichita General hospital. She is reported doing nicely after another skin graft operation Friday of last week.

Mrs. Clota Custis had as visitors over the weekend her brother G. B. and Mrs. Owen of Alice.

J. C. Horn and J. B. Barbour spent several days this week in Levelland where the John B. Barbour Trucking company is establishing a camp.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Iowa Park Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the Democratic primary, July 24, 1948:

**Judge 78th District Court — Wichita County, Texas.**  
TEMPLE SHELL (for 2nd term)  
COIT MOCK  
SHERIFF  
HAMMETT (HAM) VANCE (for 2nd term)  
County Commissioner  
M. L. HINES  
E. E. (BUCK) VOYLES  
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### YOUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE —

RUTH HILL TEARGAN

What is your rating in your community?

In reading the booklet entitled  
"Organization Structure of the  
Chamber of Commerce," published  
by the chamber of commerce of the  
United States in Washington, we  
find repeated recurrence of the  
words "men and women of good  
standing shall be eligible to mem-  
bership."

A man of good standing in the  
business world is one whose credit  
is good, who is reliable in his busi-  
ness dealings and has such a high  
regard for his good name that he  
will not allow anything to mar it.

And just to continue the simile,  
the person of good standing in his  
community is the one who is alert  
to the needs of his town, useful,  
helpful, friendly, kind, and with it  
all, of good character.

Good standing in the church, if  
one ever thought of it that way,  
would mean a person who tries to  
be consistently Christian in his daily  
living—and that just about covers  
everything.

A person of good standing in the  
Chamber of Commerce is a member  
who realizes his responsibility to  
the community in which he makes  
his living and raises his family, to  
the extent of giving of himself in  
service and contributing his part  
financially in modest dues to the  
organization which is trying to pro-  
mote the progress of the town.

Check yourself and see how you  
stand in YOUR community.

### Seventh Graders Have Party at Community House

Seventh graders were entertained  
with a party last Thursday night at  
the Community House in Valley  
Farms by their room mothers and  
sponsors.

Mothers included Mesdames Clar-  
ence Hill, Lloyd Lowe, Zola Ramsey,  
J. D. Padgett, Ruth Marie Jarrell,  
H. B. Britt, A. B. Stermer, M. F.  
Thornton, O. W. Lambert, Jim Fox  
and W. D. Brubaker.

Members of the class present were  
Betty Schwalbe, Jean Frazier, Jim-  
my Joy George, Marjorie Finner,  
Martina Lambert, Shirley Anne  
Lowe, Maxine Ramsey, May Jean  
Jarrell, Maggie Henson, Lucille Gar-  
vin, Mary Alice Garvin, Mary Eaton,  
Jewel Thornton, Monty Britt, Bill  
"Cocoa" Brubaker, David Padgett,  
Kendall Hill, Franklin Spradlin,  
Jimmy Ray Jenkins, Kenneth Rich-  
ter, Alvin Ratcliff, Bobbie Russell,  
Bob Johnson, Jimmy Fox, Harold  
Phillips, Jackie Stermer, Ray Mundt,  
Gordon Zookie Hair, Johnnie Lee  
and Donald Pierce.

Dads present were J. D. Padgett  
and Clarence Hill. Hot dogs, donuts  
and pop were served. Entertainment  
was group singing and folk games.

### Valley View Group Has Interesting Trip

LaVerne Hunter, president of the  
Valley View chapter of the Future  
Homemakers of America has been  
on a long trip. It was an interesting  
and instructing trip, she says, and  
this is the how come.

Miss Hunter was the delegate of  
her chapter to attend the State  
Convention of Future Homemakers  
of America in Galveston last week-  
end. Accompanied by her teacher  
Eunice Huckabee and her sponsor  
mother, Mrs. A. G. Wade, LaVerne  
left Valley View last Wednesday  
night via Fort Worth. The party  
stopped in Huntsville and visited  
a museum and Sam Houston Park  
and a college there. At Houston they  
toured Rice Institute.

At Galveston, besides attending  
all meetings of FHA held at the  
City Hall, they attended a beach  
party and took a ferry boat trip  
across the channel.

Representatives of all vocational  
schools in Texas were at the con-  
vention and received great benefit  
from the sessions and side trips.

The Valley View representatives  
reached home Sunday evening. Miss  
Hunter is a daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. N. Hunter and is a gradu-  
ating senior.

Mrs. J. C. Roby, Miss Hazel Ruth  
Roby and Miss Patsy Rogers spent  
Saturday night in Graham.

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### Soil Conservation

Approximately 4.5 acres of buffalo,  
sand and weeping lovegrass have  
been planted on the farm of John  
Muller of the Fairview conservation  
group. This grass planting is a part  
of his plan that was worked out  
between Mr. Muller, supervisors of  
the Wilbarger-Wichita soil conser-  
vation district and the Soil Conser-  
vation Service. The pasture will be  
used as a means for disposing ter-  
race outlet water without serious  
effect of erosion.

Irrigation laterals and field drain-  
age ditches have been reshaped,  
cleaned out and made ready for the  
coming irrigation season on farms  
of L. J. Lane and Floyd Kirk of  
the Valley Farms. On both it was  
in some places necessary to make  
a cut of 6 inches to insure proper  
grade for flow of water.

A sub-surface draining ditch is  
now in process of construction on  
the Hardin college farm. The ditch  
is being constructed by machinery  
of the Wichita Valley Water Im-  
provement District. An engineer and  
soils man, assigned to the Wilbarger-  
Wichita soil conservation district,  
have collected soils and engineering  
information and are assisting in the  
project. The proper location and  
construction of drainage ditches are  
essential in any irrigation project.

The week starting May 2 has been  
designated by "Friends of the Land"  
and the supervisors of the soil con-  
servation districts as "Soils and  
Souls Week." Supervisors of this  
district are Tom Pace, Iowa Park;  
H. J. Flusche, Electra; Henry  
Vaughn, Burk Burnett; Claude Price,  
Thalia; and Phip Spears, Chilli-  
catie. Churches all over Texas are  
observing "Soil and Soul Sunday."  
Conservation tours and discussions  
are planned for the week.

Approximately 3/4 mile of terrace  
has been run on Carl Williamson's  
farm of the Fairview conservation  
group, west of Thrift. The terraces  
will be constructed by his own whirl-  
wind terracer. Lines were run by  
the Soil Conservation Service. Mr.  
Williamson received a good cutting  
of alfalfa hay from his Wichita  
Valley farm last week.

Approximately 1.5 miles of terrace  
have been run on E. W. Napier's  
farm north of Sand Beach swim-  
ming pool this week. Terracing is  
only a means to a conservation end  
and will not improve fertility of the  
soil. After terracing, the following  
of crop rotations that include as  
many legumes or soil improving  
crops as practicable is a step in the  
right direction to improve the soil.  
Poor eroded soils produce poor  
eroded people.

### VALLEY VIEW LISTS THREE FOR HONORS

Betty Annette Sargent has been  
chosen to give the valedictory ad-  
dress at graduation ceremonies of  
Valley View high school, May 21.  
Salutatorian will be Clota Mae  
Moody and Highest ranking boy is  
Ray Smith.

Mrs. D. O. James was in Chilli-  
catie last Friday to attend the in-  
stallation of officers of the Wil-  
barger-Hardeman bi-county council  
of PTA. The speaker was County  
Superintendent Dinsmore of Wich-  
ita Falls.

### Scouts and Cubs Take Red Ribbons at Show

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weekend in Wichita Falls at the  
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they saw the results of scouting  
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and came home determined to do  
better work and make more ad-  
vancement during the coming year.  
Both groups were judged to be  
deserving of red ribbons for their  
displays at the exhibition. Failure  
of some of the boys to be properly  
uniformed was responsible for their  
getting no higher rating.

Cubmaster Ed Patterson was as-  
sisted in preparing the booth for  
the show by Den Mothers Mrs. W.  
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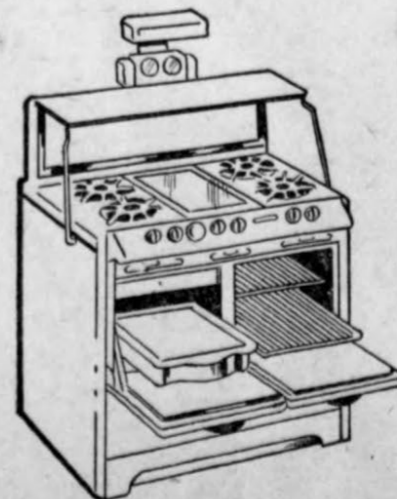
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### Tests Aimed to Produce Charcoal From Sawdust

Arrangements to produce charcoal from sawdust in an experimental retort at Oregon State college have been completed. The charcoal will be used for commercial tests by several companies contemplating establishing industries in the Pacific Northwest.

There is interest in the possibility of utilizing charcoal made from sawdust in electric furnace applications, and in using charcoal fines—a sifted form—in production of industrial carbides. There is also interest in utilization of wood tars that are produced as by-products of charcoal making.

Small-scale tests of sawdust charcoal conducted by the U. S. bureau of mines already have proven successful. Success with large-scale test runs made possible with the retort at Oregon State college probably would lead to construction of ton-per-day pilot plant. This pilot plant is to be used to obtain cost data and technical information necessary for the engineering of commercial scale plants.

Large scale use of charcoal made from sawdust also would bring far-reaching benefits to the forest economy of the Northwest, as sawdust, unlike hogged or chipped wood, has very few uses at present.

### Hollow Reeds and Logs Were First Pipes Used

Although pipe is one of the oldest discoveries of mankind, no one knows its actual beginning. It may have started with the use of hollow reeds and logs. But some things are certain about the discovery of piping.

The earliest definitely known piping is that of the Egyptians and Chinese. There was some earlier piping in the Tigris and Euphrates valley, and perhaps some in the Nile valley, but none of it has been found in good enough condition to make a positive identification. It is known that the Egyptians used copper pipe in 3800 B. C., and the Chinese used hollow bamboo poles at about the same time to pipe gas as much as 100 yards from gas wells to fires for evaporating salt water to get salt.

Some time later, in what is now a part of Syria, several of the palaces and temples had water pipe made of baked clay not unlike the tile drain pipes used today. Syrian piping was joined with a cement type of clay to carry water only from reservoirs on the roofs to the floors below.

### Sun-Baked Negeb

Water and more water is the goal of the few hundred pioneering Jews who have been farming in the Negeb region of Palestine for five years. Negeb means dry or parched land. Palestine's Negeb is just that—the parched desert that lies south of the hills of Judea and occupies the southern third of the country. Most of this region has been apportioned to the Jewish state under the United Nations partition of Palestine. Under British mandate, Jews in the Holy Land increased from 70,000 in 1922 to 380,000 in 1947. The immigrants started hundreds of small farm communities on the fertile maritime plain between Jaffa and Haifa, and in well-watered eastern Galilee. To most of the settlers, the Negeb, sparsely occupied by a few thousand Bedouin nomads, was completely forbidding. Others, visualizing extensive Jewish colonization, saw that water is the key to reclaiming this region which in pre-Christian times had supported 200,000 or more people.

### Palestine Bible Places

Galilee and Phoenicia in the north, Samaria and Judea in the center, and Philistia and Edom in the south were the large divisions of the Holy Land 2,000 years ago. Current partition parcels bear little relations to these ancient areas. The projected international zone in the hills of Judea includes Jerusalem, city of 157,000 people, and a surrounding area reaching eastward to the Mount of Olives and south to Bethlehem. The town of Christ's birth is now an Arab community of 9,000. Within this trusted zone are many shrines of three great religions. Among the most sacred are the Wailing Wall of the Jews, the Moslems' Mosque of Omar and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre of the Christians. Calvary, Solomon's Temple, Mt. Zion, Gethsemane, Bethany, Job's Well, the Valleys of Hinnon and Jehosaphat, the Pools of Bethesda and Siloam have their sites in the zone, some outside and some within modern Jerusalem.

### Quick Freeze Whales

Quick freeze compartments to hold tons of lean whale meat for human consumption are a feature of the new factory ships in the whaling trade. A score of these vessels, mostly Norwegian and British, are in Antarctic waters. Each processes the catch of 5 to 10 whale-hunting ships. Throughout the decades of whaling only the Japanese have regularly salted down whale meat. Part of the blubber, too, has served to vary their fish and rice diet. Whale meat taken in the postwar Antarctic whaling seasons, however, has been welcomed in many Old World lands. The reason lies partly in critical meat shortages, but also in the fact that immediate refrigeration of the whale meat at the point of catch preserves its perishable palatability.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wiggins had as a visitor over the weekend Miss Lurline Wells of Red Bank, N.J.

### Baptist WMS in All-Day Program at Church

A mission program "That They May Have Life" was presented Monday by the Sallee-Morgan circle at the First Baptist church with Mrs. E. W. Sumrall as leader.

The meeting was opened with the devotional by Mrs. Ada Curry, after which Mrs. L. N. Lochridge discussed "Compassion." Other subjects discussed were "World News" by Rev. James Easterwood and "We Care and Share" by Mrs. D. O. James.

A social hour and luncheon were enjoyed during the noon hour, after which Mrs. Earle Denny presided at the business session. Reports were heard from standing committees and community mission plans were made for the month of May. A crate of eggs was packed for Buckner's Orphans Home.

Circles will meet next Monday as follows: Mary-Martha at the church at 3:30; Sallee-Morgan with Mrs. Sam Ferguson at 2:30; Ruth with Mrs. Naomi Smith at 2:30.

Mrs. Ruth Marie Jarrell had as guests over the weekend her sister Mrs. Fred L. Williams and Mr. Williams of Sundown.

Mrs. Bob McDonald and son Robin returned to their home in Dallas, Saturday. Mr. McDonald came after them and visited briefly with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McDonald and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zink.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill were in Whitesboro Sunday to help celebrate the 82nd birthday of his mother Mrs. Byron Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson of Memphis visited over the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Watson. Elmer and his father visited Saturday in Fort Worth with Mrs. Willie Mae Stowe who was operated and is convalescing in a Fort Worth hospital.

Mrs. Marie Snowden of Hot Springs, N.M., who is visiting in Wichita Falls, spent the afternoon recently in the home of Mrs. F. E. Ketchum.

### Mrs. Slack, District Mission Chairman, Speaks to WSCS

Mrs. W. R. Slack of the Floral Heights Methodist church of Wichita Falls, who is district chairman of mission education, spoke to the women of the local Methodist church Monday afternoon at the weekly meeting of the W.S.C.S. She was introduced by Mrs. Herman Mahler.

Placing emphasis on three things of current importance, Mrs. Slack told the women to believe in the United Nations organization, to pray for its success and to strive to become an informed people.

The opening scripture was read by Mrs. Mahler from Ephesians 3:14, 15. Mrs. Joe Bell led the prayer. The next meeting date is May 10 and will be a night session with R. V. Wood, high school principal, as guest speaker.

Attending Monday were Mmes. E. B. Taylor, Fenton Dale, Richey Abernathy, A. S. Morris, R. L. Thompson, L. A. Teal, Mary Lakey, Ruby Monroe, Fred Widmoyer, A. D. Butcher, W. A. Litchfield, Carl Sullivan, J. H. Hatten, D. O. Smith, F. A. Boulware, L. C. Perry, Harry Weaver, Ida Weeks, W. F. George, M. O. Cheves, J. D. Craft, Joe Bell, C. J. Simpson, Roxie Hall, W. O. Watkins, J. N. George and Mrs. Mahler and the visiting speaker.

Wentworth Cope and Betty Wade, both of Valley View, were married on April 15 in Wichita Falls. Mr. Cope finished Valley View high school in 1943. Betty is scheduled to finish this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hatcher have moved to Wichita Falls to make their home.

Mrs. H. F. Cope and family attended the funeral of her sister-in-law in Sulphur, Okla., Sunday afternoon. They returned Monday night.

Mrs. May Turner visited through the weekend in Duncan with her daughter Miss Alice Turner and also in Comanche, Okla., with her son Bryan and Mrs. Turner.

### SENIOR NEWS

The week is passing by in a hurry. Most of the time is spent practicing on The Tangled Yarn and the between acts specials. Thursday night is the big night! The seniors hope to look out over a full auditorium at 8:15.

Dwain Lofland and Margaret Gilstrap have a special act they're going to present. We know you'll love it.

Did you know that Robert Wilcox could sing? He'll show you just how it's done Thursday night.

The banquet last Thursday night was wonderful! The decoration were very attractive in the Spanish atmosphere. Everything was carried out in the Spanish style.

Those attending the banquet will know more about some of the seniors than they did before, since every senior was introduced.

Poor Bradley J. Someone poked his head into B.'s girl trouble and spilled it all at the banquet. Sue R. got tangled on too, about Roy J., you know.

If you had dropped in at the banquet, you might have thought it a flower shop. We girls will have to admit the senior boys have wonderful taste for pretty corsages.

We'd like to know who did all that placing at the banquet. Whoever it was gets around. Just how did they Juanita K. wanted to sit by Dick H.? Someone overheard Bonnie Z. say she was glad she got to sit by Billy S.

Did you know that Bobbie B. was with Robert W., Billie H. went with Billy J. H., and Irma A. was with Bradley J.?

We enjoyed the speaker. He made his talk very interesting.

Two senior girls noticed four junior boys eating in the cafeteria the other day. Believe me, if they eat like that at Craterville, we seniors will go hungry!

The seniors are meeting Tuesday to plan their Carlsbad trip. We're not only anxious to go to Craterville but Carlsbad too.

We are just beginning to realize we are graduating in less than three weeks. Last week we received caps and gowns. This made us know that school days are almost over. It's hard to say you're glad to be leaving and tell the truth!

Bobby B. is rather important in the senior class. Did you know he is fourth cousin of John F. Garner, former vice-president of the U.S.?

The senior class wishes to thank the Herald for printing the circulars for the play.

Robbie Starr, reporter.

### Sixth Grade Pupils Honored with Dinner

The pupils of the sixth grade of Iowa Park and the Ward School faculty were delightfully entertained with a dinner Friday evening in the school cafeteria. The mothers prepared and served the dinner.

Program for the evening was given to the pupils as a means of training them for future participation in affairs of that nature. Ava Lee Watts served as toastmaster and caused much merriment in her introductions of guests in rhyme. Jimmy Easterwood gave the invocation and Loyd Lewis the benediction. Retha Starr and Sue Geisert entertained with piano numbers before dinner was served.

Mr. Lee Brigham, assistant coach in high school, was guest speaker. He was introduced by Lonnie Hair. Mr. Brigham's talk on freedom was given in language the boys and girls could understand and appreciate.

The pupils and faculty are grateful to the mothers for making it possible for them have such an enjoyable affair.

George Bishop returned home on Sunday after being gone two years. He has been overseas with the navy services. George is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Myley Bishop of Valley View.

Mrs. J. R. Cope of Valley Farms visited friends and relatives in Valley View this week.

Miss Idrea Toland of Quanah was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rollins Woodall, Sunday, visiting their small son John Rollins, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith and children Harmalyn and Linda of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mrs. J. L. Lochridge who is ill at the home of her sister Mrs. Will Bennett. Mrs. Lochridge, who has been ill since last October, is greatly improved and able to be up a part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Sims and Miss Frances Baker of Hobart, Okla. visited Sunday with their daughter Miss Lucy Sims and Mrs. Tirzah Portis and Miss Hazel Crites.

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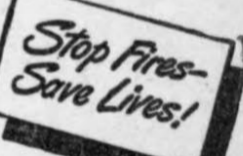
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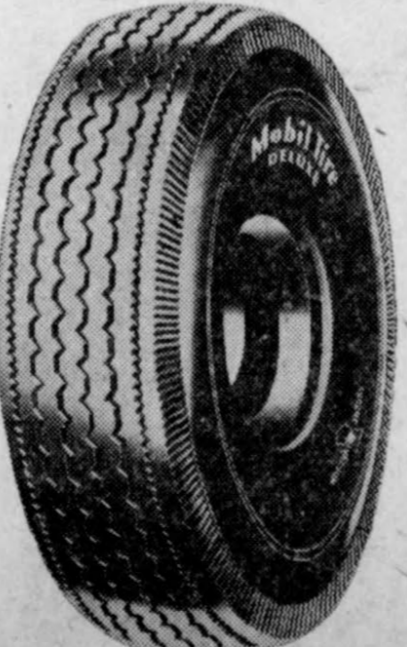
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### Blue Cross Policies Of Farm Bureau Reach Iowa Park

By Mrs. M. L. Hines  
Of interest to members of the Wichita County Farm Bureau Federation is news that their Blue Cross hospitalization and medical-surgical certificates have been received at the office in Iowa Park. Others in the county who are members of Farm Bureau who desire the Blue Cross services must make application before June 15, which is the next enrollment date.

Perhaps the first medical-surgical policy to be used by a Wichita county Farm Bureau member was that of L. H. Klinkerman, route 2, Electra, whose daughter was in a Wichita Falls hospital last week. Mr. Klinkerman states that his hospital and surgery bill amounted to \$234 and of that amount he paid \$62.50. The plan really works.

Another item of interest to farmers was a meeting called in Austin, Saturday, April 24. A group was convened to draw up a plan to build more rural roads, said plan to be presented to the state legislature at its next session. Loyd D. Harbour, district three director, was in attendance at the request of the president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, Walter Hammond.

Recommendations as to the best methods to pursue in obtaining more roads for the farmer were made by representatives of the following groups: Texas Farm Bureau Federation, County Judges and Commissioners Association, Letter Carriers Association, National Grange, Farmers Union, State Teachers Association, Borren and Cullum, Fox Hunters Association and others.

Two tickets to the Parkway theater, Sunday and Monday are at the Herald office for J. D. Padgett.

### Four on College Honor Roll from Iowa Park

Four students from Iowa Park have been named as honor students in Abilene Christian college for the first half of the college's 1948 spring semester. ACC counts the scholastic top ten per cent of each class as its honor roll.

Holiday Women Here For Mrs. Patterson's Luncheon  
Six women from Holliday and one visitor from Electra met in the home of Mrs. H. N. Patterson, Wednesday for a covered dish luncheon. They compose a social club of Phillips employees known as the Stitch and Cutter club.

Following the luncheon the group went on an outing to Sand Beach. Another social function of the club last week was a theater party in Wichita Falls on Friday night.

Thomas J. Pace jr. student in Southwestern university, Georgetown, spent the past weekend here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Turner and two little daughters were here Sunday from Brady looking for a place in which to live.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. North and children were here Sunday from Walters, Okla., visiting friends. They formerly live here and are now planning to move to Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Burt Caddell has returned from Duncan, Okla., where she spent a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Roberts visited in Electra, Sunday.

### Officers Installed at Final 23 Club Meeting. Home of Mrs. Coppock Is Setting

A lovely Texas luncheon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Coppock on Thursday, April 21, concluded a very successful year under the leadership of Mrs. King Abernathy for the 23 Study club.

The meal was served on the screened in back porch of the Coppock home and the long table where guests were seated was attractively centered with a large blue crepe paper bonnet which served as a container for yellow roses. Marking the place of each guest were small bonnets filled with the same flowers. Elsewhere on the porch and throughout the sumptuous home were arrangements of spring blossoms.

The menu committee which planned the delectable meal was composed of Mesdames H. W. Weaver, Richey Abernathy and Fred Widmoyer.

Highlight of the business meeting which followed the luncheon was the report of the recent convention at Breckenridge by Mrs. L. E. Brooks. She brought back from the convention the Silver Anniversary Certificate awarded to the 23 Study club. To gladden the hearts of the members was the announcement that the local club was awarded first place in the district on the year's youth participation program. The program was given February 5 under the leadership of Mrs. Homer Blalock and featured the high school glee club and talks by Misses Bobbie Ruth Brubaker and Lucy Lee Dale, and Messrs. Bobby Birk, Travis Hines, Pat Sewell and Jimmy McDonald.

During the business period, an allotment was voted to the National Federation of the Blind, and an interesting letter was read from the club's adopted Holland girl. It was voted to continue sending love packages to her through the summer months.

Ease of presentation and the ability to keep her listeners entertained, as well as to give them the salient facts of the book, characterized the review of "Blaze of Gold" (Dee Woods) given by Mrs. M. C. Yeagan. The book consists of treasure tales of the Texas coasts and the review artist related interesting true accounts of how much buried treasure had been unearthed. It concludes she told the impressive story of the life of Mitchell Talley, a Texas trail driver.

Using "Today" is her theme, Mrs. May Turner installed the officers for the 1948-49 club year. To preface the service she read Grace Noll Crowell's poem "Today." Her impressive charge to those assuming duties was a challenge for each to expend every effort to discharge her duties acceptably. The new slate of officers include Mrs. L. E. Brooks, president; Mrs. C. W. Coppock, vice-president; Mrs. R. R. Brubaker, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Gayle Park, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Carroll Duke and Mrs. M. C. Yeagan, executive committee.

Those in attendance at the last meeting of the club year were Mesdames Florence Sherwood, C. Birk, Fred Widmoyer, Georgia Wells, May Turner, Richey Abernathy, H. W. Weaver, J. A. Sewell, Earle Denny, C. E. Birk, James Easterwood, King Abernathy, Carroll Duke, Herman Mitchell, S. L. Denny, Sam Hill, R. R. Brubaker, Gayle Park, M. C. Yeagan, L. E. Brooks, C. J. Simpson, C. W. Coppock and Homer Blalock.

Jo Smith of Duncan, Okla., was guest of Juanelle James and Billy Jean Girard over the weekend.

Roy Maddox visited his family over the weekend. He will be in training another week at Carswell Air Field, Fort Worth.

Rex Stamford Burrows of Wichita Falls visited Sunday with his son C. C. Burrows and family.

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### LOCAL WOMEN VISIT POINTS OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

Mrs. Earle Griffith and Mrs. H. B. Britt, accompanied by their sister Mrs. J. W. Ainsworth and Mr. Ainsworth of Burkburnett, spent an interesting weekend in the city of Houston. En route they visited in Madisonville with their mother Mrs. Louella Sadler of Burkburnett who is visiting in the home of her mother Mrs. W. F. Crowder who is ill.

Among historical landmarks visited was the San Jacinto battlefield which is marked by a 570-foot tower which is topped with a 35-foot star. An elevator carries visitors to the top; they also saw the U.S.S. Texas, based there and recently dedicated in formal ceremonies.

In Houston they were guests of a sister Mrs. J. L. Crawford and also visited another sister Mrs. Guy L. Cain in Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hines, Mrs. John Mixon, Edna Ann Denny, Jimmie Joy George and Travis Neal Hines were in Denton, Sunday attending the 16-piano symphonic ensemble directed by Silvio Scionti, and presented by the school of music of NTSC.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyles and two small sons spent Thursday and Friday in Iowa Park enroute from Florida to California. They were overnight guests in the O. D. Davenport home. Lyles is in the navy, serving for several years as chief petty officer, and Mrs. Lyles will be remembered as Miss Viola Honeycutt. Both are former Iowa Park residents.

Mrs. C. N. Caple is spending a week in Farmington, N.M., with her son Harry Caple and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Bates and family were in Fort Worth, Sunday visiting Johnny Jo Bates who is a student at TCU.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burgner and daughter Patsy of Fort Worth visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Entekin over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Entekin returned home with them for a short visit.

### Intermediate Week Is Observed by Baptists

Activities of Intermediate Day, which was observed at the Baptist church Sunday, were begun at an 8:00 o'clock breakfast in the basement of the church. Plans for the meal were under the direction of Mrs. Jim Miller, superintendent of the Sunday School intermediate department. She was assisted by the teachers, officers and mothers of the pupils.

A musical program featuring talent in the department followed the meal. Included on the program were two violin solos by Mary Jo Hamilton with piano accompaniment by Katie Merle Sumrall; a piano solo by Jimmie Joy George and a duet by Marie Wakefield and Carolyn Baxter. These numbers preceded a sing song of hymns which concluded the program.

Hot biscuits, bacon, eggs, jelly, butter, coffee and milk were enjoyed by Misses Lou Ann Duke, Naomi Baxter, Jimmie Joy George, Mary Jo Hamilton, Carolyn Baxter, Marie Wakefield, Katy Merle Sumrall, Juanelle James, Bobbie Brubaker, Opal Fay Patterson, Mary Alice Garvin, Peggy Hall.

And Harold Lewis, Johnnie Worrell, Boyd West, Franklin Farmer, Lloyd West, R. L. Williams, Rev. James Easterwood and Mesdames Lee Brigham, Jim Miller, R. R. Brubaker and Homer Blalock.

### Beaver Creek Farm Club Met with Mrs. Bentely

Nine members of the Beaver Creek Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. O. L. Bentely on Thursday, April 22. Mrs. J. C. Hestand had charge of the lesson on interior decoration. Mrs. George Rogers gave a lesson on labels and brands.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames A. W. Rowell, G. C. Gallo-way, O. E. Barron, G. Rogers, J. C. Hestand, R. Lyles, F. C. Whistler, A. C. Sherwood and O. L. Bentely.

The meeting adjourned at 4 p.m. until May 13 when Miss Catherine Sands will demonstrate frozen foods and canning.

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do so much of the time, we'd live and let live in contentment.

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